

**SUNDAY 1/12**

- 8:00 Divine Service/Live Streaming
- 9:15 Fellowship Coffee - OSB
- 9:30 Youth Sunday School - Library
- Adult Bible Study/Live Streaming - OSB
- 10:45 Divine Service/Holy Communion
- 6:45 Adult Information Class - OSB

**MONDAY 1/13**

- 1:00 Immanuel Card Players - Parish Center
- 1:00 Elder's Meeting - Office Conference Room
- 6:30 ILS PTO Meeting - OSB
- 7:00 BOCE - Office Conference Room

**TUESDAY 1/14**

- 9:00 Walking (weather permitting) - Parish Center
- 9:30 Walk & Talk - Parish Center
- 12:30 Lunch at BARC - BARC

**WEDNESDAY 1/15**

- 9:00 Chapel

**THURSDAY 1/16**

- 7:00 Proverb's 31 Women's Bible Study - Parish Center
- 7:00 Foundation Meeting - Office Conference Room

**FRIDAY 1/17**

No Church Activities

**SATURDAY 1/18**

No Church Activities

**SUNDAY 1/19**

- 8:00 Divine Service/Holy Communion/Live Streaming
- 9:15 Fellowship Coffee - OSB
- 9:30 Youth Sunday School - Library
- Adult Bible Study/Live Streaming - OSB
- 10:45 Divine Service
- 6:45 Adult Information Class - OSB

**Remember in Prayer:**



**The Sick:**

**Rev. Louis Nuechterlein**

**Erica Stone**

Daughter of Norman & Marilyn Stone

**Walter Kuhr**

**Marian Goodwin**

**Bobb Zimmerman**

Cousin of Pastor Karner

**Joseph Halik**

Friend of Richard & Mary Sylvia

**Michael Richards**

Husband of Shannon Kurharski Richards

**Becky Wells**

**Marilyn Miller**

**Denise**

Friend of Leslie Foley

**Kelsey**

Friend of Leslie Foley

**Don Kalwat**

**Marilyn Triplett**

**Bruce Johnston**

**Elizabeth & Ethan Hill**

**Charlie & Maryellen Brenann**

Friends of Renee Karner

**Rachel Burgess**

**Ron Helming**

**Catherine Schilling**

**William Doucette**

**Sharon Johnson**

**Maureen Finaldi**

Friend of Gladys Lagace

**Gail Roberts**

**David John**

Friend of Wayne & Diane Ruffino

**Shawn D'Ambrosia**

**Marjorie Pearson**

Sister of George Rindfleisch

**Ruth & Johanna Martin**

*Rev. Louis Nuechterlein is now under hospice care. He served at Cheshire Lutheran in Cheshire, CT until his retirement. Please keep him, his wife Gloria and his family in your daily prayers to comfort and guide them. Please note that Pastor Nuechterlein is requesting no visitors or calls at this time. Cards can be sent to the home at 150 Cook Hill Road, Apt. 3103, Cheshire, CT 06410.*

**Our Family:**

We welcome to our Immanuel Family **Irelynn Plaskett**, through the Rite of Holy Baptism.

To all the special **Care Givers** who work tirelessly each and every day.

**~ ~ ~ WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ~ ~ ~**

*Today's 8:00 am Service and 9:30 am Bible Study will be live on Facebook.*

Our Sunday service is broadcast each Sunday at 1:00 P.M. on WNTY **AM 990, FM 96.1**, and online at KoolOldiesRadio.net

**Our 8 am Services are on TV Sundays 3:30 am, 3:30 pm, and Wednesdays 8 am**

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Online at - www.nutmegtv.com .....Please note these services are recorded and are from the previous week.

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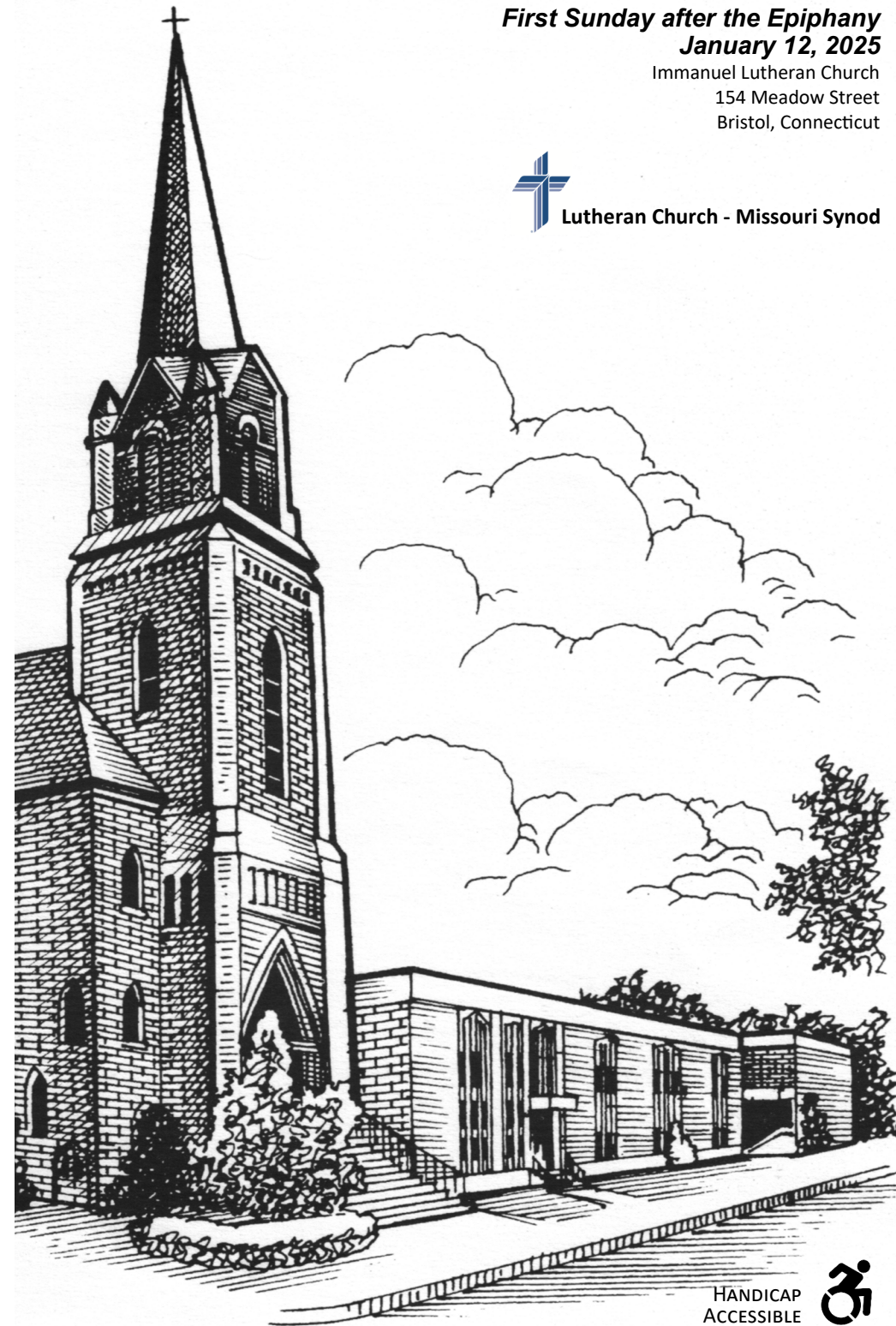
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**First Sunday after the Epiphany  
January 12, 2025**

Immanuel Lutheran Church  
154 Meadow Street  
Bristol, Connecticut



Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod



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### Our Mission Statement

The people of Immanuel Lutheran Church are living proof of the Grace of God through salvation in Jesus Christ. Empowered by Christ, our mission is to reach out in love to those who have not yet responded to the Gospel that all may be united in Christ.

### SERVING YOU IN JANUARY

Ushers:

#### Team 5

**Warren Kirschner**

Justin Kirschner

Norman Kirschner

Danny Tonn

Robert Wallenberg

#### Team 6

**Robert Redman**

Brad Schaffrick

Jonathan Rindfleisch

Tom Hislop

Christy Hislop

Altar Guild: **Elaine Larson, Beth Mazzaccaro, Donna Kuharski**

### Last Week

#### SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

8:00 — 61 HC — 58

10:45 — 54

#### CONTRIBUTIONS:

**\$7,677.00**

## MILESTONE BIRTHDAYS IN OUR CONGREGATION IN JANUARY

Joyce Jacy 1/01

Howard Schmelder 1/05

George Rindfleisch 1/09

Edward Krampitz 1/15

Jacqueline Tessman 1/15

Jeanette Eschner 1/16

Gail Roberts 1/24

## COMMUNION STATEMENT

At His baptism in the Jordan River, Jesus identified completely with us sinful beings and took His first public step towards the cross. As He did so, the Holy Spirit anointed Him, and the Father was well pleased! **THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD** thus tells us that the Holy Trinity is unmistakably for us and determined to work out our redemption. The **Lord's Supper** tells us that God is still unmistakably for us and has, in fact, worked out our redemption. Here the very body and blood with which Christ earned our forgiveness is present for us to eat and drink. As this gift is received today, guests desiring to commune are kindly asked to speak with the pastor before the service. In joyful obedience to Scripture, we practice close communion.

### STEWARDSHIP BIBLE VERSE FOR JANUARY 12, 2025

**Matthew 3:15** – “But Jesus answered him, ‘Let it be so now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness.’” Fulfilling all righteousness is not a task we are up to. The reason God sent His Son into the world is to fulfill all righteousness for us, to do what we could not do. The whole of Jesus' life, everything He did and said, was one great offering to the Father in our stead to fulfill all righteousness for us. With our righteousness fulfilled in Jesus and given to us in Baptism, our hearts now overflow with thanksgiving and praise.

## MEMORIALS and THANK OFFERINGS

*Given in loving memory of Michael Theriault*

From Trina Theriault, for the Steeple Fund



*Today's altar flowers were  
donated by the Altar Guild  
through the generous  
donations to the flower fund.*



*First Sunday after Epiphany*

*Welcome in the name of our*

*Lord, Jesus Christ.*

*We pray that this morning's service*

*will strengthen you in your*

*walk with our Lord.*

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**8:00 Divine Service**

**10:45 Divine Service/Holy Communion**

**Opening Hymn #590**

*“Baptized into Your Name Most Holy”*

**10:45 Holy Baptism page 268**

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**Scripture Lessons:**

**Old Testament**

**Isaiah 43:1-7**

Pew Bible page 603

**GRADUAL**

**Epistle**

**Romans 6:1-11**

Pew Bible page 942

**GOSPEL**

**Luke 3:15-22**

Pew Bible page 858

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

**#405**

*“To Jordan's River Came Our Lord*

**8:00 Children's Message after v 3**

**SERMON**

**Luke 3:15-22**

*“Living Between Christmases”*

**CREED**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**OFFERING**

If you're visiting with us today, please take a moment to sign our guest register, so we can acknowledge your visit with us.

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS**

**#605**

*“Father Welcomes”*

**#623**

*“Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray”*

**CLOSING HYMN**

**#601**

*“All Who Believe and Are Baptized”*