

## Announcements June 14th, 2026

The Second Sunday after Trinity

### Immanuel Lutheran Church—Bristol, Connecticut

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### STEWARDSHIP BIBLE VERSE FOR JUNE 14TH, 2026

**Luke 14:19** – “And another said, ‘I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to examine them. Please have me excused.’” The things of this world tempt us to cast aside the things of God. The things of this world demand our attention, time, finances, etc. But Jesus invites us to the feast — what could be more important than this gracious invitation? Today’s parable invites us to examine our own priorities and excuses, and then come home in humble repentance to the Lord who invites us.

### ***SERVING YOU IN MAY***

**Ushers:** Team 9

*Andrew Helming*

*Rudy Jabs*

*William Jabs*

*Benjamin Jabs*

Team 10

*David Kisser*

*Andrew Follo*

*Dean Buden*

Team C (Wednesday)

*Don Smuda*

*Michael Krampitz*

By this we know love, that he  
laid down his life for us,  
and we ought to lay down our  
lives for the brothers.

1 John 3:16

Thank you for attending Immanuel Lutheran Church! Have a  
blessed and great rest of your week!

**Altar Guild:** RoseMarie Pavlik    Beth Houle    Elizabeth Houle

## *Last Week*

### **WEDNESDAY ATTENDANCE**

10:45 – 22      HC - 20

### **SUNDAY ATTENDANCE**

9:00 - 135      HC - 122

### **CONTRIBUTIONS**

\$6,935.00

### **FLAG DAY SUNDAY 6/14**

9:00      Divine Service/Holy Communion/Live Streaming

10:15      Fellowship Coffee Hour – Church Lobby

10:30      Adult Bible Study – Sanctuary

### **MONDAY 6/15**

1:00      Immanuel Card Players - Parish Center

### **TUESDAY 6/16**

9:30      Feed the Need Walk & Talk - Parish Center

12:00      Women's Bible Study – Parish Center

6:30      BOCE Meeting – Teacher's Lounge

7:00      Foundation Meeting – Church Office Conference Room

### **WEDNESDAY 6/17**

10:45      Divine Service/Holy Communion

### **THURSDAY 6/18**

1:00      Quilting Group - Parish Center

6:00      VBS Meeting – Parish Center

7:00      Council Meeting – Sanctuary

### **FRIDAY 6/19**

No Church Activities

### **SATURDAY 6/20**

6:30      Candlelight Concerts – Sanctuary

9:00      Candlelight Concerts - Sanctuary

### **FATHER'S DAY SUNDAY 6/21**

9:00      Divine Service/Holy Communion/Live Streaming

10:15      Fellowship Coffee - OSB

10:30      Adult Bible Study – OSB



### ☀️ Vacation Bible School 2026 ☀️

Join us for a week of faith, fun, and learning!

- **Dates:** July 6th – 10th
- **Time:** 9:00 am – 12:30 pm
- **Ages:** Pre-K (potty trained) through 6th Grade
- **Cost:** Completely FREE!

**Registration:** <https://www.myvbs.org/immanuel-lutheran-vbs-2026>

**Volunteer Opportunities:** We are accepting Donations! Please check the "Billboard Frog Tree" next to the Christian Mart.

#### **Our Team:**

- **Registration:** Beth Mazzaccaro & Michele Tavernier
- **Music:** Dave Kisser & George Tavernier
- **Arts & Crafts:** Christy Hislop, Laura B., & Mikaela Bennett
- **Imagination Station:** Lorene & Kylie Berrien
- **Games:** Will & Ben Jabs
- **Treats:** Pam Prindle & Cordie Behrendt



*Please keep our VBS in your prayers as we help kids grow in their relationship with Jesus!*

Calling all youth in **5th grade through college!**


Join us for an evening of bowling, pizza, soda, and great fellowship as we spend time together and build friendships.

 **Spare Time Bowling**  
Farmington Avenue, Bristol



 **Tuesday, July 14**  
 **6:00 PM**

Good news! Youth ages **15 and under bowl FREE all summer**, and the church will cover the bowling costs for older youth, as well as pizza and soda for everyone. We would love to have you join us for a fun night of fellowship and friendly competition!

 Please contact **Christy Hislop** at **860-681-9165** to sign up by **July 6**.

We hope to see you there for a great evening of fun and connection with other youth!

**Bring a friend and come ready to have a great time!** 

## Remember in Prayer:



### The Sick:

**Susan Revoir**  
**Ana & Holly Warner**  
**Kim Wilson**  
**Lorayne Beinke**  
**Joyce Marion**  
**Sheila**  
Friend of Lorayne Beinke  
**Oskar Fernandez**  
Friend of Foley's  
**Judith Dojan**  
**Danny Grekula**  
Nephew of Rod Grekula  
**Kelsey**  
**Dianna**  
**Bev Zahnke**  
**John Carrara**  
Brother of Mary Syliva  
**Marcia Massaro**

**Maggie Theriault**  
**Marc Bowen**  
**Deanna Lau**  
Friend of Cordelia  
**Erica Stone**  
Daught of Norman & Marilyn Stone  
**Marilyn Miller**  
**Don Kalwat**  
**Elizabeth & Ethan Hill**  
**Ron Helming**  
**Catherine Schilling**  
**Maureen Finaldi**  
Friend of Gladys Lagace  
**Roberta Kuhr**  
**Bruce Johnston**  
Brother-in-law of Becky Runk  
**Melanie Ellsworth**  
**Mary O'Brien**  
Friend of Leslie Foley

Please pray for **The Family of Sal Buonaede** on the passing of his sister **MaryJane Renock**.

Please pray for **The Family of Christy Hislop** on the passing of her mother **Wilma Bloom**.

Please Pray for our school nurse, **Leila Pesce and Family**.

Please let the office know if we can remove an individual's name from the prayer list.



*Today's 9:00 am Service will be live on **Facebook**.*

Our Sunday service is broadcast each Sunday at 1:00 P.M. on WNTY **AM 990, FM 96.1**, and online at [KoolOldiesRadio.net](http://KoolOldiesRadio.net)

**Our 9 am Services are on TV Sundays 3:30 am, 3:30 pm, and Wednesdays 8 am**  
XFINITY Customers Channel 5 on 1070, 95 on 1090, or 96 on 1084.....Frontier Customers Channel 6060, 6061, or 6062

Online at - [www.nutmegtv.com](http://www.nutmegtv.com) .....Please note these services are recorded and are from the previous week.



Women's Bible Study  
Tuesday, June 16th at noon.



**Announcement's Deadline for Sunday Bulletin is Wednesday at noon. Please send articles and updates to Cassandra at [cplaza@ilcs.org](mailto:cplaza@ilcs.org).**

## MEMORIALS and THANK OFFERINGS

No Memorial or Thank Offerings this week.

## Milestone Birthdays in our Congregation in June

Richard Lutz	6/06	Pamela Mockler	6/12
Lois Koch	6/07	Bev Zahnke	06/18
Ruth Stewart	6/08	Henry Kuharski Jr.	06/23
Claudia Bishop	6/09	Connie Glidden	06/29



Please join us *after the service* for Coffee, Tea, Juice, Cake and Fellowship in the (OSB) Original School

***Today's coffee hour donations will be given to our Women of Immanuel group.***



To all the special **Care Givers** who work tirelessly each and every day.



*Today's altar flowers were donated by the Altar Guild through the generous donations to the flower fund.*



When returning hymnals to the pew racks, please place them with the binding down. When the books are placed binding up, it puts a strain on the binding and shortens the life of the book. Thank you



Our Infant program is growing! We are seeking an Infant lead teacher. Please inquire with: Early Childhood Director Susan Schneider at [sschneider@ilcs.org](mailto:sschneider@ilcs.org) or Principal, Debbie



Krueger at [dkrueger@ilcs.org](mailto:dkrueger@ilcs.org)

This past **Mother's Day**, we launched our annual **Baby Bottle project!** Bottles are available now while supplies last—you can pick one up in the church office or the lobby.

Every gift, whether loose change, bills, or a check, provides vital hope and support to local families. Please return your filled bottles before **Father's Day**.

Thank you for sharing your blessings with our community!

### Appalachia School Supply Drive: June & July

This summer, we are collecting school supplies to support students in Appalachia. As the school year wraps up, it's the perfect time to clear out the old and clear a path for another student's future!

#### Items Needed:

- 1-subject notebooks
- Pencils & pens
- Erasers
- Boxes of 24-count Crayola crayons
- New or gently used backpacks (*consider donating your child's backpack at the end of the school year!*)

*Smart Shopping Tip:* Many of these items can be purchased in bulk on Amazon for great prices. Thank you for your generosity!

Dear **Church Family**, please be advised that our administrative offices will be closed on **June 19th** in observance of the holiday. We apologize for any inconvenience.

### Record of Fellowship

As we gather for worship, please take a moment to fill out the Record of Fellowship located next to the *Lutheran Service Book*. These records assist us in monitoring attendance and caring for the members of our congregation.