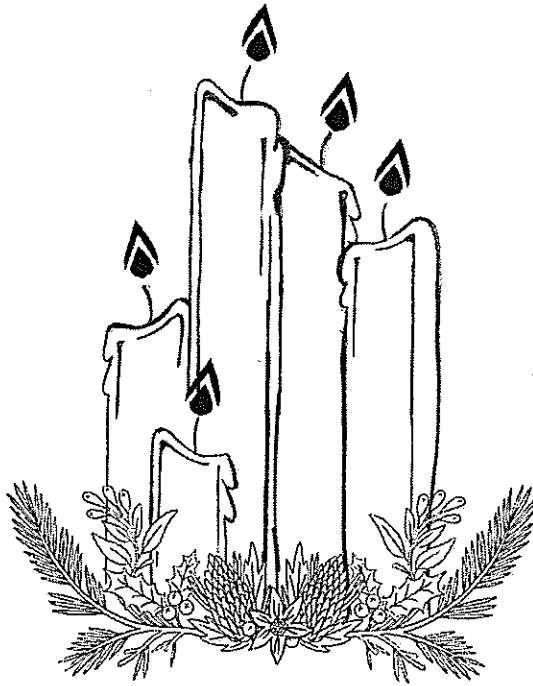


NEWSLETTER

THE PRESENCE

December 2025



Our Mission Statement

"We teach, proclaim and live Christ in all things."
Where two or three come together in my name there am I with them. Matthew 18:20

Immanuel Lutheran Church – 351 Wilson Street – Alpena, Michigan 49707 – Ph: 989-354-3443
Website: immanuelalpena.org

December 2025

Dear Members & Friends of Immanuel:

Much time and energy are devoted toward preparation for Christmas. In late November and throughout December, people spend hours putting up lights inside and outside their living space. Ornaments are hung on their evergreen tree. Nativity sets are placed on the mantel. Christmas cards are displayed for all to see. Presents begin to accumulate under the tree. And we "deck the halls with boughs of holly." Christmas decorations certainly promote enjoyment and anticipation of Christmas.

Advent is the church's season of preparation for Christmas, celebrating the first coming of our Lord Jesus as an infant in Bethlehem's manger. The theme for our series of Advent services is entitled, "Every Heart Prepare." Beginning Wednesday, December 3rd at 12:10 & 6:30 p.m., and continuing on December 10th & 17th as part of our preparation, we will reflect upon these common Christmas decorations and how they help us see Christ and prepare for His coming – evergreens, lights, and the creche. Then, on Christmas Eve, we'll focus on the wrapped presents which point us to the greatest gift and treasure the world could ever receive ... Jesus, the Son of God

While decorations are ingrained in the anticipation of Christmas, preparation is something that happens in the heart. It's not as much what we do to celebrate as much as what God does in us. He stops us dead in our tracks to ask, "Why did I have to send My own Son to the world, complete with human flesh and blood? Into a lowly manger, visited by lowly shepherds. Yet announced by an angelic choir of heavenly voices. Preparation of the heart begins with the great preacher of Advent, John the Baptist, who confronts every sinner who has ears to hear with a message of repentance. God has done the unimaginable! He has sent His own Son to rescue each of us from the sin that imprisons us. Jesus comes bearing the shackles of our sin to a cross where God Almighty reconciles us to Himself through the blood and death of Jesus. Jesus has come to free our hearts from the fear of God's wrath upon all sin on the great and awesome Day of the Lord.

"Let every heart prepare Him room" to live and dwell in us and with us – forever. May the Lord stir your heart with His Word throughout this Advent season to receive heaven's King of Kings who brings to us the blessings of salvation ... forgiveness of sin, peace with God, and eternal life in His presence. How can we not celebrate Christmas? God has given His Son to be our Savior and Lord! So, let there be decorations!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pastor Immanuel". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, stylized initial 'P'.



December

BIRTHDAYS

December 1

Jeffrey Klein
Dutton Metzke

December 2

Bob Larsen

December 3

Karley McCrimmon
Lance Kendziorski

December 4

Nicholas Kolnowski
Angela Gagnon

December 5

Darrell Siess
Nathaniel Hansen

December 6

Karen Eller
Brain Oliver
Carol LaVigne
Lillian Karsten

December 7

Fred King
Kyle Kowalewsky
Camden Lozen
Gary Reister
Ella Smith

December 8

Randy Repke
Montiel Birmingham

December 9

Susan Schultz
Ava Karsten
Ken Krentz
Kimberly Paczkowski

December 10

Jodi Glomski
Taylor Hansen-Bates
Kolin Liske
Maci Schaedig

December 11

Laine Falk
Brian Mayo
Tamara Bennett
Ari Buchinger
Leli Bonello

December 12

Kyle Rajala
Beth Bollinger
Sabrina Carriveau

December 13

No Birthdays

December 14

Charlene Sommerfeld

December 15

Deborah Yerks
Parry Pearson

December 16

Claudia Grabow
Donna Kowalewsky
Kevin Schaedig
Connie Donajkowski
Bret Finzel

December 17

No Birthdays

December 18

Jeni Matuszak
Jazmin Kolnowski
Marion Jagst
Karl Larsen

December 19

Richard Wooll
Kimberly Goodson
Diane Habermehl

December 20

No Birthdays

December 21

Charles Hartman
Marlene Long
Loren Urlaub

December 22

Sylvia Schalk
Graci Villeneuve

December 23

Casey Woytaszek
William Krentz
Marissa Grzechowski
Brian Braidwood

December 24

Taryn McConnell
Robbi Mills
Matthew Gohl
Easton Wilber

December 25

Eric Olson

December 26

Brian Winter
Kyra Page
Madison Wangelin

December 27

Sandi Hempel
Carol Long
Cody Wenzel

December 28

Pattie Peppel
Kaleb Donajkowski
Gavin Winterstein
Don Pines
Noah Beaubien

December 29

Dustin Male
Heidi Cramer
Marian Maasshoff
Kelsey MacNeill

December 30

Braeden Schaedig
Anna Male

December 31

Henry Hansen



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

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Congregation V President: Matt Stevens

Congregation Secretary: Maddison Wangelin

Congregation Treasurer: Kim LaBrecque

Technology: Ryan West

Email: westr@immanuelalpena.org

Worship Services

Saturday at 6:30 pm

Sunday at 8:00 am & 10:30 am

(live on Facebook at 10:30 am)

WBKB-TV 7:30am Ch: 12

10:00am Ch: 10

Membership Changes

Transfers In/Out:

None for November 2025

Deaths:

Patricia Lytle – 11/18/2025

Office News

Bulletin submission deadline

3:00pm MONDAY

Newsletter submission deadline

The 15th of each month.

DEADLINE CHANGE: All bulletin deadlines will be moved to **MONDAYs** throughout November and December. Please make sure to submit all material by the **NEW MONDAY** deadline.

Thank you for your help in keeping our congregation connected and up to date!

ANNIVERSARIES-CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OR MORE



Brian & Dione Oliver ~ 31 Yrs, Dec. 10

Larry & Bobbi Cornell ~ 36 Yrs, Dec. 9

Frederick & Darlene Male ~ 49 Yrs, Dec. 4

Rev. Alfred & Pamela Kersten ~ 61 Yrs, Dec. 19

James & Rosina Phillips ~ 65 Yrs, Dec. 17

Kenneth & Janice Melville ~ 66 Yrs, Dec. 26

CHURCH SERVICES

December 7

First Reading: Isaiah 11:1-10
Epistle: Romans 15:4-13
Gospel: Matthew 3:1-12

December 14

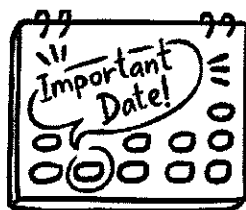
First Reading: Isaiah 35:1-10
Epistle: James 5:7-11
Gospel: Matthew 11:2-15

December 21

First Reading: Isaiah 7:10-17
Epistle: Romans 1:1-7
Gospel: Matthew 1:18-25

December 28

First Reading: Isaiah 63:7-14
Epistle: Galatians 4:4-7
Gospel: Matthew 2:13-23



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Or inquire at church
office
for details

Dec. 2nd – Priscilla LWML Advent -Luncheon
10:00am

Dec. 5th – Just for Widows Christmas Lunch
at 19th Hole Restaurant @ noon

Dec. 5th – Movie Night in the School Gym
@5:30-7:30pm

Dec 7th – Ladies Christmas Party in Fellowship
Room @ 3pm

Dec. 11th - Immanuel Lutheran School
Christmas program Preschool-Kindergarten
@5:30pm School Gym

Dec 12th – Immanuel Lutheran School
Christmas program 1st-8th grade @ Noon &
5:30pm at School Gym

Dec. 12th – Church Decorating (TBD)

Dec 16th – Last day to order Poinsettias

Dec. 20th –Christmas Program rehearsal
w/pizza @ 10am

Dec. 21st Sunday School Christmas Program
at 10:30am

Dec. 21st –Scouting American Troop 92
Breakfast @St Paul Lutheran Church 8:30am
to 12:30pm

Dec. 25th – After 10:30am service please pick
up your Poinsettia

BIBLE CLASS

*"The Fruit of Living Faith:
A study of the Epistle of James."*

December 7... J. Schultz – 5:1-6

"Judgments against the Rich"

December 14... J. Wolf – 5:7-12

"Patience among Friends"

December 21... J. Erickson – 5:13-20

"Effective Prayer"

December 28...NO BIBLE CLASS
CHRISTMAS BREAK

We're Looking For Help

- Church Altar Guild volunteers
Contact Tina Boven 989-595-3119
- Ladies Christmas Program
Volunteers Contact Lori Kipfmiller
989-884-4717
- Mercy and Care Committee
Volunteers Contact: Anne
Lewandowski 989 590-7174 or
Karen Nowicki-Compeau 989 657-
4149
- Immanuel Lutheran Social Ministry
is looking for board members
Contact: Dawn McDonald 989-354-
8541
- Christmas parade volunteers and
leftover Halloween candy needed.
Contact Stacie Papineau
989-657-6391
- Immanuel Lutheran School kitchen
volunteers Contact School
989-354-4805
- Looking for Bulletin folders for
February of 2026. Sign up in church
office.
- Priscilla LWML potluck luncheon
(Dec 2nd) Dish to pass. Sign up in
Narthex.
- Poinsettia Delivery volunteers for
Jan 4th. Sign up in Narthex.



See weekly bulletin
Or inquire at church office
for details

MONDAY:

- ❖ 7-8am Early Bird Bible Study
Adult Ed. Room (NO class Dec 29th)
- ❖ 6-7:10pm Adult Inquirer's Class in Adult Ed.
(Last Class Dec 15th)
- ❖ 6pm Women's Bible Study
Youth Room. (No Class Dec 1st, 22nd, 29th)

TUESDAY:

- ❖ 8:00am Quilters Guild meets
In fellowship room

WEDNESDAY:

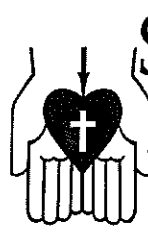
- ❖ 8am Chapel in Sanctuary.
(No Chapel Dec 24th, 31st)
- ❖ 5:30-6:15pm Conf. Class in Adult Ed.

THURSDAY:

- ❖ 11:00am Prayer Circle – Library
- ❖ 2:00pm Afternoon Bible Study-
Adult Education Room
- ❖ 6:00pm Jr./Sr. High Youth Group in Youth room
- ❖ 6:00pm Adult Choir – Sanctuary
- ❖ 6-6:30pm Close the Back Door in Adult Ed.

SUNDAY:

- ❖ 9:15am Youth Sunday School/Adult Bible
Study in Fellowship Room
- ❖ 11:30am Bell Choir Practice
(following 10:30am Service)



Social Ministry Update

In the previous month your generous donations were able to help two families with food. Your continued support is a valuable resource for individuals falling on hard times. We appreciate your continued support. We would like to invite individuals who are interested in helping those in need to be part of our Social Ministry committee. If you are interested in being part of this committee, please contact Dawn at 989-354-8541. God bless your generosity.



Prayer Circle continues every Thursday Morning at 11:00am in the Church Library.

We start with scripture followed by 30 minutes of prayer. Bring any prayer concerns that you have or just come and pray with us. We would love to pray for you or someone you care for. Please feel free to fill out a prayer request card and place it in the container marked "Prayer Requests" are located in our parish welcome center.

WOMEN'S MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY



HOLIDAY SCHEDULE:

DEC 8TH @ 6PM

DEC 15TH @ 6PM

JAN 5TH @ 6PM



A Mercy & Care Ministry has been formed within our church family

dedicated to offering compassionate care and support for members of our congregation.

Our ministry seeks to provide Christ's love with compassionate care through meaningful acts of kindness.

If you or someone you know from our congregation could utilize these services, whether it's helping with small chores, transportation needs, meals, or simply a visit from one of our volunteers, please reach out to Karen Nowicki-Compeau (989)657-4149 or Anne Lewandowski (989) 590-7174 to utilize our services.

"Therefore, be merciful, just as your Father also is merciful." Luke 6:36

Special December Services

Advent Services-

Wednesday December 3, 10, 17

12:10pm & 6:30pm

Christmas Eve Wednesday

December 24th

Communion Service 5pm & 7pm

Lessons & Carols 9pm

Christmas Day Thursday

December 25th

Communion Service 10am

New Year's Eve Wednesday

December 31st

Communion Service 6:30pm

Immanuel Lutheran Church Youth Ministry

Our goal is to serve the 7th-12th graders in our congregation, school, and community to grow in their faith through worship, bible study, (and of course a super fun time) at our weekly youth group! In a busy world full of distractions and extracurriculars, it remains a priority for us all to draw closer to Jesus.

December

Thursdays 6-8pm

*We meet weekly except when school is closed (ex: holiday or snow days)

Our typical schedule each week looks like this:

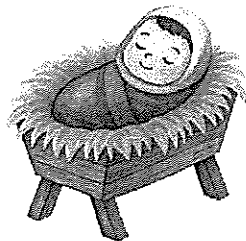
6:00-6:40 Group Rec Time
6:40-7:00 Snack
7:00-7:15 Worship Music
7:15-8:00 Bible Study

Upcoming Events

Weekly Meetings this Month:

- **12/4:** Meet at Toys for Kids (by old Neimans/Sears building) to wrap gifts for those in need
- **12/11:** Cookies, Cocoa, and Caroling; meet at church and then we will carpool to shut-in congregation members

We do NOT meet 12/18 or 12/25.



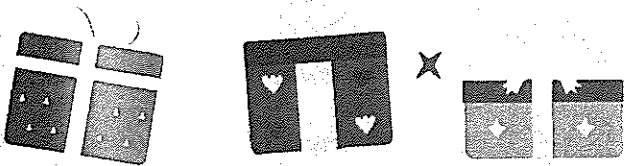
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Stay In Touch

We send communications via Facebook, Slack, and Snapchat. Find us so we can keep you informed on the fun activities ahead!



*Youth Director's Snapchat
(Lauren Larsen)
OR Call/Text Lauren with questions at
989-255-7949



DC Trip Fundraiser POPCORN FRIDAYS

Fridays, December 5th & 19th

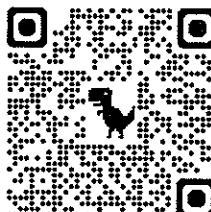
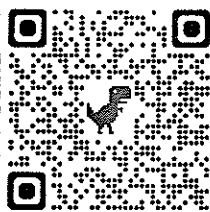
\$1 per Bag

All proceeds go to the DC Trip Fund.



PTLS News and Events

Christmas shopping is December 4th and we are in need of volunteers for both Cookie Receptions and the day of shopping. Please sign up with the QR below!



PTLS SPONSORED EVENTS

DECEMBER 4

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

JANUARY 26-30

NATIONAL LUTHERAN
SCHOOLS WEEK

FEBRUARY 17

DONUTS WITH
DADS

FEBRUARY 21
BACK UP MARCH 7

DADDY DAUGHTER
DANCE

TBA

MOTHER SON
BOWLING

MARCH

MARCH IS
READING MONTH

APRIL 22

SECRETARYS DAY

MAY 1

PRINCIPALS DAY

MEETINGS ARE ON THE 3RD TUESDAY @ 5PM
EVERY OTHER MONTH.
BABYSITTERS ARE PROVIDED AND MEETINGS
ARE NOT TO EXCEED 1 HOUR.

MISS GOHL'S 3RD GRADE WILL VISIT NOAA

Wednesdays in December from 9 - 11:30 a.m.



DRIVERS NEEDED!

Final session in May or June includes a Glass Bottom Boat tour
aboard Lady Michigan.

WASHINGTON D.C. TRIP

8TH
GRADE

MAY 10TH
THRU
MAY 16TH



UPCOMING DATES:

JANUARY

LITTLE CAESARS
PIZZA KIT

ONGOING FUNDRAISERS: POPCORN FRIDAYS

ALL FUNDS RAISED GO DIRECTLY TO THE TRIP
FUND. THE MORE MONEY RAISED, THE LESS
THESE FAMILIES HAVE TO PAY OUT OF POCKET.



December School News

"Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises!" Psalm 98:4

Dear Immanuel Warriors,

"There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit. And the Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord." Isaiah 11:1-2

With December comes a new church year and the beginning of Advent, a season of watchfulness, repentance, and joyful anticipation. In Advent, we remember the ancient promise that Isaiah proclaimed: a Branch would rise from Jesse's line, filled with the Spirit of God, to restore what sin broke. This promised Branch is Jesus Christ and He is at the center of everything we do! Why does this shoot of David come forth?

This question is answered in a 12th century hymn, "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" where we sing:

O come, Thou Branch of Jesse's tree,
Free them from Satan's tyranny
That trust Thy mighty pow'r to save,
And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.

Emmanuel (Immanuel-God with us) came to redeem, save and restore! Apart from Him, we are lost in sin and condemned to death and the grave, but in Him we have forgiveness, life and victory. This is our focus as we move into the busy weeks of December. Advent preparation is two-fold as we rejoice in Jesus' first coming in Bethlehem but also look confidently to His second coming when He will return to make all things new!

I pray that this is the focal point of your month and that this Gospel news truly gives you reason "to make a joyful noise to the Lord!"

In Christ,
Pastor Schultz

December Chapel Offerings to benefit: Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots (LAMP)

December Birthdays

12/3 Karley McCrimmon	12/3 Walter Arsenault	12/4 Logan Schultz
12/7 Camden Lozen	12/7 Ella Smith	12/8 Perrin Wilson
12/10 Leo Wisniewski	12/18 Jazmin Kolnowski	12/20 Addison Martin
12/21 Arlington Gilmet	12/22 Arianna Decarlo	12/24 Easton Wilber

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you believe, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

Upcoming Dates

Friday, December 5
No Preschool Enrichment Friday

Wednesday, December 10 9-11:30a
3rd Grade NOAA Trip

Thursday, December 11
Preschool—Kindergarten
Christmas Concert @ 5:30pm

Friday, December 12
1st—8th grade Christmas Concert
@ 12 pm (Noon) & 5:30 pm

Wednesday, December 17 9-11:30a
3rd Grade NOAA Trip

Thursday, December 18
No Preschool ONLY -
Mortimer's Christmas Party @ 10 am

Monday, December 22
No School - Christmas Break Begins

Monday, January 5
School Resumes

Thursday, January 15
Early Release
Full Day for Staff (Records)

Friday, January 16
No School - Full Day for Staff
(Professional Development)
End of Second Grade Period/First Semester

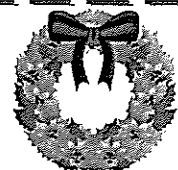
Monday, January 19
No Bus for AM or PM

Tuesday, January 20
PTLS Meeting

Friday, February 6
No Preschool Enrichment Friday

Friday, February 13
Early Release @ 11am
Full Day for Staff
(Professional Development)

Monday, February 16
No Bus AM or PM



Immanuel Lutheran Church - Usher/Service Schedule

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WK	Date / Service	Lay Minister	Head Usher	Ushers	Acolytes	
	December 3, Wed, Midweek 1	12:10 - Jim Grulke	6:30 pm - Matt Stevens			
1	Dec 6 & 7	6:30 pm	Rick Yerks	Wayne Kowalski, Jerry Plohocky, Evan Kowalski, Nick Thibault	6:30pm - Alayna Gosselin & Eleanor Stevens	Micah Schultz & Kenton Parris
		8:00 am	Brian Glennie	Tom Ludwig, , Tom Kindt, Clayton VanWagoner		Lillian Karsten & Lauren Gohl
	10:30 am	Matt Stevens	Kurt Krajniak	Robert Lewandowski, Marty Sommerfeld, Brandon Neumann		Spencer Nunneley & Jackson Schaeidig
	December 10, Wed, Midweek 2	12:10 - Jim Grulke	6:30 pm - Matt Stevens			
2	Dec 13 & 14	6:30 pm	Dale Parris	David Bauer, Dale Burt, Stanley Krentz, Fred Sterns		Taylor Thornton & Lillian Karsten
	8:00 am	Jerry Neumann		Merton Gabara, Dave Dickins, Tom Gerszewski		Rory Cummins & Jacob Birmingham
	10:30 am			Darwin Grabow, Tom Grubaugh, Karl Larsen, Jim Compeau		Tucker Chrzan & Micah Schultz
	December 17, Wed, Midweek 3	12:10 - ---	6:30 pm - Dale Parris			
3	Dec 20 & 21	6:30 pm	Rick Yerks	Don Frank, Nolan Parris, Will Weber, Nathan Parris		Taylor Thornton & Meridel Stevens
	8:00 am	Dale Parris	Dale Parris	Art Hoch, Doug Huiting, Jim Kindt, John Male		Wyatt Siltton & Mason Chrzan
	10:30 am	Mark Puls		Edgar Schaeidig, Jerry Neumann, Matthew Stevens Adam Szydlowski, Tom Thornton		Josslyn Scott & Claire Schultz
	December 24, Christmas Eve	Communion Service - 5:00 pm - Matt Stevens & Jim VanWagnen				
	December 24, Christmas Eve	Communion Service - 7:00 pm - Dale Parris				
	December 24, Christmas Eve	Choral Service - 9:00 pm - ---				
	Christmas Day - 10:00 am	Jim Grulke				
4	Dec 27 & 28	6:30 pm	Jim VanWagnen	Dale Krentz, Kyle Kowalewski, Rick Yerks, Dave LaMarre, Ken Krentz		Claire Schultz & Kasidy Medina
	8:00 am	Tom Krist		Adam Hardies, Justin Karsten, Jon Kindt		Owen Miller & Kenton Parris
	10:30 am	Jim Grulke	Brian Glennie	Gary Gerke, Craig Vining, Mason Donajkowski, Steve Donajkowski		Eleanor Stevens & Lillian Karsten
	Dec. 31 New Years Eve - 6:30 pm					
5	Fifth Week	Lay Minister will rotate with their teams for the fifth Saturday and Sunday				
	Welcome / Greeter Center					
	Wk 1 December 6 & 7	Barbara Weismantel	Bob & Barb Raniszewski	Anne Lewandowski & Bev Hiske	Finance: Bobbi Cornell	
	2 13 & 14	Pat Laffleur	Dianne Gerszewski	Doris Krentz & Carol Schuetz	Flower Committee: Pattie Kelley 595-3147 & Patti Peppel 356-0408	
	3 20 & 21	Don & Marilyn Frank	Pat Glomski	Darlene Sommerfield & Carol Boyd	Altar Guild: Pattie Kelley, Marilyn Clute, Shelley Tuuri	
	4 27 & 28	Gail Freeman	Mary Lou Schaeidig	Mable Avery & Tim Trelfa		

Tune in to hear different messages every week.

DECEMBER 2025

Rev. James D. Erickson: 989-356-4018
Deacon: James Wolf: 989-354-3443
Principal: Rev. Joshua Schultz 989-354-4805

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	7AM Early Bird Bible Study	8:30AM Quilters	8AM Chapel	8AM Quilters	12PM "Just for Widows"	6:30PM Worship
	2:30PM ILS Meeting-Ad. Ed.	10AM Pastor's Conf./Hawks	12:10PM Advent Service	2PM Bible Study	19th Hole Restaurant, Alpena	
	6PM Fall Adult Inq. Class	11AM-2:30PM ILS Library Time	5:30-6:15PM Conf. Class	4:30PM Fowler Service	5:30-7:30PM Movie-ILS Gym	
		11:30AM LWML Luncheon-Ad Ed.	6th-8th grades-Adult Ed. Rm.	6PM Jr/Sr High Yth. Group		
		6:00PM-Voter's Budget Meeting	6:30PM Advent Service	6PM Adult Choir Practice		
			6:30PM Close the Back Door	7PM Al-Anon(Adult Ed. Rm.)		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
2nd Sunday in Advent	7AM Early Bird Bible Study	8:30AM Quilters	8AM Chapel	8AM Quilters	CHURCH DECORATING	7:30AM Men's Breakfast
8AM Communion	9:30AM Social Ministry Mtg.	6PM Parish Board's Meeting	12:10PM Advent Service	2PM Bible Study	Stay tuned for times	and Bible Study
9:15AM Bible Study/Sunday Sch.	5PM LWML Board Mtg.	5:30-6:15PM Conf. Class	4:30PM Fowler Service	6PM Jr/Sr High Yth. Group		6:30PM Communion
10:30AM Worship	6PM Women's Bible Study	6th-8th grades-Adult Ed. Rm.	6PM Jr/Sr High Yth. Group	6PM Adult Choir Practice		
11:30AM Bells		6:30PM Advent Service	6:30PM Close the Back Door			
2PM Turning Brook			6:30PM Close the Back Door			
3PM Ladies Christmas Party			7PM Al-Anon(Adult Ed. Rm.)			
6PM Adult Inquirer's Class						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
3rd Sunday in Advent	7AM Early Bird Bible Study	8:30AM Quilters	8AM Chapel	8:00-12:00PM- ILS Party-Fell Rm	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR ILS	10AM Sunday School Christmas
8AM Worship	2:30PM ILS Meeting-Ad. Ed.	6PM Parish Planning Council	12:10PM Advent Service	2PM Bible Study		Program Practice
9:15AM Bible Study/Sunday Sch.	6PM Last Adult Inq. Class	5:30-6:15PM Conf. Class	4:30PM Fowler Service	6PM Jr/Sr High Yth. Group		6:30PM Worship
10:30AM Communion	6PM Women's Bible Study	6th-8th grades-Adult Ed. Rm.	6PM Jr/Sr High Yth. Group	6PM Adult Choir Practice		
11:30AM Bell Choir Practice		6:30PM Advent Service	6:30PM Close the Back Door			
2PM Turning Brook			7PM Al-Anon(Adult Ed. Rm.)			
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
4th Sunday in Advent	7AM Early Bird Bible Study	NO ACTIVITIES	CHRISTMAS EVE	CHRISTMAS DAY	NO ACTIVITIES	6:30PM Communion
8AM Communion			5PM Communion Service	10AM Communion Service		
9:15AM Bible Study/Sunday Sch.			7PM Communion Service			
10:30AM Worship			9PM Lessons & Carols			
New Member & Christ Program						
11:30AM Bell Choir Practice						
28	29	30	31			
8AM Worship	NO ACTIVITIES	NO ACTIVITIES	NEW YEARS EVE			
10:30AM Communion		6:30PM Communion Service				