

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & ACTIVITIES

November 15<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>

## Worship

*In-Person - Mask – Social Distance – No physical contact  
Live and Recordings of Sunday worship can be found on  
the One in Christ Facebook page  
and One in Christ YouTube channel.*

### TODAY: 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Sunday

9:00 am Congregational meeting @ Immanuel  
9:45 am Congregational meeting @ Bethany  
10:30 am Congregational meeting @ Silver Lake  
12:00 pm Congregational Meeting @ Lunder  
6:30 pm Bethany Council meeting

### MONDAY: Parish Calendar & Newsletter Information Due

9:00 am – 1:00 pm Parish Office/Administrative Assistant  
1:00 – 4:00 pm Forest City Neighborhood Food Bank  
2:00 – 5:00 pm Lake Mills Food Bank

### TUESDAY: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Parish Office/Administrative Assistant

9:00 – 11:30 am Office Hours – Pastor Randy @ Immanuel  
3:00 pm Text Study  
6:30 pm Lunder Council @ Lunder  
7:00 pm Immanuel/Lunder/Silver Lake Councils @ Lunder  
7:00 pm Winnebago Council meeting

### WEDNESDAY: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Parish Office/Administrative Assistant

9:00 – 11:30 am Office Hours – Pastor Randy @ Winnebago  
10:00 am “The Bible Jesus Read” Bible Study @ Salem  
2:00 pm Naomi Circle @ Silver Lake  
6:00 pm KC Night @ Bethany  
6:15 pm 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation with Zoom

### THURSDAY: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Parish Office/Administrative Assistant

9:00 – 11:30 am Office Hours – Pastor Bill @ Winnebago  
9:00 am Colleague Group – Pastor Randy  
7:00 pm “The Bible Jesus Read” Bible Study @ Winnebago

### FRIDAY: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Parish Office/Administrative Assistant

1:00 pm Assemble & Fold Bulletins & Newsletter @ Winnebago

### SUNDAY: November 22, 2020

### Christ the King

9:00 am Immanuel Decorates for Christmas  
10:00 am Bethany Decorates for Christmas  
11:30 am Congregational meeting @ Winnebago  
11:45 am Winnebago Youth Decorate for Christmas w/Lunch

### Worship Times

**8:00 am** Immanuel w/Holy Communion  
**9:00 am** Bethany w/Mission Sunday & Holy Communion  
**9:30 am** Silver Lake w/Holy Communion  
**10:30 am** Winnebago w/Mission Sunday  
**11:00 am** Lunder w/Holy Communion

### Sunday School

9:15 am Winnebago  
~~9:30 am Lunder~~  
10:30 am Silver Lake

### Fellowship

9:00 am Immanuel  
10:30 am Silver Lake

### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Sandy Lindflott

Parish office is at

Winnebago Lutheran Church

### Parish Office Hours

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Monday – Friday

### Parish Office Phone Number

From Lake Mills, Leland, Forest City

# 641-567-3550

From Joice, Northwood, Scarville,  
Minnesota, etc.

#1-877-744-3550

### Email Addresses:

[sandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org](mailto:sandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org)

[oneinchrist@oneinchristlutheranparish.org](mailto:oneinchrist@oneinchristlutheranparish.org)

**Bulletin Information due**  
**Wednesday of each week**  
**Newsletter Information due**  
**20<sup>th</sup> of the month**

### Volunteers needed

**1:00 pm – Newsletter Friday**  
**10:00 am - Every other Friday**  
**At Winnebago Lutheran Church**  
*Fold bulletins, assemble newsletter,  
and similar office tasks*

### **Pastor Randy Baldwin –**

Cell: 641- 590-0727

Home: 641-568-3615

Offices: Immanuel: 641-568-3666

Silver Lake: 641-293-5556

Lunder: 507-373-6668

### Email:

[pastorrandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org](mailto:pastorrandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org)

### **Pastor Bill Peters –**

Cell: 641-590-2737

Offices: Bethany: 641-588-3366

Winnebago: 641-567-3675

### Email:

[pastorbill@oneinchristlutheranparish.org](mailto:pastorbill@oneinchristlutheranparish.org)

### **Parish Council: Barb Abele,**

*Dilla Arneson, Beth Isaacson,*

*Dennis Kreuzscher, Roger Larson,*

*Bonnie Maher, Becky Martinson,*

*Homer Peterson, Korin Peterson,*

*Ruth Sheldon, Barb Renshaw (Treas)*

# PARISH ACTIVITIES

## NOVEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup> ~ 22<sup>ND</sup>

### PRAYER CONCERNS/CELEBRATIONS/THANK YOU

**Hospital:** Duaine Harmon (I)

### Healing:

- Herman Bauers(L), Jeff Bauers(L), Meri Bauers(L), Deb Beagle, Darlene Ferley (SL), Duaine Harmon (I), Elaine Nelson (W), Steve Nordskog(I), Angeline Overland (L), Esta Reyerson (SL), Kim Swanson (SL), Marilyn Tweeten (W), James Tautges (L)

### Death

- We extend our prayers of sympathy and lift-up the promise of the resurrection to **Jim & Dagmar Sletten (W), Ryan Sletten (W), and their extended family, in the midst of Roy Sletten's** death, Jim's brother. Roy's funeral is pending at time of printing

### Missionaries

- Kim & Elijah Katuta – DaySpring, South Africa  
Dayspring Facebook page: **Dayspring Children's Village**

### Military Personnel – Active Duty

- Marcus Escherich (B), Anthony Henely (W), Levi Kester (W), Nic Koeppen (W), Nicole Thompson (W)

### Quarantined – Pastor Bill and Pastor Randy

Both pastors had contact with a person who tested positive with COVID this past week. They will quarantine until they have negative results from their COVID tests. Activities that require their presence will be rescheduled.

### Mission Festival Sunday

**TODAY – Immanuel, Lunder, Silver Lake  
November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Bethany & Winnebago**

### Congregational Meetings

**Agenda: Present and Approve 2021 OIC Budget  
TODAY after worship**

Bethany, Immanuel, Lunder, & Silver Lake  
**November 22<sup>nd</sup> after worship - Winnebago**

### PROPOSED PARISH BUDGET

Copies of the 2021 Proposed Parish Budget are in each narthex for you to pick up and review before the Congregational Meeting

### IMMANUEL/LUNDER/SILVER LAKE COUNCILS MEETINGS

**Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at Lunder**

## One in Christ Lutheran Thanksgiving Eve Worship

7:00 pm Wednesday,  
November 25<sup>th</sup>

**At Silver Lake Lutheran Church**  
Offering: *Christmas Tree Gifts (Operation  
Clothes for Kids)/Food Baskets*



## KC (Kids & Christ) Night Youth Education on Wednesday Evenings

**At Bethany Lutheran, Joice**

*All Youth Elementary School Age Are Welcome*

### KC "Kids & Christ" Night

6:00 pm – Light meal – No cost

*The whole family is invited*

6:15 – 7:15 pm Class time

7:15 -7:30 pm Closing Worship

Parents are welcome for worship!



## Adult Education Opportunities

**"The Bible that Jesus Read" Philip Yancy**

Wednesday Mornings

10:00 am @ Salem Lutheran, Fellowship Hall

Thursday Evenings

7:00 pm @ Winnebago – Fellowship Hall

Zoom participation

Meeting ID: 816 6256 2269

Passcode: 403345

## CONFIRMATION

Wednesdays – Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> & Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Both 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Classes with Zoom only

6:00 pm – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

7:00 pm - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

Zoom ID 870 8296 5225

Password 523257

## POINSETTIA ORDERS



Sign-up sheets are in the Narthexes  
When you sign-up please let us know if the Poinsettia is "In Honor Of" or "In Memory Of".

### BETHANY POINSETTIAS

If you would like to share your Poinsettia with Bethany during the Christmas Season, please let either Bonnie Rodberg or Parish Office (567-3550) know. Thank you



### IMMANUEL POINSETTIAS

If you would like to share your Poinsettia with Immanuel during the Christmas Season, please let the Parish Office (567-3550) know. Thank you

### LUNDER POINSETTIA ORDERS

If you would like to order a Poinsettia to be used in the Sanctuary this Christmas Season. Amy Wadding is working on getting the price & deadline for the Poinsettia (*watch your announcements & the sign-up sheet*). Please make check payable to Lunder Lutheran Church, give to Amy Wadding, and in the memo – Poinsettia.

### SILVER LAKE POINSETTIA ORDERS

If you would like to order a Poinsettia to be used in the Sanctuary this Christmas Season, **sign-up deadline Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup>**. Watch your bulletins for the price of the Poinsettias. Please make your checks to Jeanne Loberg and give to her.

### WINNEBAGO POINSETTIA ORDERS

The Poinsettias will be \$8.00 each. **Sign-up deadline is Sunday, November 29<sup>th</sup>**. Please make your check payable to Winnebago Lutheran Church, turn in to Sandy Lindflott, and in the memo – Poinsettia.

## Advent Series beginning November 29<sup>th</sup> ... "Prepare Ye"

That is what we are called to do in Advent – Prepare for the Lord! We contemplate the many ways we prepare ourselves for the coming of the Christ Child on Christmas, taking cues from the psalms of old and from those whom God chose to play a part in the story of our Lord's birth.

Nov. 29 <sup>th</sup>	Ponder	(Psalm 48:9)
Dec. 6 <sup>th</sup>	Pray	(Psalm 69:13)
Dec. 13 <sup>th</sup>	Praise	(Psalm 30:4)
Dec. 20 <sup>th</sup>	Proclaim	(Psalm 145:6)

Using these themes together - along with Advent resources – calendars, devotions, and Advent wreaths in our homes – we will embrace the Gift of our Lord Jesus Christ.



## EMAIL ADDRESSES

We are emailing the Bulletins & Announcements each week – if you would like to receive these please email Sandy at [sandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org](mailto:sandy@oneinchristlutheranparish.org)!

## lefse fundraiser

To replace the carpet in Bethany's Fellowship Hall

Cost is \$10.00 for 6 Lefse

Can order through mid-December

Call Judy Wonsmos (641-588-3526) or

Becky Martinson (641-588-3345)

## First Time Communion Class Rescheduled

Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup> - Class and bread baking

9:00 am – Noon

First Communion Sunday = December 6<sup>th</sup>

## December "One Voice" Newsletter

We are in need of volunteers to help put the newsletters together – some of those who have helped are no longer able to help. Consider helping in this way.

**We need both walkers & tapers.**

**Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>**

All information needs to be to Sandy.

**Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm**

We will put the One Voice together.

*Any and all help will be appreciated.*



## Bethany...

**Attendance:** 11/8/20: 27

<b>October</b>	Income \$ 3,205.00	Expense \$ 6,032.80
<b>2020 YTD:</b>	Income \$54,367.63	Expense \$50,425.63

## BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

**TODAY** – Following Worship

Agenda: Present & Approve 2021 Parish Budget

## BETHANY COUNCIL MEETING

**TODAY at 6:30 pm**

## Bethany continued ...

### **DECORATE BETHANY FOR CHRISTMAS**

Next Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

at 10:00 am following Worship

The more people to help, the more fun we will have.

All help is GREATLY Appreciated!

Bonnie Rodberg, Altar Guild Chairman



### **Bethany Christmas Eve Worship "Question"**

Scheduled worship time – 6:00 pm

Due to concerns of health and safety – we are considering adding an additional Christmas Eve worship – possibly at 2:00 pm.

Please share your thoughts on this.

Talk to a council members or email Pastor Bill

## Immanuel...

Attendance: 11/8/20: 13

### **Immanuel Finances:**

September Income	\$ 3,668.42	Expense	\$ 4,384.62
2020 YTD Income	\$35,048.41	Expense	\$38,698.22

### **IMMANUEL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

**TODAY** – Following Worship

Agenda: Present & Approve 2021 Parish Budget

### **DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS**

Next Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

following Worship

Come, help, and have fun decorating Immanuel for Christmas



### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to everyone at Immanuel for their dedicated work and time and money working as a small group together to do BIG things. Because of you, my sisters in Christ, we were able to assemble 57 personal care kits, 26 baby care kits, and 56 quilts for Lutheran World Relief. May God bless you!! Also, a great big thanks to Robin and Glaydon for transporting all those boxes to the semi in Mason City. Love, Bonnie Kay

## Lunder...

Attendance: 11/8/20: 5

October Income	\$ 1,670.00	Expense	\$ 3,460.90
Other Income	\$ 30.00		
2020 YTD Income	\$28,138.80	Expense	\$30,291.45
Savings	\$17,087.95		

### **LUNDER CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

**TODAY** – Following Worship

Agenda: Present & Approve 2021 Parish Budget

### **LUNDER COUNCIL MEETING**

Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>

6:30 pm @ Lunder

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM CANCELLED**

Due to the Sunday School Teachers being quarantined it was decided to cancel the Christmas Program and Sunday School until January or February.

### **DECORATE LUNDER FOR CHRISTMAS**

Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup>

The Sunday School will decorate for Christmas!

## Silver Lake...

Attendance: 11/8/20: 12

Offering: 11/8/20: \$925.00

### **SILVER LAKE CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

**TODAY** – Following Worship

Agenda: Present & Approve 2021 Parish Budget

### **Silver Lake Circles**

*Naomi Circle:* Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm at Silver Lake. Hostess is Delores Thorson.



### **DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS**

Sunday, November 29<sup>th</sup>

following Worship

We need your help decorating Silver Lake for Christmas.

*Come, help, and have fun!*

### **AMAZON SMILE**

With the upcoming holidays and shopping I encourage you to shop locally and support our local stores and vendors. If you do find that you are shopping the Amazon holiday sales coming up please remember to use Amazon smile so that our church will benefit. Thanks Kathy Kreuzer



## Winnebago...

Attendance: 11/8/20: 68

**October:** Income \$6,222.12 Expenses \$11,290.59  
General Fund balance \$-4,927.15  
Technology Fund\$ \$ 8,750

### Winnebago Women of the ELCA

Thursday, November 19

1:30 pm at Winnebago

The Officers are Hostesses and will lead Devotions.  
Pastor Bill will lead the Bible Study.

### YOUTH DECORATE WINNEBAGO FOR CHRISTMAS

Next Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

11:30 am at Winnebago

The Winnebago Youth will set up the Christmas Tree and the rest of the Christmas decorations following the Worship Service. We will enjoy lunch together. *Come and enjoy the fun of working together, because we do have fun!*



### 85<sup>th</sup> Birthday Card Shower

For Delores Knudtson

We are having a birthday card shower for our mom, *Delores*, who turns 85 on November

30, 2020. Let's let her know we care, we're thinking of her and wish her a Happy Birthday!! Just send a greeting to:

**Delores Knudtson**

**635 Hwy 9 E. Ste 14**

**Forest City, IA 50436**

It can be encouraging, funny, inspiring or supportive--what matters most is that she'll know how many people are here for her! Thank you from her family--Karen, Kathy, Brenda & Brian

### WINNEBAGO CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Following worship

Agenda: Present/approve 2021 OIC Budget



## WINNEBAGO S.S. CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>

Sunday School - Pre-school thru High School.

The program will be Live-Streamed. The attendance will be limited – 100-120 people with four (4) tickets/seats per Sun. School family **We are planning for the kids to learn and share the program as they have in the past – reading parts, music, costumes, etc. Parents – it is at your discretion whether you are comfortable having them to participate or not.**

## HELP NEEDED!!!

**WHAT:** Church Cleaners – listed below are the tasks still to be accomplished (THANK YOU to those who have already come to clean!)

**WHERE:** Winnebago Lutheran Church – sanctuary, fellowship hall, education unit

**WHO:** ALL abled bodied individuals! No discrimination – gals, guys, and kids all accepted!

**WHEN:** Sometime between today and Sunday, November 22 which is Mission Festival Sunday at Winnebago; come when it's convenient for you; call up others and come at the same time – no worries about social distancing as the church and education unit covers a large area!

**WHY:** Many Hands make Light Work! (Spring Cleaning was never accomplished due to COVID)

**Cleaning Tasks yet to be Accomplished** (Please mark the task off on the master list located on the kiosk in the narthex. HINT: First come receive their first choice of task!)

- 1) Parish Addition  
Hallway/Stairways/Stairwell door
- 2) Each Sunday School Room – *Someone has signed up*
- 3) Church Proper – one item on the list is done
- 4) Upstairs Hallway – *Someone has signed up*
- 5) Choir Room

We appreciate all who are able to put in a little extra time and “elbow grease” to brighten up the Winnebago Church facilities! Thank You!

Bonnie Charlson and Barb Abele, co-chairs of the Cleaning Committee



## Community Events ...



### LAKE MILLS COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING "TO-GO" MEAL

November 26<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Asbury United Methodist Church, Lake Mills

The turkey meal will be prepackaged for curbside pickup to be taken home & enjoyed. Drivers please use North Grant Street to collect your food from the east door.

**People are encouraged to request the number of meals needed by calling 641-592-5742 or 592-3389 by Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup>.**

Please leave a message. Deliveries will be available for those who do not have a driver to pick up the meal(s). Request delivery when ordering your meal.

Monetary or food bank donations will be accepted but are not required. The purpose of this meal is to provide a traditional Thanksgiving meal for individuals or families.

Anyone wishing to help with a meal item or volunteer to assist on Thanksgiving Day, please contact Lynn Lair 592-5742 or Dave Imler 592-3389 for more information. Volunteers will be limited due to COVID-19 distancing and safety considerations.

### FOREST CITY COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING "TO-GO" MEAL

Thurs. November 26<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 am – 12:00 pm  
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Forest City  
25<sup>th</sup> Annual Thanksgiving Meal

There is no cost for this meal but there will be an opportunity for a freewill offering for those who wish to give. Please reserve your meal thru our website at [immanuelfamily.com](http://immanuelfamily.com) or call Immanuel's Church office at 585-3152 by Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup>.

Home deliveries for the homebound are available (in Forest City only) - call Immanuel Church office at 585-3152.



Anyone wishing to donate food items or volunteer to help may call Jaci at 585-3152

### PROJECT HAPPINESS – Albert Lea

Collecting men's underwear & socks for those in need (New & Adult sizes).

Our goal is 300 pairs by December 1<sup>st</sup>.

Each congregation has a box in the narthex.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOOD BANK

Volunteers needed on Mondays 2:00 – 5:00 pm

Taking orders and bagging groceries.

If you wish to make a difference in persons lives as a volunteer at the LM Food Shelf, please phone Rev. Jerry Robertson 641-592-4484.

### SHARE THE JOY - CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKET

Each Christmas LM Area Ministerial Association with the help of an area 4H chapter pack Christmas Food Baskets for area families who are food insecure. The baskets include the makings for a "Festive Meal" and "staple food" items. The baskets are available Monday, December 21<sup>st</sup>. If you wish to donate to the Christmas Food Basket program, you may mail a check made out to the LM Food Shelf and on the memo line "Share the Joy". Gifts may be sent through your church or directly to LM Food Shelf Treasurer, Rev. Jerry E. Robertson, 506 N. Washington St. Lake Mills, IA 50450

### OPERATION CLOTHES FOR KIDS!

11<sup>th</sup> Annual Operation Clothes for Kids

Donations will be distributed throughout the Lake Mills Community School District ages birth to 18..

- ❖ Pick a Christmas Tag (with a child's needs/sizes on it) from one of the following trees: Salem Lutheran Church between office & Chapel, Winnebago Lutheran Church, Word of Faith Dominion Church, Asbury United Methodist Church, Emmons Lutheran Church, Farmers Trust and Savings Bank, Manufactures Bank and Trust, or Uptown Fitness.
- ❖ Both electronic and physical Tags will be available for pick up starting **Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>**. For electronic sign-up URL: [tinyurl.com/LMClothesForKids](http://tinyurl.com/LMClothesForKids). Just in time for all those Black Friday deals!
- ❖ Purchase the items on the child's tag, wrap in one box, attach the original tag to the gift, and deliver/return to the listed locations by **Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>**. Feel free to team up and share costs.
- ❖ This year each child's requests have been divided into two tags. One for clothing and the other for shoes and socks. This is an effort to keep costs affordable for the givers and be able to provide for the child's needs.
- ❖ *Cash donation are accepted at the banks or send to the LMCS Nurse's Office, 102 S 4th Avenue E, Lake Mills, IA 50450. Make checks payable to LMCS Clothes for Kids*

