

Immanuel Roundup

Keeping people in the loop about everything that's happening

Whats Planned this February

February 9: Annual General Meeting (AGM)

February 23: Black History Month Service

February 29: Tweens Night

Looking Back at December and January

December 6: Sparkle Tour

Immanuel held its second ever sparkle tour. We rented a bus for an hour-long tour around the city looking at all the different Christmas lights and singing Christmas Carols. This was a family event, with all ages participating, organized by the Children, Youth and Families Ministry. The tour was followed by treats and hot chocolate in the hall, thanks to a few wonderful volunteers.



December 12: Blue Christmas Service

Our priest Rev. Eimsook Joung led a Blue Christmas service for those having a hard time during the Christmas season.



December 12: Christmas Hampers

This was the day we sent out all our Christmas Hampers. Immanuel parishioners provided Christmas hampers to 21 families including 26 adults, 26 teens and 29 children.



December 15: Christmas Pageant

The Sunday School Children hosted a Christmas Pageant during our Sunday service. The pageant was about the legend of the red and white striped candy cane. Some of the children read the readings for the service and some of the children and adults played their instruments for the music during the pageant.



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December 24 and 25: Christmas Services

Immanuel held three Christmas services this year to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ our Lord. We held two Christmas Eve and one Christmas Day service.



January 12: Birthday Celebration

Immanuel celebrated everyone's birthday after the Sunday service. There were 13 cakes - one for every month and a gluten free cake. This was a chance to celebrate with everyone in our community and to learn more about each other.



January 13: VBS School Days Off

The Regina public school elementary students were off for a Professional Development Day for teachers on Monday, January 13. We continued with our theme of 'How to be a Superhero' and arranged indoor games due to the very cold weather. Thanks go out to all our helpers!

Spotlight – Terry Page

During the *Year of Stewardship* at Immanuel, we are spotlighting some of the many individuals who freely offer their time and talents to support the mission of the church. These people have not

asked for recognition, but we believe it's important to recognize and thank them for their many contributions. At first, you may not think of mowing lawns or serving coffee as acts of ministry, but all of the work – visible and behind the scenes – done by our parish members is a form of ministry because it contributes to the work of our parish and the wider church. Each month we will 'spotlight' people and show how what they do for the church makes it possible for the church to fulfill its mission.

This January, we have chosen to feature TERRY PAGE. Terry's contribution takes place quietly in the background, so most people are not even aware of what he does. Thanks to him lawns get mowed, snow gets cleared, lightbulbs are changed, the roof got repaired, trees are trimmed, windows are replaced... the list goes on and on. Our building is tended with loving care thanks to Terry and his team of helpers from the congregation.



Pastoral Care

In the case of Pastoral Care please call the Immanuel Office for pastoral concerns at 306-586-4420 and the message will be passed on. For ***Emergencies***, please call Rev. Eimsook Joung at 306-586-4436.

Those who have left us...

We pray that **Carolyn Lee Alexander and Freda Lois Geddie Trasolini** may rest in the peace of Christ.

Last Word

Please call the office if you need a ride to church, have some questions, concerns, or need to talk to someone. We are always happy to hear from you.
306-586-4420 Office Hours: **Mon-Fri 9:00AM – 12:00PM**

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