Prayers

For Colt and all the baptized that the Lord may preserve them in the Light of His kingdom.

For eagerness to answer Christ's call.

For God to send His word to enlighten all in the darkness of unbelief.

For God to have mercy on and heal all those with diseases or disabilities, especially for the sick and recovering, including Ralph Steeve, Joann Humphrey, Marge Freeze, Ardith Sunderman, Dennis Casey, Kaydance Horsley, Morgan Hodges, David Mincer, Dawn Neumann, Jenifer Bowen, Nancy Mann, Kate Thompson, Jackie Schmidt, Sophia Cavin, Caleb Jordan, and Jon Herzberg.

OFFERING:

(1/15/23) – Home: \$2333.00; Missions: \$45.00 **Total:** \$2378.00

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Thursday Early Morning Study</u> meets at **6:30** am at Robin's Nest Café. All are welcome to join us for intense study, lively fellowship, and some of Clarinda's finest dining.

These Bible studies are open to all, and we warmly encourage you to join us to be fed in both body and spirit.

CLASSES & STUDIES @ CHURCH

Sunday School and Adult Bible Study:

Joseph Forgives: Joseph revealed himself to his brothers and for- gave them. Our Lord Jesus Christ reveals Himself to us and forgives us in His Holy Word and Sacraments.

Confirmation Class:

Confirmation classes are Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm at Immanuel. All 6th - 8th grade students are welcome to come learn about and confess their faith. Please contact Pastor (515-290-7469) for more information.

Bible based yoga flow class: Karen Brandt leads a Bible based yoga flow class in the basement. Participants need a yoga mat or bath/beach towel. Suggested donation of \$5/class, but not required. January Meetings: 1/23 @ 6:30 pm, 1/28 @ 8:00 am. Class schedule may change, so it would be best to contact Karen at w.k.brandt@gmail.com if you are interested in attending.

LWML

Hot German Potato Salad is needed for the CLS German Dinner. Please contact a member if you can help!

COUNCIL & BOARD

1/29/23 – Installation of Officers

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 – Council Meeting @ 7:00 pm

Tuesday, April 17, 2023 -Voter's Meeting @ 7:00 pm

THANKS

Thank you to all our church family for the prayers, cards, food, and memorials at the time of my mom's passing. Thank You all.

- Marilyn, Chester, Chad and Andrew

STEWARDSHIP & FELLOWSHIP

Matthew 4:20 – "Immediately they left their nets and followed him." Discipleship cost Peter and Andrew everything they had. They left their trade, their hometown, their families, and they followed Jesus. God has called us to the same discipleship, the same devotion, though the exact details of how that is lived out will vary. The important thing is this: we know that all we have is the Lord's, to be used for His purpose. We are His disciples and are ready to follow where He leads.

CLS GERMAN DINNER

The Clarinda Lutheran School **20th Annual German Dinner & Silent Auction** will be on **Sunday, February 5th** from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.
Call 712-542-3657 for reservations.

New this year - Online German Dinner Reservations! The link is on our website: clarindalutheranschool.com then click on the top "2023 German Dinner Reservations". Fill in the information and hit submit!

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES:

7:30 am Sundays on KMA

January 22 "Whatever You Do" Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Jason Broge

The mundane just isn't mundane when seen through heaven's eyes. (Colossians 3:17-21)

January 29 "Hopelessly Hopeful" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

Having hope for humanity is not the same thing as hoping in humanity. (Colossians 1:27)

February 5 "Your Time to Shine" Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. John Nunes

Light is necessary for life; God's light, even more so. (Matthew 5:14-16)

February 12 "Shine Like Stars" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

A social media star with a million followers can't possibly know all one million of them. However, there is one really famous Person with billions of followers Who knows--and loves--each one. (1 Corinthians 3:6-7)

February 19 "Table Manners" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

(Exodus 24:11)

February 26 "It Begins with Who I Am" Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy
Our identity defines us. Every decision we make, every action we take, and every temptation we face begins with who we are. In Christ we receive an identity uncompromised and secure. (Matthew 4:1-11)

Upcoming Services

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 — Ash Wednesday Service at Immanuel @ 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 1, 2023

— Lenten Service at Trinity @ 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 8, 2023
— Lenten Service at Immanuel @ 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 15, 2023
— Lenten Service at Trinity @ 7:00 pm

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Sunday, April 2, 2023 – Palm Sunday

Thursday, April 6, 2023 – Maundy Thursday Service at Immanuel @ 7:00 pm

Friday, April 7, 2023 — Good Friday Service at Trinity @ 7:00 pm

Sunday, April 9, 2023 – Easter - Regular Sunday Services

Immanuel LYF Breakfast @ 8:00 am

Wednesday, May 3, 2023 — Confirmand Questioning at Immanuel @ 7:00 pm

Sunday, May 7, 2023 – Confirmation

Bulletin info deadline (emailed) is **12:00 noon** on Wednesday. Send to: immanuellutheran.clarinda@gmail.com