

JOIN

ADULT EDUCATION - Join us each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. in the Spong Common Room. October 4th – Rebacca Blocksone led a group from the Kansas City Art Institute to Hungry this summer. In addition to the sights and sounds of this country, it is in a political transition after an election that brought new leadership to its citizens. She will share this journey.

FROM BREWS TO PEWS - Please join your Immanuel friends as we move "from pews to brews" at 6:00 on Tuesday, October 20th at the new KC Bier Co. Please note this is the NEW KC Bier Co location at 18030 W 98th St, Lenexa, KS, not the one we've visited previously. They offer a wide selection of German style beers as well and a full dining menu. Lederhosen optional. Hope to see you there.

CROPWALK ON OCTOBER 11 - Lace up your sneakers and join Karen Bame for her 37th HOA CROP Hunger Walk at Country Club Christian Church (6101 Ward Parkway) at 2 pm on October 11. Don't worry, the Chiefs are not playing that Sunday! Want to join the team or contribute? Go to: <https://tinyurl.com/3hhrff4b>



ORGANIST'S NOTES - The two manuals (keyboards) of the organ interact constantly in today's contemplative prelude, as if in conversation. Perhaps we, too, can self-reflect for a moment as a sort of conversation within ourselves. In the hymn the postlude is based on comes the phrase "from death to life," which reminded me of how God in Ezekiel invites us to "turn...and live."

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION - All are welcome to join fellow Immanuel members for coffee the second Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. The next meeting will be on October 13, 2026, at Urban Prairie Coffee at 5606 Johnson Drive, Mission, KS.

EVENTS

Sunday, September 27
8:45 a.m. Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
9:00 a.m. Adult Forum, Spong Common Room
10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary
11:00 a.m. Offering Counters, Parish Office
11:30 a.m. Bells Bach Cantata Rehearsal, Sanctuary
11:30 a.m. Prayer Team Meeting, Prayer Room
3:00 p.m. OA-KC, Gathering Space

Monday, September 28
No events scheduled

Tuesday, September 29
6:30 p.m. Scandinavian Dancers, Luther Hall

Wednesday, September 30
6:00 p.m. Shin Do Ryu Karate, Luther Hall
6:00 p.m. Women's Recovery Network, Gathering Space

Thursday, October 1
7:00 p.m. OA-KC Meeting, Gathering Space
7:00 p.m. Social Ministry Committee, Zoom

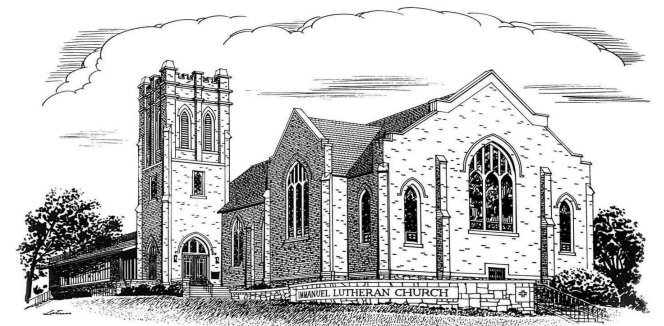
Friday, October 2
No events scheduled

Saturday, October 3
9:30 a.m. Shin Ryu Karate, Luther Hall

Join An Event That's Held Via Zoom
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5143355703>
Meeting ID: 514 335 5703
One tap mobile: +13017158592, 5143355703# US

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WELCOME

WELCOME to worship at Immanuel! If you are looking for a church home, or have questions about Immanuel's life and ministry, please check the brochure in the pew racks, visit Immanuel's website, immanuelkc.org, or contact the church office or the pastor.

WE BELIEVE that God welcomes and loves us all. In turn, we welcome every sinner and seeker of faith — the faithful and not-so-faithful, new Christians and lifelong believers, Lutherans and those from other traditions. We welcome people of every family structure and marital status; every race, culture and ethnicity; every age, and level of physical and mental ability; every sexual orientation and gender identity; every economic status and educational background. **Join us as we grow, share and learn together as God's people.**

CHILDREN OF ALL AGES are welcome in worship. Activity bags are available in the main hallway outside the sanctuary. Please return them after worship.

SUNDAY PARKING is available in the lot immediately west of the building and in the lot one block east, across the street from Rudy's restaurant. A small parking area for people with disabilities is located behind the building; enter it from Genessee St. On-street parking also is available.

CONNECT

HELP US WELCOME AND CARE FOR YOU. To receive prayer and/or pastoral care, complete a prayer request card found in the pew racks. Place the card in the offering plate or give it to an usher.

CONNECT WITH US at www.immanuelkc.org or at www.facebook.com/ImmanuelLutheranChurchKC for updates, news about events and more.

PARTICIPATE VIRTUALLY by visiting our YouTube channel, www.youtube.com/immanuelkansascity. Services in the sanctuary are streamed live every Sunday.

PRAY

MEMBERS OF IMMANUEL

David Allen, Rick Crawford, Andree Cuthbertson, Peggy Dollard, Pat Durie, Steve Swanson, EB Walker

FRIENDS OF IMMANUEL

Erin Baker, family of Jean Nuernberger
Bruce Bell, friend of the Kueker family
Brad and Dortha Carr, family of Karen Bame
Scott Cooper, friend of Immanuel
Lynne Anderson Davies, friend of Immanuel
Karen & Steve Dopson, sister & brother-in-law of Ellen Wilcox
Mike Driggs, friend of Terry and Lori Kueker
Karole Jacobsen, wife of John Jacobsen
Jane Kasten, friend of Deanne Schlehuber
Betty Ladwig, mother of Kate Hauber and Cece Atherton
Sherry Lewis, mother of Tim Northrup
Alan Roberts and Lisa Erickson, as they begin their married life together
Rhonda Shear, friend of Linda Setterburg
Nathan Soren, nephew of Lori Kueker
Cliff Spaeth, friend of Immanuel
Allen Tomlin, uncle of Catie and Andi Tomlin
Cristi Turney, sister of Lori Kueker
The Iranian People

If you would like to add someone to or remove someone from the prayer list, contact the church office. Names will remain on the list for six months unless you indicate otherwise.

Email ImmanuelKCPrayerTeam@gmail.com to request prayer for someone who does not wish to appear on the public list.

GIVE

Offerings to support the ministry we share are always welcome. If you prefer the convenience of giving online, scan the QR code below:



WORSHIP

SERVING September 27

Presiding Minister: Pastor Micah Sievenpiper
Assisting Minister: Jeff Fox
Lay Reader: Jean Nuernberger
Communion Steward: Karen Bame
Acolyte: Ellen Parson
Crucifer: Ingrid Peterson
Altar Committee: Ellen Parson, Ellen Wilcox
Ushers: Marc Winkler, Patti Winkler, Randy Callstrom
Media: Rebecca Blocksome

First reading: Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32
Psalmody: Psalm 25:1-9
Second Reading: Philippians 2:1-13
Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32

SERVING October 4

Presiding Minister: Pastor Micah Sievenpiper
Assisting Minister: Vicki Swanson
Lay Reader: Jeri Yungeberg
Communion Steward: Linda Taylor
Acolyte: Nancy Beckmann
Altar Committee: Beth Callstrom, Heather Winker
Ushers: Milan Hanson, Lori Kueker, Terry Kueker
Media: Rick Wilcox

First reading: Isaiah 5:1-7
Psalmody: Psalm 80:7-15
Second Reading: Philippians 3:4b-14
Gospel: Matthew 21:33-46

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