

# JOIN

**ADULT EDUCATION** - Join us each Sunday at 8:45 a.m. in the Spong Common Room. On August 4th Immanuel's own Evangelism Committee will share the work and opportunities of bringing the great work of our church to the larger community. Join us to hear and share the new emphasis on signage, landscaping, hospitality and more.

**AN AFTERNOON OF 20th CENTURY ART SONG** - Sunday, August 4th at 2:00 pm join us for a free concert of works by Rodrigo, Poulenc, Boulanger, Larsen and Hoiby at the Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral. This concert is part of the Summer Music at the Cathedrals series.

### **Voices of Arrow Rock: Consummate Showman** -

Join us on August 16, at 6:30 p.m. for a night of education and entertainment! Using art to explore history, the Voices of Arrow Rock project is a readers theater series aimed at bringing to life some of the lesser-known citizens of Arrow Rock, Missouri, a living history museum and national historic landmark. The sixth entry in this series, Consummate Showman is coming to Kansas City on August 16, telling the story of Doc Brown, a man born into slavery c. 1835 and rose to national prominence as a performer following his emancipation. This event will include a performance in the style of Doc Brown's era following a presentation exploring how personal narrative can acknowledge racial injustice, work to eliminate it, and create empathetic understanding by introducing a Moral Map and Growth Continuum. A free-will offering will be taken for admission.

Location: Community Christian Church, 4601 Main Street, Kansas City, MO

**HELP WANTED** - Have some home owner skills and a heart for service? The property committee could use your assistance with simple projects around the church, and with oversight for larger projects. If you'd like to lend a hand with things like changing light bulbs, changing HVAC filters, painting or very simple repairs, send an email to Terry Kueker at [tkeek@aol.com](mailto:tkeek@aol.com). Or, if you're not much of a handyman but have excellent project management skills and would like to take on those tasks for the committee, also email him at [tkeek@aol.com](mailto:tkeek@aol.com).

**SUMMER GIVING** - Going on vacation? Please consider adding your Immanuel offering to your pre-vacation checklist. Maybe you want to pay ahead on your offering the week before. Or you might choose Tithe.ly, our online giving platform. You can make a one-time offering, or set up weekly, biweekly or monthly automatic payments. To visit the Tithe.ly giving page, click on the "Give online" button on the Immanuel home page, or scan the QR code below.



# EVENTS

### **Sunday, July 28**

8:45 a.m. Adult Forum, Spong Common Room  
10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. Fellowship and refreshments, Luther Hall  
11:30 a.m. Mutual Ministry, Gathering Space  
1:00 p.m. Blauteler Rehearsal, Luther Hall  
3:00 p.m. OA-KC Meeting, Gathering Space

### **Monday, July 29**

*No events scheduled*

### **Tuesday, July 30**

6:00 p.m. Scandinavian Dancers, Luther Hall

### **Wednesday, July 31**

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

### **Thursday, August 1**

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

### **Friday, August 2**

*No events scheduled*

### **Saturday, August 3**

9:30 a.m. Shin Do Ryu Karate, Luther Hall

### **Join An Event That's Held Via Zoom**

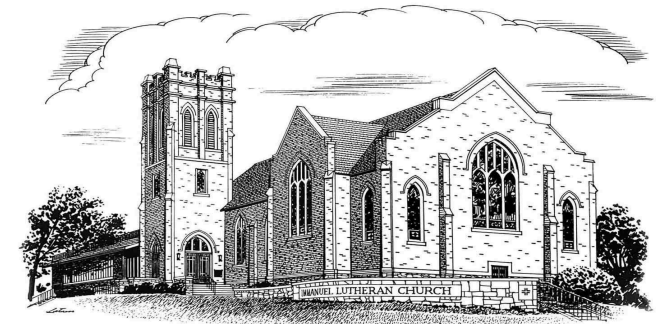
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### **Immanuel Lutheran Church**

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**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**

# 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](http://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 Bell St. or Genesee St. On-street parking also is available.

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# 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](http://www.immanuelkc.org) or at [www.facebook.com/ImmanuelLutheranChurchKC](https://www.facebook.com/ImmanuelLutheranChurchKC) for updates, news about events and more.

**PARTICIPATE VIRTUALLY** by visiting our YouTube channel, [www.youtube.com/immanuelkansascity](https://www.youtube.com/immanuelkansascity). Services in the sanctuary are streamed live every Sunday.

# PRAY

Please include both members and friends in your daily prayers.

## MEMBERS OF IMMANUEL

Rick Crawford, Andree Cuthbertson, Pat Durie, Bob Hyland, Naomi Karmerier, Betty Pera, Deanne Schlehuger, Suzanne Steffen, EB Walker, Carolyn Wilson.

## FRIENDS OF IMMANUEL

**Erin Baker**, family of Jean Nuernberger  
**Milia Brally**, daughter-in-law of Rosie Brally  
**Cristina Cabrera Burns**, friend of Melodee Blobaum  
**Lynne Anderson Davies**, friend of Immanuel  
**Richard Dryg**, brother of Connie Benolkin  
**Normajeane Holtje**, cousin of Mike Ortmann  
**Ginger Hudson**, mother of Tori Friedrich  
**Susan Knebel**, sister-in-law of Beth Callstrom  
**Betty Ladwig**, mother of Kate Hauber and Cece Atherton  
**Mildred Peterson**, family of Jean Nuernberger  
**Jim Reuter**, cousin of Mike Ortmann  
**Ann Rundquist**, friend of Immanuel  
**Adam Walsh and Chris**, friends of Linda Setterburg  
**Arnold Wuertz**, father of Linda Taylor  
**Nicolas Wuertz**, nephew of Linda Taylor  
**Leann Zimmerman**, friend of Melodee Blobaum

If you are sending a prayer request, the most efficient way to do that is to send your request to [office@immanuelkc.org](mailto:office@immanuelkc.org) or call the church office. To let us know of some other need, you may email [office@Immanuelkc.org](mailto:office@Immanuelkc.org) or call the church at [816-931-8483](tel:816-931-8483). Names remain on the Immanuel Prayer List for six months unless you indicate otherwise.

# WORSHIP

## SERVING July 28

**Presiding Minister:** Pastor Micah Sievenpiper  
**Assisting Minister:** Vicki Swanson  
**Lay Reader:** Jerri Yungeberg  
**Communion Steward:** Linda Taylor  
**Crucifer:** BJ Laven  
**Altar Committee:** Bonnie Thomas, Ellen Wilcox  
**Ushers:** Marc Winkler, Patti Winkler, Randy Callstrom  
**Media Team:** Rebecca Blocksome

**First reading:** 2 Kings 4:42-44  
**Psalmody:** Psalm 145:10-18  
**Second Reading:** Ephesians 3:14-21  
**Gospel:** John 6:1-21

## SERVING August 4

**Presiding Minister:** Pastor Micah Sievenpiper  
**Assisting Minister:** Linda Taylor  
**Lay Reader:** Linda Fox  
**Communion Steward:** Kathy Linder  
**Crucifer:** Ingrid Peterson  
**Altar Committee:** Melodee Blobaum, Ingrid Peterson  
**Ushers:** Lori Kueker, Terry Kueker  
**Media Team:** Rick Wilcox

**First reading:** Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15  
**Psalmody:** Psalm 78:23-29  
**Second Reading:** Ephesians 4:1-16  
**Gospel:** John 6:24-35

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## STAFF

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