



**Orphan Grain Train  
To Immanuel Lutheran Church,**

Thank you very much for your generous contribution of \$1,672.17 received on June 21 to Orphan Grain Train, Inc. to be used where it is needed most in the New England branch.

*Peace in Christ,  
Brenda Bacon, Treasurer*

**BABY BOTTLE DRIVE**



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the **Baby Bottle Fundraiser**. Through your generous donations, Immanuel has raised \$1,300 to support the Crisis Pregnancy Center (CPC) in Unionville. CPC will be available to *support women in crisis pregnancies* by providing emotional support and practical assistance.

Reminder: **Orphan Grain Train** drop off location is in the church hallway near the bulletin board. There is also a list of items needed.

*Thank you to everyone who has already donated items.*

**Scholarship presentations will be on Sunday, August 9th during our Divine Service.**

Please check out the door to the church offices.

This past week we received a letter from “Meals For The Needy” looking for help. The group Stitching for Shelters & Interfaith Stitchers is in need of supplies and talent.

We also received a letter from Crisis Pregnancy Center, of Unionville.

Thank you,  
Dee



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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline for Sunday Bulletin is Wednesdays at noon.

Immanuel Lutheran Church—Bristol, Connecticut

July 26, 2015

*Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*

## Vacation Bible School



would like to extend a huge **THANK YOU** to everyone who made this awesome week possible. From July 13-17, we were able to share God's Mighty Power with 35 wonderful students. None of this would have happened without the help and support of Immanuel Lutheran Church; from the many people who gave us donations, to our volunteers who came out every morning to lead and teach the children. We feel so blessed to

be able to say we made it through another successful year, and we would like to thank everyone again for all their help!

God Bless,  
The VBS Staff



## Photo Session Hosts

Volunteers are needed to serve as hosts during the Church Photo Directory photo sessions taking place in the Parish Center. Photo sessions are August 11-12 and September 8-9 from 1:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Hosts cover a 2 hour shift to greet the members coming in for their photos and to record the information for the photo shoot.

Please stop by the sign-up table for more information and to volunteer your time. Thank you!



## Church Photo Directory Online Sign-up

Members may schedule an appointment for their photo online by going to the Immanuel Lutheran Church website at [www.ilcs.org](http://www.ilcs.org). Look for the link, **Portrait Sign Up**. Click on the link to go to the Lifetouch website and follow the instructions to schedule your appointment.

Note: you will not be able to schedule an appointment from 5:00 p.m. on Saturday through midnight on Sunday.

Please check out the new series of "What about...Tracts" outside the church office.

### German Festival

*Hello everyone,*

*Two months to go and we really need to meet to go over checklist items for each group. We are going to have a meeting at 7:00pm on Thursday, July 30, 2015 in the library. Please make every effort to be there.*

*Have a great day!*

*Jason*



**Voter's meeting Monday, July 27 at 7pm**, in the church sanctuary.

Copies of the voter's packet available today in the foyer.

### PROBLEM with Thimble Island Daytrip on Aug. 27

The Bristol Senior Center has announced there is considerable walking involved and that **NO WALKERS OR WHEELCHAIRS** will be allowed on the Thimble Island trip; canes are okay. Refunds will be given for cancellations. More tickets are now available due to cancellations. Call June at the Senior Center or Carol Maron at 860-582-9608 for more info.

### A Special Note of Thanks!



*Judy and I would like to thank all of you who once again came out to support the Pastor Bridges/Aszklar Tournament. It was a wonderful weekend. Whether you worked in the kitchen, played basketball, donated an item, we so appreciate your help and support.*

*We raised \$2,200! All of the proceeds go directly to scholarships! What a blessing!*

*Thank you again, and God Bless you, Judy and Mary*

Stop by the **Archives Showcase** to see the latest display featuring

**"The History of Immanuel's Vicarage Program".**

Come and see what was happening from 1920 to 1991. See the diverse places and backgrounds they came from. Some vicars had to perform duties above and beyond the call of duty.

Roberta Kuhr, our Parish Nurse, will be unavailable for visits from Today to July 31 and also from August 17 to September 4. If you need to reach Roberta you can leave a message on her home phone at 860-621-0230 or contact the church office.



*Thank you, Dee*

### German Festival Booth Application Forms

Any **Immanuel Lutheran Church** group (i.e. PTO, Young-At-Heart, Cub Scouts, Youth group, etc.) may reserve a booth at the German Festival on September 19 at no charge, but an *application form must be submitted.*

Anyone else interested please submit an application.

Forms are available in the church office.

### Prayerfully consider...

**Immanuel Lutheran church** is currently in need of a Sunday School superintendent and a teacher for grades 3-5 beginning in the fall of 2015. Mrs. Karner's health has made it difficult for her to continue in this role. Duties include;

1. ordering and distributing materials to other teachers
2. teaching class each Sunday based upon easy-to-implement teacher and student materials.

If you have questions, or are interested, call Maggie at 765-748-7743.



### Immanuel Lutheran School OPEN ENROLLMENT

for the

**2015-2016 School Year!**

(Application for Enrollment forms are available in the school office.)

**Full-Day 4-Year-Old Preschool will be available for the  
2015-2016 School Year!**

Please call the office with any questions you may have (860-583-5631). Forms are also available on the school web site:

*ilcsschool.org*