

# Soup & Supper Euchre Party

St. Peter Lutheran Church, Waymansville, will have a Soup Supper and Euchre Party on Sunday, February 4. Soup Supper begins at 5:00p.m. Euchre Party begins at 6:00 p.m.

*St Paul Lutheran Church, 6045 E State St, in Columbus invites you to a concert featuring Organist Daniel Mau and the Columbus Brass Quintet on Sunday, February 4, beginning at 4:00 p.m. Admission is free.*

**9:00 am Greeters:** Rocky & Katie Kaufman, Chris & Anne Stahl, Duane & Dona Williams **Elders/Communion:** Steve Hoene, Parker Wiethoff, Glenn Benter, Dave Martindale, Jay Hubbard, Matt Nieman **Ushers:** Kurt Fenneberg, Larry Harlow, Troy Hehman, Cary Bell, Dave Boggs, Chris Stahl, Ryan Williams, Eli Williams, David Pollert, Wes Baker, Luke Baker **Counting:** Jeff Hubbard, Kevin Foster, Charles Fox, Greg Hackman, Grant Schneider, Craig Flinn **Altar Guild:** Elinor Brown **Acolyte:** Claire Combs **Audio/Video:** Grant VonDielingen/Lance Hubbard  
**11:15 am Greeter:** Randy (Dude) Dittmer **Ushers** Joe Brooks, Michael Brooks, Jeremiah Clay, Jeff Schneider, Mike Stuckwisch **Acolyte:** Ava Blumenberg **Audio:** Jeff Hopkins  
**7:00 pm Elders:** Steve Bobb **Altar Guild:** Linda Schoenfelder **Acolyte:** Kalli Napier

<b>14</b> 9:00 Worship 10:15 Bible Classes/SS/AIC 11:15 Worship 4:00 FPU	<b>15</b> 8:35 Chapel 3:15 7th OYR 5:30 AHG/TL 6:00 Missions 7:00 Worship	<b>16</b> 7:00 Men’s Bible Study 10:00 Pastors Conference 3:15 8th OYR 6:30 Ladies Aid 3	<b>17</b> 11:30 Adult Sr. Ministry 3:30 Sr Hi OYR 6:15 Brass 6:30 Women’s Bible Study 7:00 AIC/Conf 7:00 Woodwinds 7:30 Choir	<b>18</b> 12:00-6:00 Blood Drive 12:00 Lunch w/ Pastor 5:30 ILCCM Staff 6:00 Handbells 6:00 Foundation	<b>19</b> 10:30 Bible Study	<b>20</b>
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## Additional Spiritual Support:

- Dial a Meditation:** call 812-522-1345 anytime for a devotion by one of our pastors or vicar.
- Know Your Bible:** You can hear it each weekday at 6:55 a.m. on AM 1390 and FM 99.3

## Bulletin and Resource Pick-up

Is available at door number 5 on Oesting Street. Drop in Monday- Friday from 8am - 5pm.

**Bulletins and Informers for the upcoming week are available on THURSDAYS after 12 noon.**

**Join us for Worship Online at:** <http://immanuelseymour.com/worship/>

You can also view services on the Immanuel YouTube channel at Immanuel Lutheran Seymour and at 3pm & 8pm on CinergyMetro Cable Channel 2 and Comcast Channel 96.

Listen to WZZB 99.3 and streaming at [www.wzzb1390.com](http://www.wzzb1390.com)

# Camp Lakeview is looking for a new staff member!

Who do you know that might be interested in joining our team as our Retreats and Registrations Coordinator? This person will serve the ministry at camp by providing Christ-filled customer service while handling retreat group reservations, summer camp registrations, and office administration tasks. This is a year-round, full-time role with benefits. For more details and to submit your resume, go to [lakeview.camp/work](http://lakeview.camp/work).



# INFORMER

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January 14, 2024

## Voters Meeting January 21

The quarterly meeting of the congregation is scheduled for **Sunday, January 21, at 6:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. All confirmed members are eligible to vote and encouraged to attend. Among items to be on the agenda:

- Recommendation to apply for a vicar for 2024-2025
- Report with updates on the Faith in our Future Campaign
- Report on the Planning Conference
- Financial reports for Foundation, Church, School, Childcare, and other groups

Agendas and reports will be available the morning of January 21.

## Adult Senior Ministry

The Adult Senior Ministry will meet on Wednesday, January 17 at 11:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The topic will be about the campaign ‘Faith in Our Future’ by Dr. Todd Behmlander. Lunch will be served for \$5 per person, menu: chili, grilled cheese, cherry jello salad, ice cream with toppings. Please call the church office if you need a ride 812-522-3118.

## National Lutheran Schools Week Jan 21-28

Immanuel will join more than 1800 pre-schools, elementary schools and high schools to celebrate National Lutheran Schools Week! Student musicians will participate in the 9 a.m. service January 21, with special events scheduled throughout the week at ILS.

Check out the ILS homepage for details ([www.immanuelschool.org](http://www.immanuelschool.org))

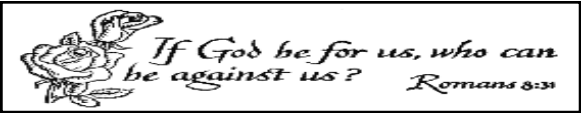
We thank God that for 150 years, our school and others provide the opportunity to proclaim and celebrate God’s work among us and His love for us We thank God for the opportunity to provide excellent academic preparation for the children we serve, thanks to dedicated teachers and parents.

## Thank You, Decorating Committee!

Once again, we thank Jerrell and Karla Hubbard and the entire Decorating Committee for how beautiful the church looked for Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany! Thanks also for the work involved this past Wednesday in putting everything away for another year!

## Blood Drive

Immanuel will host a Blood Drive on Thursday, January 18 from 12:00-6:00 p.m. To schedule an appointment please go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and search sponsor keyword “immanuelutheran” or call 1-800-RED CROSS. *If you would like to help donors check-in or work the canteen, please call Lisa in the church office.* Thank you!



*But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. " Matt 6:33*

Totals from January 7, 2024	
Unified Budget	\$30,368.50
Plate Offerings	\$901.00
Other Income	\$868.00
Total	\$32,137.50
Income & Gifts To Date	\$624,284.87
Donations to ILS 2023-2024	\$3,583.00
Total Gifts	\$627,867.87
Budget Needs to Date	\$626,971.98
Benevolence	\$389.00
Sunday Attendance/Communed	775/132
Monday Attendance	54
Faith In Our Future Campaign	
Pledges to Date	\$4,230,711.40
Gifts to Date	\$2,232,571.74

### Baptism of Our Lord

**Mark 1:4-11:** As we hear of our Lord's Baptism, we are reminded of our own Baptism. Our Baptism tells the story that others need to hear. In Baptism, we are joined to Christ's death and His resurrection. Because Christ lives, we live. Let your Baptism be the story that gives witness to God's amazing grace.

### Acknowledgements

Today's Broadcast is sponsored in loving memory of Jerry Anderson on his birthday, January 15, by Beckie, Jason, Patrick, & family.

### Official Acts

**Josie Lynne Bechelli**, daughter of Steven Bechelli & Aspen Cooper, was baptized on January 7, 2024.



**LUTHERANS FOR LIFE** "Abortion has only ever represented a symptom. The sickness has always consisted of the deeper reality of sin. So, law never embodied the finish line or the prize. Our Savior's victory invites us to settle for nothing less than sharing life, abundant and everlasting, with each human being and receiving them all as gift and privilege. Let's press ahead with renewed enthusiasm!" *Pastor Michael Salemink, Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • [lutheransforlife.org](http://lutheransforlife.org)*



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### Bible Readings

- 1/14 Job 38-39
- 1/15 Job 40-42
- 1/16 Genesis 12-15
- 1/17 Genesis 16-18
- 1/18 Genesis 19-21
- 1/19 Genesis 22-24
- 1/20 Genesis 25-26

### Youth Lenten Meals

*Lent is on its way, and that means Immanuel Youth's Lenten meals are on their way as well! The full menus will be released soon, and you have many ways to help these meals be a success.*

**First**, you can come and enjoy the meals! All the proceeds from these meals will go toward our Youth Ministry and will help countless young people.

**Second**, you can volunteer to help us prepare our meals! Just give the church a call and Matt will give you more information.

**Finally**, you can help us by **donating a dessert each Wednesday** in Lent (February 14, 21, 28, March 6, 13, 20). Desserts help cap off a delicious meal, so if you feel motivated to share you skills with us, please consider donating a dessert for our meals. Each dessert can be dropped off on Wednesday morning, and we will have your pan/sheet cleaned and dried for you to pick up Thursday morning.

Thank you all in advance for all the awesome support you all show to our spectacular Immanuel Youth!

### Dartball Scholarship

The Lutheran Dartball League is pleased to announce that they are once again offering scholarships to help young Christians with their education. Deadline for the application is February 15. Applications can be picked up at the church office or by contacting Bob Klosterman at 812-580-8394.

### We are Hiring!

ILCCM is looking to hire assistant teachers who would work part time, mornings 6:30-12:00 or afternoons 12:00-5:30.

Interested? Call the church office or Heather Wolka for an application or for more information at 812-522-3118.

### Financial Peace

If you've ever felt like you just can't get in control of your money, you're not alone. You'd be surprised how many people you know are struggling just like you. But it's time for your struggle to end—starting today. Join our virtual *Financial Peace University* class starting on **Sunday, January 14, 2024 from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.** and learn how you can pay off debt, save more money, and build wealth. Visit <https://www.fpu.com/D3B789> to sign up!

### We Did It!

With funds received from individuals, door offerings, foundations, and an offering from the pastors at the Southern Indiana Pastoral Conference we raised enough money to:

- Place 4 Lutheran Hour children's (and adults) Christmas programs on 4 different Louisville, KY television stations.
- Produce 3-60 second commercials to play during the programs.
- Place 80-30 second commercials (20 per show) on WAKY radio which covers most of Kentuckiana,
- Have an estimated 66,990 viewers, not including viewers who watched on antenna TV or live streamed, per the 4 TV Stations.

### NEW GOAL...Easter programs

Fundraising is continuing to raise the money to place The Lutheran Hour Easter programs on Louisville stations as well as beginning to raise money for Christmas 2024. We already have some funds to make this Easter mission project happen but we are a little short of the amount needed and we need to begin for Christmas 2024.

If you would like to donate to these projects, please send your donation to:

Lutheran Mission Federation  
Brandon Hunsley  
PO Box 1001  
Seymour, IN 47274