

Why Join in?

God speaks in a manner that is unique to each of us. He convicts us of our sins, tells us of His love and forgiveness, and offer's hope in this world. Do you hear His voice? Can you tell when He is speaking?

Through scripture we learn what He sounds like and what is important to our relationship to Him.

We learn that He is constant, loving, forgiving, healing, teaching, planning, and powerful.

By joining in ACTS 2 or a small study group you can explore His voice with others who are searching to know Him.



This year our central theme is from the Book of Jude vs.20-23
“But you, dear friends, build yourselves up in your most holy faith and pray in the Holy Spirit. Keep yourselves in God’s love as you wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to bring you to eternal life. Be merciful to those who doubt; snatch others from the fire and save them; to others show mercy, mixed with fear – hating even the clothing stained by corrupted flesh.”



Class Schedules for Fall 2007

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Classes begin Sunday Mornings at 9:30am and end before the 10:45am service. Immanuel is offering five different classes; each created to meet the needs of individual congregational members of like mindedness or level of bible understanding. You'll find coffee and breakfast treats in each group. Welcome!

Pastor Bruce Meissner, Luther Hall C God's Word In Depth

Angels & Demons - What do the Scriptures Teach about Angels and Demons. This class has been meeting for many years at Immanuel. Many attendees are long standing mature members who are in continual search for a better understanding of the Word of God. Anyone is welcome to join this class and there are open seats!

Pastor Phillip Baerwolf, Luther Hall A God's Time

Kairos-God's Time: For Such A Time as This: A Study of the Book of Esther God's Word in Jude tells us to keep ourselves in God's love as we wait for His mercy. This waiting can be called God's time and it is what we will be studying in this ACTS 2 class. We call it Kairos which is a Greek word meaning an appointed time in the purpose of God - it reminds us that what we do together on Sunday morning is all part of God's plan for our lives-that He is using this special time we have together to bring direction and meaning to our lives as His people. Please contact Pastor Baerwolf at 847-428-4477 or pbaerwolf@immanuel-cd.org

Mr. John Conrad, Basement Room 25A Introduction to the Bible

This is a How To Study the Bible Course. John Conrad will introduce the Bible's format, purpose, and give an outline of the books found in the Bible. It is a perfect time to spend getting familiar with what some refer to as the "formidable" Bible. A study made easy and full of God's humor as only John can deliver! Questions? Call John at 847-414-4619 or teacherconrad@hotmail.com

Mr. Biff Hawkey, Quiet Room A Study of Biblical Characters

Old Covenant Promises for a New Testament Life A preparatory study of the less than perfect characters found in the old and new testaments that were used by God to fulfill His promises and prophecies of eternal life. Like us, they were sinners willing to serve when called and drew closer to Him by hearing His Word. If your heart is hearing a call to serve Him, join us to hear the stories of past servants. Please call Biff Hawkey at 847-370-5877 or neenbiff@sbcglobal.net

Mr. Randy Farwell, Luther Hall B M&M's - Missions and Ministries

Getting Strong, Going Strong

We are a group called to missions and ministries...both within our group, and outside the walls of Immanuel. Our name also symbolizes the make-up of our group. Like M&M's the candy, we are a varied group: different ages, some married some single, some with kids, some not. But, we're all the same inside...we have a deep desire to fellowship with other Christians, and advance our relationship with Jesus. We offer a setting in which we foster sense of belonging and of being needed in this corner of God's Kingdom. A typical Sunday in Luther Hall B begins with food and fellowship, and then a time of shared prayer requests before we dive into a study of God's Word. And YOU are welcome anytime! Please contact Randy Farwell at 847-426-0059 or farwellfamily@sbcglobal.net for additional information.

Bible Studies

Campus and Open Bible Studies are offered throughout the week, mainly in the Christian Life Center. Please review the schedule, topics, and groups available - feel free to drop in and visit any of the studies or call the teacher.

Mission Mary's, Monday 1:30pm A Woman's Heart-God's Dwelling Place

The Mission Mary's thrive on the blossoming of our faith by growing closer to the person of Jesus Christ. We are a Bible study designed for women who have a heart bent toward learning about God's word and serving others. Our emphasis is on supporting ministries throughout Immanuel Church and School as well as locally throughout the community. We are a Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) society that contributes to the awareness and funding of others in need. Beginning September 10th, we will be studying "A Woman's Heart-God's Dwelling Place", an 11-week video series by Beth Moore. Come and find out how God views the tabernacle of our human heart. For more information, contact Julie Schmidt at 847.428.9539. Location: Quiet Room Teacher:Julie Schmidt

Seniors, Tuesday 1:30pm 1 Corinthians

The senior class has met for many years at Immanuel. It is open to anyone. The age ranges from the 50's to the 90's. Everyone (both male and female) is welcome to attend. We meet in Luther C on Tuesdays from 1:30 to 2:30 pm. The format includes jokes, prayer, Bible study, and refreshments. We currently are studying 1 Corinthians. Location: Luther C Teacher:Ken Becker

Senior Men's, Wednesday 9:00am

Location: Luther C Teacher:Richard Niss

Women's Study, Wednesday 12:30pm Balanced Living

Our fall study, Balanced Living, will help us put Jesus first in our lives. Sin in our lives tells us we can do it all. This just gets us stressed out, exhausted and disconnected with God. When you recognize God's

design for your life, you can constructively use your time, talents and energy to live the blessed life. Interested or have questions? Call 847-458-7450.

Location: Quiet Room

Teacher:Martha Krieser

Women's, Wednesday 7:00pm

This off-campus study meets at Marilyn Koehlert's house each week. They are a group of women who meet to share their lives, discuss their needs and present them to the Lord in prayer before beginning the chosen study. They do not meet during Advent, Lent, or the summer. Anyone is welcome and invited to join. The group's location is 201 King Ave. in East Dundee. Please call Marilyn Koehlert for more information. 847-426-7452.

Teacher:Marilyn Koehlert

Promise Keepers, Wednesday 8pm Every Heart Restored

We will be studying Every Heart Restored by Stephen Arterburn and Fred & Brenda Stoeker. It's a "wife's guide to healing in the wake of a husband's sexual sin." Why would a group of men study a book intended for women? Because it offers a unique insight into the hurt that a woman feels when her husband gets involved with porn or commits other sexual sins. Men, you will be saying to yourself: "Wow! I never realized that's how women felt, how they react, and what they must face." Come join us as we strive to become better husbands by better understanding the potential damage we can cause if we don't guard our hearts. Promise Keepers is a men's small group that seeks to ignite and unite men to become passionate followers of Jesus Christ and encourage each other to build better relationships with Jesus, wives, children, and neighbors.

Promise Keepers: It's not who we are. It's who we strive to be.

Location: Office Conference RM

Teacher:Carl Fischer

Mom's, Thursday 8:45am

Women of the Bible

All Moms are invited to attend this lively Group Bible Study. We meet for fellowship, prayer, treats and Bible Study while the young children play in the supervised nursery. Our backgrounds and ages are varied, and our children range in the age from conception to high school. We learn through the lesson of women of the gospel and discuss biblical principles for a healthy marriage. While Karen Goodwin is the facilitator of the group God is our leader.

Location: Quiet Room

Teacher:Karen Goodwin

Men's Breakfast, Saturday 7:00am

A hearty breakfast, lively discussion-ranging from how the Cubs did last night to what the Bears will do this season and all points in between,- this group of men meets every Saturday morning for feasting around the breakfast table and then feasting on God's Word. If a hot breakfast with lots of coffee isn't your thing then join us for Bible Study from 7:30 till 8:30 each Saturday morning.

Location: Luther C

Teacher: Ted Myers

For additional information or if you'd like to add a study to our campus please call the church office at 847-428-4477.