

Last Sunday Attendance – 61

Church offering thru March: \$19,122.00 Mission of the Month = \$615.18

We pray especially for Joy Osborn, Ron Anderson, and Joel Evans.



### Brylie Deim's Graduation Party

Saturday, May 16th - 5 to 8 PM  
704 410th St  
Swea City

#### Special Upcoming Events:

- May 10th - May Church Council meeting following church services today
- May 13th- 6 PM-North Union Senior Recognition Night and Baccalaureate
- May 17th - 1:30 PM -North Union Graduation Ceremony
- May 22nd - Final Day of School for North Union Students
- May 23rd -10 AM to 12 Noon - Patent Pending Players tryouts for 3rd -8th graders

#### Mission Statement

*This Congregation of Jesus Christ endorses hands-on mission by seeing, responding, and reaching out to the needs of the congregation, the rural community, and to the world.*

#### **Immanuel Lutheran Church Pastor Sara Heutinck**

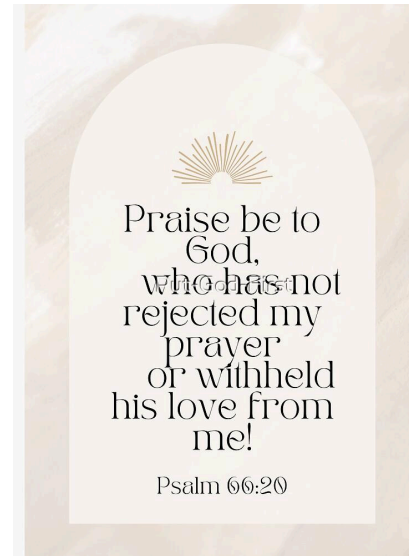
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# IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH



**May 10, 2026**

Welcome

Welcome visitors and guests. We are glad to have you worship with us today. We confess the Lord Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, and by baptism we are made children of God. This we affirm by our confession of faith. Therefore, as brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus we welcome you in worshipping our Lord in Word and Sacrament

\*Asterisk indicates the congregation stands as each is able.

**Prelude** - “Surely the Presence of the Lord is in this Place”

*Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place  
I can feel His mighty power and His grace  
I can hear the brush of angel’s wings  
I see glory on each face  
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place*

**Apostolic Greeting**

*The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion  
of the Holy Spirit be with you. (2 Cor. 13:14)*

**And also with you**

\* **Brief Order for Confession and Absolution** page 77

**Opening Hymn – “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling ”** #315

**The Word of the Lord**

*Faith comes from hearing and hearing through the Word of Christ.  
(Romans 10:17)*

**First Reading - Acts 17:16-31** (Pew Bible page 926 )

**Responsive Reading - Psalm 66:8-20**

<sup>8</sup>Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of his praise be heard,

<sup>9</sup>**who has kept our soul among the living and has not let our feet slip.**

<sup>10</sup>For you, O God, have tested us; you have tried us as silver is tried.

<sup>11</sup>**You brought us into the net; you laid a crushing burden on our backs;**

<sup>12</sup>you let men ride over our heads; we went through fire and through water; yet  
you have brought us out to a place of abundance.

<sup>13</sup>**I will come into your house with burnt offerings; I will perform my vows to  
you,**

<sup>14</sup>that which my lips uttered and my mouth promised when I was in trouble.

<sup>15</sup>**I will offer to you burnt offerings of fattened animals, with the smoke of  
the sacrifice of rams; I will make an offering of bulls and goats.**

<sup>16</sup>Come and hear, all you who fear God, and I will tell what he has done for my  
soul.

<sup>17</sup>**I cried to him with my mouth, and high praise was on my tongue.**

<sup>18</sup>If I had cherished iniquity in my heart, the LORD would not have listened.

<sup>19</sup>**But truly God has listened; he has attended to the voice of my prayer.**

<sup>20</sup>Blessed be God, because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast  
love from me!

\***Gospel Reading – John 14:15-21** (Pew Bible page 901)

**Children’s Message**

**Pastor Sara**

**Children’s Hymn - “Jesus Loves the Little Children**

*Jesus loves the little children,  
All the children of the world,  
Red and yellow, black and white,  
They are precious in His sight,  
Jesus loves the little children of the world,*

**Message**

**Pastor Sara**

**Reflection Hymn - “Children of the Heavenly Father”**

**#474**

**Confession and Prayer**

\***The Apostle’s Creed**

**page 85**

\***“Create In Me”**

**page 96**

\***Prayers of the People**

P:.....Lord in your Mercy **C: Hear our prayer.**

\***The Lord’s Prayer**

**page 97**

\***Closing Hymn - “Take My Life, that I May Be”**

**# 406**

\***The Benediction**

\***Pastor – Go in Peace to Love the Lord**

\* **Congregation – “Thanks be to God – and we will!”**

**Three-fold Amen**

**Postlude**



**Mission of the Month  
Ingham Okoboki Lutheran Bible Camps**

At Ingham Okobojo Lutheran Bible Camps, our mission is simple: "To know Jesus Christ and to make Christ known to all." Discovering God the Father and Creator through the beauty of creation, experiencing the Holy Spirit's renewing power through caring community, and receiving the life-giving good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ is what makes camping ministry so impactful for every person in every generation. Everything we do--from camp programs to staff interaction to outreach and relationships--is done for the sake of knowing Jesus Christ. Everyone who comes into contact with IOLBC will hopefully have a real experience of the Lord Jesus Christ through us and what we offer. To learn more about Ingham Okobojo, please visit our website at [www.okobojo.org](http://www.okobojo.org).

