IMMANUEL MINISTRIES Contact Persons

IN

Staff: Kurt Van Noord Leadership Team: April Woudstra Sunday School: Abby Schemper Small Groups: Pastor Kevin Funeral Team: Leah Schoonhoven Beverage Coordinator: Sharon Holz Cookie Coordinator: April Woudstra Library: Sue Meyers

UP

Staff: Shonna Wassenaar Leadership Team: Tom Wibben Worship: Pastor Kevin Muyskens Communion: Tom Wibben Sound: Klint Tatsumi Head Greeter: Vacant Children & Worship: Rachel Rosenboom Decorations: Jaiden Tebben Nursery: Jessica Gesink Choir: Jack Schreurs Prayer Ministry: Lee & Arlene Scholten

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Elders

Lyle Hoekstra (A) Steve Geels, VP (B) Brad Kraayenbrink (C) Matt Hanenburg (D) Ray Hernandez, Youth Elder Tom Wibben, Clerk

Household of Faith Ministry Partners

Group A: Deb (Bart) Peters Group B: Roz Geels Group C: Gail Anderson Group D: Sandy Muyskens

OUT

Staff: Kurt Van Noord Leadership Team: Jackie Freese GEMS: Melissa Wiersma Cadets: Jevon Klyn, Tyler Schemper Youth Group: Kurt & Jen Van Noord Klint & Raeanne Tatsumi Cliff & Sherri Bootsma Love INC Personal Supplies Closet: Teresa Hoekstra

OTHER

Deacons

Brian Wieringa, VP (A)

Tyler Woudstra (D)

Cobi Jones,

Shawn Wassenaar, Pres (B)

Lorna Kraayenbrink, Secretary (C)

Leadership Team Secretary

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PASTOR KEVIN MUYSKENS February 2, 2025

Morning Worship: When a person follows Jesus, their identity is immediately changed. We go from being estranged foreigners to being beloved children. We need to learn to live into this new identity, but our identities are changed. Part of living into the identity is to recognize the gifts and skills that God has given us and put them to use serving other people. God gives gifts to his children for them to use in blessing other children of God and in giving the world the shape of Kingdom of God.

Evening Worship: This evening we return to our study of the sermon to the Hebrews. The pastor encourages his flock from which he is separated to move on from the basic teaching of salvation and to produce "the things that accompany salvation." They are to move on from milk to solid meat which includes living out their faith by loving God and helping God's people.

Announcements

Youth Group (9th – 12th grade) will meet <u>Wednesday, February 5</u> at 7:15 p.m. at Living Water Church. Please bring your Bible, I AM A DISCIPLE book, and please make sure you have your spiritual gift assessment from day 4 completed. Friends are always welcome.

Youth Group Snacks: If you are willing to provide snacks and drinks for their upcoming Wednesday night meetings, please sign up for a date on the Connections table.

I Am a Disciple: Thank you to all who responded for your input in answering survey questions. The Leadership Team has gained valuable insight and will be using that input as we craft Immanuel's goals and ministry plan for the 2025-26 ministry year.

Community Service of Christian Unity: Next Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. the churches of Sheldon will gather at Crossroads Pavillion Event Center for our annual service of Christian Unity. A community choir will provide music leadership. You are still welcome to join them as they practice today at 1:30 p.m. at the Pavillion.

Love INC Volunteer Needs:

- Personal Supply Closet @ Immanuel is looking for individuals who could serve on a rotating basis. The closet has scheduled hours to be open for Love INC clients to use vouchers earned from classes. Hours are twice per month on Thursday evenings from 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. A new schedule is made quarterly. Please contact Teresa Hoekstra (348-3974) if you are interested or would like to know more.
- Love INC Childcare: Research shows that a caring adult can change the path for kids that are struggling, just by being present! Love INC's Life Together program is looking for volunteers to hang out with children ages 0-12 while their parents take life skills classes. Could you serve for approximately 1 1/2 hours, once a month? The time is 6:20-7:40 on Thursday evenings. Serve based on your availability! All childcare volunteers are subject to a background check. Contact Love INC for more information (712-324-9707).

Save the Date: CES Action Auction will be <u>Wednesday, March 26</u>! Start thinking about "actions" to donate.

Brothers in Blue 2025: Men, you have the opportunity to serve with others in this ministry to inmates inside the walls of the South Dakota State Penitentiary. Many of the inmates are hungry to experience God's love and peace in prison. See how those behind the walls minister to each other also. There are five ministry weekends throughout 2025. For more info, talk to Tom Schemper (324-1015) or Brad Kraayenbrink (712-635-7753).

PRAYER PRAISES & CONCERNS

Deanna Wood had surgery to remove a benign tumor on Tuesday. Surgery went well and she was able to return home the same day. Pray that her recovery continues in a timely manner without complications.

Pastor Kevin, Shonna, and Larry & Sue Meyers will be traveling to Grand Rapids on Tuesday to attend the Calvin Worship Symposium. Pray for traveling mercies and that this conference may bring new insights into worship that will be a blessing to them and to Immanuel. Jill Schemper will be covering secretarial duties this week.

Offering Schedule:

Today:	AM: Christian Education Society
	PM: Alpha Center
Feb 9:	AM: Love INC
	PM: No evening service

Greeters:

Today:	Main Door – Don Beltman Fellowship Hall Door – Scott Schmidt Welcome Table – Karl & Carol Dryfhout
Feb 9:	Main Door – Dan Wiersma Fellowship Hall Door – Ray Hernandez Welcome Table – Cliff & Sherri Bootsma
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	nursing moms)
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Today:	
	Guitars: Dan Robinson, Ray Hernandez
	Drums: Janet Pan
	Pianist: Jill Schemper
Feb 9:	Nate Muyskens, Samantha Jones, Addison Jacobsma Pianist: Trey Schemper

Audio:	Video:	PowerPoint:
Today: Klint	Today: Hallie	Today: Addison
Feb 9: Adam	Feb 9: Micah	Feb 9: Alyssa

Coffee Servers:

- Today: Bart & Deb Peters, Don & Linda Beltman
- Feb 9: Jeff & Elaine Boer, Twyla Smit, Sharla Vander Pol

<u>THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL: February 2 - 8</u>

9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship
10:45 a.m.	Sunday School, Catechism, Choir
6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
7:00 p.m.	GEMS @ Immanuel
7:00 p.m	Cadets @ First CRC
7:15 p.m.	Youth Group (meet @ Living Water)
	10:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m