

You Should Be Proud!

What are you proud of? Maybe you've made it through rigorous schooling or run a marathon or lost a lot of weight or you've got a great family or home or job or country...the list could go on and on. It's wonderful to thank God for the gifts and abilities he's given us. We can be "proud" of those things. But when those things make us think we are better than someone else or even that somehow we must be "in" better with God because of them...that's the sin of pride. It's a mindset that we've all fallen prey to.

So what can you be proud of? You can be proud of being humble...huh? Humility leads me to see myself for the selfish sinner I am and it leads me to see all the more clearly the Savior that I have in Jesus. Jesus is my heart's true boast! Take the world, but give me Jesus! Today, thank God for your gifts and abilities and then ask him to help you use them to show your pride in Jesus to everyone you see.

"Let him who boasts boast in the Lord." - 1 Corinthians 1:31



In Our Prayers

TOM AND KIM MESER as they celebrate 20 years of marriage. **TIM AND SARA (SCHROEDER) LEINTZ** who were joined in marriage at Immanuel on Friday. God's blessings on your marriage! **DAVE JULIUS** who was hospitalized on Saturday. **ILA KIESGEN** who had surgery this past week—pray for a quick recovery.

Ministry News

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Another school year begins—that means it's time to register for Sunday school which starts on September 26th! Register online at www.immluth.org. There are also forms in the back of church. Remember, Sunday school is for children ages **0 years—8th grade!** The whole family can grow in God's Word at the same time—sign up today!

CONFIRMATION MEETING

If you have a 7th or 8th grade LES student and you missed the confirmation meeting last Thursday, please check your church mailbox for important information about class.

PARADE FLOAT

Thank you to all those that helped assemble the Greenville parade float and for all those that marched in the parade! Way to put a happy face on Immanuel in the community!

Ministry Calendar

Monday	School Begins—No Bussing until September 4
Thursday	Worship Service 7:00PM
Friday	No School
Saturday	Worship Service 5:30PM
Sunday	Worship Services 8:00 & 10:30AM <i>No Bible Hour This Week</i>

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Thursday @ 7:00pm
Saturday @ 5:30pm
Sunday @ 8:00 & 10:30am

"Christians Boast in the LORD"

Sermon based on
Luke 14:1, 7-14

Today's Light 2-Year Bible Reading
Week 34: I Chronicles 1-17