



*Love. Serve. Repeat.*

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Weekly Newsletter

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE - Sundays at 9:30 AM

HOLY COMMUNION - 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays, Festivals

**WELCOME** in the name of Jesus!

**VISITORS!** Please use a card from the pew rack to register your presence. It may be placed into an offering plate or given directly to our pastor, who will want to greet you personally. We also invite you also to sign our permanent guest register in the narthex. **We want you to feel very welcome**, and to come again!

**COFFEE AND** – Please join us after the service for some fellowship, coffee and... Sign-up sheet to provide treats is on the upstairs kitchen door. Our thanks to **Lynn Zillmer** for the refreshments this morning!

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** were provided by Terry Kainz in remembrance of his wife, Rose Mary's Birthday.

**A CHRISTMAS POTLUCK will be held on Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>** after the Worship Service. Please sign up in the Narthex and join us with your favorite dish to share. It will be a wonderful time of festive fellowship and good food!

**BIBLE STUDY** is at 10:45 each Sunday after Worship. No experience is needed, and all are welcome!

**WORSHIP ANEW BROADCASTING** is on in our area. It is available on NWNSD (Xfinity ch 223 Sunday @ 5:00am), and WPWRD (Xfinity ch 184 Sunday @ 8:00am) and WPWR 50 (My TV) Sundays @ 5:00 am. and 8:00 am.

**SURGE**, our youth group for ages 4-15, meets **tonight** from 5 – 7 P.M. Games, crafts, a meal, Christ-centered learning, including instruction for Confirmation. Friends are welcome! See Pastor Bauman or call the office for more information.

**ADVENT MIDWEEK SERVICES** - will take place on Wednesdays December 6<sup>th</sup>, December 13<sup>th</sup> and December 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. Please make plans to come and prepare your hearts for the best gift, Jesus Christ!

**WE WILL BE PARTICIPATING AGAIN** in the Hanover Township Adopt a Family program for Christmas 2023 along with gifts for some of our Senior Friends at the Oaks. We will also do a collection for our animal friends at Andersen Animal Shelter. Starting next week, the Christmas Tree board with our friends wishes and a box for the animal shelter will be in the Narthex. It is a blessing to help those around us!

## CALENDAR

Today: 9:30 A.M. – Service with Holy Communion

After Service – Coffee-And...

10:45 A.M. – Bible Study

5:00 P.M. -- Surge

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M. – Thanksgiving Eve Holy Communion

Thursday: all day – Thanksgiving Day (Office Closed)

Saturday: 8:00 A.M. – Board of Church Properties

Next Sunday: 9:30 A.M. – Service of the Word

After Service – Coffee-And...

10:45 A.M. – Bible Study



### SERVING TODAY

*Pastor:* Rev. James Bauman  
*Reader:* Sally Hover  
*Organist:* Carrie Albrecht-Kuehm  
*Lay Ministers:* Al Thilk &  
Marty Sterrett

### SERVING THANKSGIVING EVE

*Pastor:* Rev. James Bauman  
*Reader:* David Schroeder  
*Organist:* Linda Raley  
*Lay Ministers:* David Schroeder &  
Marty Sterrett  
*Duet:* Adele Pikora and Rod Damer

### SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

*Pastor:* Rev. James Bauman  
*Lay Minister & Reader:* David Schroeder  
*Organist:* Linda Raley



## **PRAYER LIST**

Birthdays – Jake Franzen

Sister Church – Trinity Lutheran Church, Roselle, IL

Members – Bill Bayes, Eileen Havelka, Carol Tresnak, Larry Pikora, Evelyn Slaght, Dave Schroeder (thanksgiving for successful surgery)

Family & Friends – Cyrus, Solomon & John Bhatti – sons of Sunil and Jessica, Najum Bhatti – uncle of Sunil Bhatti, Barbara Gardner – sister of Carol Tresnak, Janice Benson – mother of Gayle Sterrett, Delores Roti – Bible Class member, Peter Phillips – English friend of Pastor Bauman, Kristopher Harper – Cathy Sorenson's grandson, Roy and Marlene Damer - parents of Adele Pikora, Gretchen Hays - wife of Pastor Jerry Hays, Carol DiDominicif & her mother Marylou – friends of Kristin Crager, Lee Burns – sister of Melody Manka, Sandy Lesniak – sister-in-law to Terry Kainz, Rev. David Walker – guest Pastor of Immanuel, Donna Dean – Aunt of Kristin Crager, Charles Landwer – Acolyte, Kathie and Bob Brown – former members, Dan and Kathy Vanderwall and Jim Cooper – members of Prince of Peace, Palatine, Claire Christiansen – granddaughter of Jan and Steve Christiansen, Steve and Roxanne Bagnuk - Larry Pikora's sister and brother-in-law