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*In response to the call of Jesus Christ,
we the people of
Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran
Church are committed to:*

Celebrating the excitement of God's
influence in life by being visible witnesses
of Christ and

Ministering to the spiritual and physical
needs of our community and the world,
through our God given talents.

**Welcome to Immanuel! Thank you
for worshipping with us today. Please
sign the worship welcome pad (red
binder) during the offering. Thank
you!**

Worship with Holy Communion

8:15 & 11:00 AM

Sunday School for all ages

9:30 AM

Grace @ 5 5:00 PM

The nursery is available for children in
kindergarten and younger following the
Children's Message during the 9:30 AM
service.

Office Hours 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Monday ó Friday

**FM hearing loops and large print
hymnals** are available at the back of the
church. Please see an usher to assist
you. The church is equipped for hearing
aids with T (telephone) switches.

Invitation to Holy Communion

We welcome to the Lord's communion table all
baptized Christians who have been admitted to
the Lord's Table in their own church and
acknowledge the real presence of Jesus Christ in
the gift of his body and blood for the forgiveness
of sins and renewal of life. It is our practice to
offer white grape juice to those not desiring red
wine. Pre-filled white grape juice glasses are
next to the communion assistants. Please
indicate your desire for grape juice to the
communion assistant. Empty communion
glasses are deposited on the end of the front
pews. All who commune are asked to check the
"will commune" box in the red worship
welcome pad.

Evangelical Lutheran Worship, setting I
is our order for worship today.

*Those who are able are invited to stand.

Prior to the start of worship, please turn off
cellular phones, pagers or watch alarms that
may sound during the worship service.

**This week's Memory Verse is
Ephesians 2:8.**

**The October Memory Verse is
Jeremiah 31:31-34.**

The Service of Holy Communion
October 3, 2010 8:15 and 11:00 AM
Harvest Sunday

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Pastorale in F Major ó J.S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#5 of 52 Great Verses - **Ephesians 2:8** (Pew Bible, New Testament p. 205)

***SHARING OF THE PEACE**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Congregation: And also with you.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: Recognizing our need for God's mercy, let us confess our sin, and seek reconciliation with God and each other.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: God of justice and compassion,

C: we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not been faithful stewards of your creation. We have failed to share the bounty of your harvest with the poor and needy. Forgive our sin, increase our faith, strengthen us in service, and bring us to everlasting life. Amen

P: Heaven rejoices when a sinner repents and a lost sheep is found. In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen**

***ENTRANCE HYMN**

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

ELW #693

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

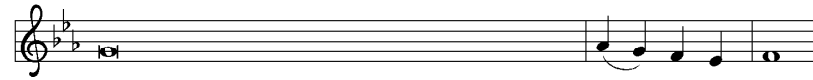
KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



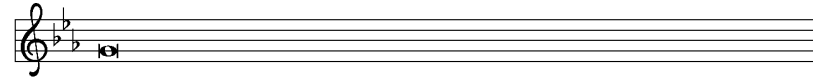
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.




Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE


Refrain




This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:




Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

Refrain




hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

Refrain



gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

C: O Lord, maker of all things, you open your hand and satisfy the desire of every living creature. We praise you for crowning the fields with your blessings and enabling us once more to gather in the fruits of the earth. Teach us to use your gifts carefully, that our land may continue to yield its increase, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen *(Please be seated.)*

HYMN (11:00)

Children of the Heavenly Father (vs. 1-2)

ELW #781

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM (11:00)

Presentation

Pastor: God, who is rich in mercy and love, gives us a new birth into a living hope through the sacrament of baptism. By water and the Word God delivers us from sin and death and raises us to new life in Jesus Christ. We are united with all the baptized in the one body of Christ, anointed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and joined in God's mission for the life of the world.

Parents & Sponsors: We present *Ani Jo Mastowski* for baptism.

P: Called by the Holy Spirit, trusting in the grace and love of God, do you desire to have your child baptized into Christ?

Parents: We do.

P: As you bring your child to receive the gift of baptism, you are entrusted with responsibilities: to live with her among God's faithful people, bring her to the word of God and the holy supper, teach her the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments, place in her hands the holy scriptures, and nurture her in faith and prayer, so that she will learn to trust God, proclaim Christ through word and deed, care for others and the world God made, and work for justice and peace. Do you promise to help her grow in the Christian faith and life?

Parents: We do.

P: Sponsors, do you promise to nurture *Ani* in the Christian faith as you are empowered by God's Spirit, and to help her live in the covenant of baptism and in communion with the church?

Baptismal Sponsors: We do.

P: People of God, do you promise to support *Ani* and pray for her in her new life in Christ?

Congregation: We do.

Profession of Faith

P: I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church. Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God?

Congregation: I renounce them.

P: Do you renounce the powers of this world that rebel against God?

Congregation: I renounce them.

P: Do you renounce the ways of sin that draw you from God?

Congregation: I renounce them.

P: Do you believe in God the Father?

Congregation: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

P: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

Congregation: I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

P: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

Congregation: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Thanksgiving at the Font

P: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Congregation: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family, and through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection you set us free from the power of sin and death and raise us up to live in you. Pour out your Holy Spirit, the power of your living Word, that those who are washed in the waters of baptism may be given new life. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Congregation: Amen

Baptism

P: Ani Jo Mastowski, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

P: Let us pray. We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give your daughters and sons new birth, cleanse them from sin, and raise them to eternal life. Sustain *Ani* with the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever. **Congregation: Amen**

P: *Ani*, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever. Amen

Welcome

Assisting Minister: Jesus said, I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will have the light of life. Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Assisting Minister: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Congregation: We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.

HYMN

Children of the Heavenly Father (vs. 3-4)

ELW #781

WORD

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

When you have come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, ²you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the LORD your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. ³You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, "Today I declare to the LORD your God that I have come into the land that the LORD swore to our ancestors to give us." ⁴When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the LORD your God, ⁵you shall make this response before the LORD your God: "A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. ⁶When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, ⁷we cried to the LORD, the God of our ancestors; the LORD heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. ⁸The LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; ⁹and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. ¹⁰So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O LORD, have given me." You shall set it down before the LORD your God and bow down before the LORD your God. ¹¹Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 65:1-2, 6-13 (Sung responsively as printed below.)

Psalm 65 (Refrain 2)

Larry J. Long

The image shows three staves of musical notation in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of the refrain: "You crown the year with your good - ness, and your". The second staff continues the melody for the second line: "paths o - ver - flow with plen - ty." The third staff shows a final melodic phrase with a fermata over the final note, marked with an asterisk (*).

¹You are to be praised, O ¹God, in Zion;
to you shall vows ¹be fulfilled.

**²To you, the one ¹who answers prayer,
to you all ¹flesh shall come.**

⁶You make firm the mountains ¹by your power;
you are girded a- ¹bout with might.

**⁷You still the roaring ¹of the seas,
the roaring of their waves, and the clamor ¹of the peoples.**

⁸Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your ¹marvelous signs;
you make the dawn and the dusk to ¹sing for joy.

**⁹You visit the earth and water it abundantly; you make it very plenteous; the
river of God is ¹full of water. You prepare the grain, for so you provide ¹for
the earth.**

¹⁰You drench the furrows and smooth ¹out the ridges;
with heavy rain you soften the ground and ¹bless its increase.

**¹¹You crown the year ¹with your goodness,
and your paths over- ¹flow with plenty.**

¹²May the fields of the wilderness be ¹rich for grazing,
and the hills be ¹clothed with joy.

**¹³May the meadows cover themselves with flocks, and the valleys cloak them- ¹
selves with grain; let them shout for ¹joy and sing. *R***

SECOND READING 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

⁶The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. ⁹As it is written,

ōHe scatters abroad, he gives to the poor;
his righteousness endures forever.ō

¹⁰He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; ¹²for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. ¹³Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, ¹⁴while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. ¹⁵Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

L: The Word of the Lord. C: **Thanks be to God.**

*GOSPEL VERSE

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Repeat alleluia
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

GOSPEL Matthew 13:24-30

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 13th chapter. C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

²⁴ [Jesus] put before them another parable: ðThe kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; ²⁵but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. ²⁶So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. ²⁷And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, ðMaster, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?ø ²⁸He answered, ðAn enemy has done this.ø The slaves said to him, ðThen do you want us to go and gather them?ø ²⁹But he replied, ðNo; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. ³⁰Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.ø

P: The Gospel of the Lord. C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

At this time the children are invited forward for a message. The nursery is available after the message for children 5 and younger.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. Each staff contains a single melodic line with lyrics underneath. The first staff has a double bar line after the first phrase. The second staff also has a double bar line after the first phrase. The third and fourth staves end with a final double bar line.

P: It is indeed right and salutary í . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, LORD

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

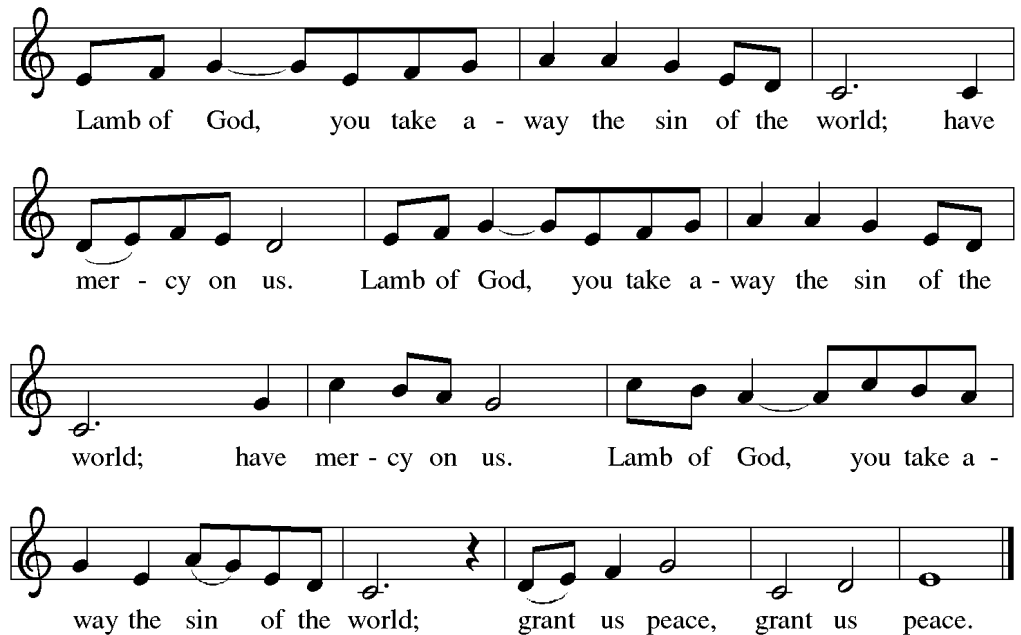
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

INVITATION TO COMMUNE

P: Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

C: Thanks be to God.

LAMB OF GOD



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION Ushers will invite the congregation to come to the altar and receive communion.

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

Praise and Thanksgiving
Eat This Bread

ELW #689
ELW #472

*COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. C: Amen

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Deacon/ Assisting Minister: Let us pray. O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit, strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen**

SENDING

BENEDICTION

P: Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, watch over your going out and your coming in, from this time forth and forevermore. **C: Amen**

SENDING HYMN

For the Fruit of All Creation

ELW #679

DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. Remember the poor. **C: Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

Prelude in G Major ó Felix Mendelssohn

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**The flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God in celebration of Ani Jo Mastowski's baptism by her great-grandmother, Arlene Wackerow.**

Receiving Holy Baptism today is **Ani Jo Mastowski**, born on July 2, 2010. Ani is the daughter of Dale and Amy Mastowski. Her baptismal sponsors are Mary Hughson and Sherri Rinebold.

**Join us each Sunday evening at 5:00 PM for our Grace@5 worship.** Grace@5 is a different worship service ó casual, informal, interactive and musically diverse.



**Today we celebrate Harvest Sunday at 8:15AM, 11:00AM and 5:00PM. The Webster Food Cupboard will move during the month of October from the Ebner Drive facility to the old library behind the Town Hall on Ridge Road. Today's fresh produce and canned fruit will be given to the Webster Food Cupboard.**

**Pastor Abby Zang Hoffman will be installed as the Senior Pastor of Bethlehem, Fairport, today at 2:00 PM.** The congregation is invited to attend.

**On Sunday, October 17th at 7pm, the Music at Immanuel Concert Series opens with a concert of virtuosic vocal music.** Soprano Emily Mills will perform a varied program of beautiful and challenging music accompanied by pianist Jeffrey Weaver. Please join us as we open a new season of top-notch performances in our very own sanctuary.

## CHURCH CALENDAR October 3 - 10

### Sunday

8:15 & 11:00 am Worship with Holy Communion  
9:30 am Sunday School for all ages  
5:00 pm Grace @ 5

### Monday

6:30 pm Property Committee Meeting  
7:00 pm Bible Study  
8:00 pm AA in Fellowship Hall, Al-Anon in Library,  
Alateen in Sr. High room, 2- floor

### Tuesday

6:00 pm 2nd Year Confirmation Dinner and Class  
6:30 pm ImmanuBells Rehearsal  
7:00 pm Finance Meeting

### Wednesday

10:00 am Wellness on Wednesday  
4:00-9:00 pm Seeds  
7:00 pm Senior Choir

### Thursday

10:30 am Bible Study  
7:00 pm Worship and Music Meeting  
7:00 pm Girl Scouts

### Friday

9:00 am Office Helpers  
9:00 am Quilters

### Saturday

1:00 pm Fellowship Group meets at The Olive Garden at Eastview Mall

### Sunday

7:30 am Gathering Choir  
8:15 & 11:00 am Worship with Holy Communion  
9:30 am Sunday School for all ages  
5:00 pm Grace @ 5

**IMMANUEL PRAYS:** Jim White, Jean Gardner, Gary Cannon, Randy Stachyra, Jim Wenner, Dan Klauck, Bev Milner, Bill Oad, Britni Fox, Laurie Reynolds, Cindy Weierman, Barb Shortz, Helen Tice, Ruth Rauber, Jack Schleich, Edna Krueger, Laura Winslow, John Geery, Brody Peterson and the grieving family and friends of Zyl Van Slooten, Marian Klett Carol-Ann Matschulat, Bob Brown and Michael Wisinski. To share a prayer concern or celebration, email [immanev@frontiernet.net](mailto:immanev@frontiernet.net) or call 585/872-5180. Members of Immanuel will raise your request in prayer. The full list of ongoing prayer concerns is available on the bulletin board outside the church office. For an email copy, please contact the church office.

## Serving God and God's Church

|                                  | October 3, 2010                                  |                                             | Next Sunday, October 10, 2010    |                                       |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|                                  | 8:15 AM                                          | 11:00 AM                                    | 8:15 AM                          | 11:00 AM                              |
| <b>Deacon/<br/>Worship Asst.</b> | Deacon Dave Reville                              | Deacon Dave Reville                         | Tom Lombardo                     | Nancy Witmer                          |
| <b>Reader</b>                    | Lyn Reville                                      | Bob Witmer                                  | Marguerite Manning               | Dale Rowland                          |
| <b>Communion Assistant</b>       | Marian Kachmaryk                                 | Karen Holroyd                               | Linda Belmont                    | Jeanne Ludwig                         |
| <b>Acolyte</b>                   | Jacob Kachmaryk                                  | Sarah Geckle                                | Jessica Hewlett                  | Josh Riggi                            |
| <b>Crucifer</b>                  | Alyssa Wicks                                     | Matthew Geckle                              | Michael Cawley                   | Sarah Rowland                         |
| <b>Greeters</b>                  | Don & Jean Gardner                               |                                             | Sharon Diringer, Doris Baranello | Frank, Jessica & Justice Riggi        |
| <b>Ushers</b>                    | Jeff & Bonnie Slack, Maureen Hubbard, Don O'Mara | Mark & Joshua Geckle, Bernie & Lori Russell | Ron & Judy Corey                 | Bill, Judi, Natalli and Corrin Bogart |
| <b>Nursery</b>                   | Sandy Colbert                                    |                                             | Heather Sponable                 | Lisa Riggi                            |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>               | Lyn Reville                                      | Sheri Williams                              | Lyn Reville                      | Sheri Williams                        |
| <b>Counters</b>                  | Carol Galskoy                                    |                                             | Carol Galskoy                    |                                       |

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|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Members of Immanuel                      | Ministers                   |
| Paul E. Shoop (Residence 6 585/216-2167) | Pastor                      |
| John F. Beeg                             | Pastor Emeritus             |
| Dave Ekimoff                             |                             |
| Assoc. for Congregational Ministries     |                             |
| Barb Rafferty                            | Administrative Associate    |
| Thatcher Lyman                           | Director of Music           |
| Marguerite Manning                       | Handbell Director           |
| Isobel Davies                            | Grace @ 5 Music Coordinator |
| Ron Corey, Jr.                           | Sexton                      |
| Tom Lombardo                             | Congregational President    |

Don't forget to have your blood pressure checked the first and third Sunday of each month between services in the library.

Parish Nurse Leslie Schwartz (265-9229) is available for medical questions or concerns.

**Carol Galskoy is the  
October shepherd.**

Please contact her (265-4957) if you know of a member in need of help or support.

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