

Announcements June 7th, 2026

The First Sunday after Trinity

Immanuel Lutheran Church—Bristol, Connecticut

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STEWARDSHIP BIBLE VERSE FOR JUNE 7TH, 2026

Luke 16:19 – “There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day.” There is another rich man in this story — Abraham. Obviously, these two men used the gift of riches that God gave them in very different ways. The life and decisions of Abraham flowed from faith; the rich man’s life and decisions flowed from disbelief and self-centeredness. Abraham’s kindness and generosity reflected his trust in a kind and generous God. And the rich man...well, you saw what happened to him and what god he served.

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

In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

1 John 4:10

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 –20 HC -19

SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

9:00 - 130 HC - 116

CONTRIBUTIONS

\$9,539.09

SUNDAY 6/7

9:00 Divine Service/Holy Communion/Live Streaming

SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING – Sanctuary

10:15 Fellowship Coffee

10:30 Adult Bible Study

MONDAY 6/8

1:00 Immanuel Card Players - Parish Center

7:00 Proverbs Women's Bible Study – Parish Center

TUESDAY 6/9

9:30 Walk & Talk - Parish Center

12:30 Lunch at BARC - BARC

7:00 German Festival Meeting – Parish Center

WEDNESDAY 6/10

10:45 Divine Service/Holy Communion

7:00 Board of Finance – Teacher's Lounge

THURSDAY 6/11

1:00 Quilting Group - Parish Center

6:30 8th Grade Graduation - Sanctuary

FRIDAY 6/12

8:30 ILS K-8 Chapel - Chapel

10:00 PK & K Graduation- Gym

6:15 Setup Quilt Guild – OSB/Kitchen

6:30 BBT Quilters – OSB/Kitchen

SATURDAY 6/13

10:00 Women of Immanuel Summer Potluck – OSB/Kitchen

FLAG DAY SUNDAY 6/14

9:00 Divine Service/Holy Communion/Live Streaming

10:15 Fellowship Coffee

10:30 Adult Bible Study



☀️ 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!

German Festival Committee Meeting

Our next German Fest Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 9 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center. If you're not currently on the committee, or just want to learn more, this is a great opportunity to get involved. We're always glad to welcome new ideas and helping hands as we plan this year's festival.

Women of Immanuel

Annual Potluck Luncheon will be held on Saturday, June 13 at 10 am in the OSB. We invite all women of Immanuel to attend. Bring a friend and your favorite dish.
- Claudia Bishop



SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING, SCHEDULED TODAY, SUNDAY JUNE 7TH, FOLLOWING DIVINE SERVICE IN THE CHURCH

SANCTUARY.

NOTE: CALLING A DIRECTOR OF PARISH MUSIC



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

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.

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
Mary O'Brien
Friend of Leslie Foley

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
Wilma Bloom

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

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

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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

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.comPlease note these services are recorded and are from the previous week.



Announcement's Deadline for Sunday Bulletin is Wednesday at noon. Please send articles and updates to Cassandra at cplaza@ilcs.org.

MEMORIALS and THANK OFFERINGS

Given in loving memory of Rev. H. Lane Bridges
From The Milano Family
For Tuition Assistance

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 Immanuel Lutheran School's PTO.



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



Today's altar flowers were given in Memory of Johanna and Albert Blank by Jim and Claudia Bishop.



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



Krueger at 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!

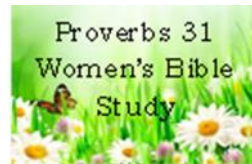
Appalachia School Supply Drive: June & July

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!



JOIN US JUNE 8TH, 2026, FOR WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY. WE WILL BE LOCATED IN THE PARISH CENTER. BIBLE STUDY WILL START AT 7PM. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

The Value of a Lutheran School Education

Immanuel Lutheran School has been in operation for over 100 years. This is not by accident. The Lord continues to bless our ministry by coming up with creative ways to keep the School funded. First and foremost, this is one of the primary missions of Immanuel Lutheran Church. When our ancestors settled in Bristol many years ago, they wanted their children to grow up with the customs and values that they brought with them from Europe. This included speaking the German language and practicing our Lutheran religion. Though things have changed over the last several decades, there is one thing that remains...God. God is ever-present in our School and permeates everything that we teach. Our Teachers and Administrators come to School every day spreading the good word and teaching and loving our children. Over the next several years our focus is to bring the Church-School connection back. We want to see our School families active in our Church, and we want to see our Church families sending their children to our School. If you are a member of our Church and have children or grandchildren that are school age, look into our School and all that we offer. The blessings that they receive from a God centered education will be present with them all of their lives.

Jason Krueger

Congregation President



**CANDLELIGHT
STRING QUARTET**

**CANDLELIGHT CONCERT:
STRING QUARTET**

JUNE 20TH

**FIRST PERFORMANCE
6:30 PM
90's Unplugged**

**SECOND PERFORMANCE
9:00 PM
The Soundtrack of the 60's**

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

DURATION: Approx. 60 Min

ARRIVAL: Doors open 45 min prior. Please arrive promptly as entry is not permitted once the doors are closed.

TICKETS & VENUE: Exclusively at [candlelightexperience.com]. Choose **HARTFORD COUNTY**, then browse to find your desired venue.

AGE: 8+ Years. 16 and under with an adult.

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
154 MEADOW STREET, BRISTOL, CT 06010**

**CANDLELIGHT
EXPERIENCE**


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! 

Church Members,

Just a friendly reminder that there will be **no Youth Sunday School during the summer months of June, July, or August.**

The Board of Trustees is asking our Members to make us aware of any maintenance issues you notice. Please fill out this form and leave it in the Board of Trustees mailbox in the office.

Thank you.

MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR REQUEST

DATE: _____

LOCATION & BRIEF DESCRIPTION: _____

REQUESTED BY: _____