

# THE LAMPLIGHTER

*Immanuel*

**United Church of Christ**

111 Fremont St.  
Walworth, WI 53184

**Worship services 8:30 a. m.**

*“Immanuel’s vision is to Love,  
Forgive, and Worship in service to  
all generations.”*

*April 2024*

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## Moderator’s Moment



**Welcome April!!!**

As March fades away, spring flowers have started to bloom, the days are getting longer, and winter's chill is fading away. Even the dandelions are blooming. Really, they are!!

Many of you are likely experiencing the same thoughts as me, time to be outdoors and soak up the sun.

I commented in the past that the diamond is the traditional birthstone of April. Here are some of the beautiful

“human” qualities associated with this beautiful gem: strength, friendship, balance, clarity and abundance. May you be blessed with many diamonds in your life.

Enjoy the beautiful transition to early Spring. Even the April Showers that bring May flowers.

With Love,  
Lucy



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## Upcoming Events

- Apr 1**—Bible Study—9:30 am
- Apr 7**—Communion
- Apr 8**—Bible Study—9:30 am
- Apr 14**—Deacons—after church
- Apr 15**—Bible Study—9:30 am  
**Office closed through Wed.**
- Apr 16**—Trustees—5:30 pm
- Apr 22**—Bible Study—9:30 am
- Apr 29**—Bible Study—9:30 am
- May 4**—**Spring Clean-up—8:00 am**
- May 5**—Communion

If you have a new address, phone number or e-mail address, please let the office know. Thank you.

**New Address**

Rev. Jim & Elaine Burd  
232 Bridge Street # 340  
Burlington, WI 53105-1916

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**April Birthdays**

- 8—Marilyn Anderson
- 12—Phil Rahn
- 14—Brenda Wenger
- 15—Sarah Rozell
- 20—Craig Utesch
- 27—Jennifer Coon
- 28—Benjamin Jackson

**Spring Clean-up is set for Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 8:00 am. Many hands make the job easier and get done quicker.**

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**April Anniversaries**

- 5—Dave & Sue Zick
- 11—Bob & Arlene Rauland

*If you or a family member is hospitalized and you'd like a pastoral visit, please let either the hospital or our church know. With privacy laws, this information is not shared without consent.*



Dear Immanuel Friends,

I wish to thank you for your generous donation of \$500.00 that we received on Dec. 5, 2023, supporting the mission of Open Arms Free Clinic.

Open Arms Free Clinic is not just a little clinic helping a few people, we are an integrative, comprehensive healthcare center dedicated to serving low-income, uninsured, and under-insured residents of Walworth County. We pride ourselves on creating a human-centered environment where the health care workers can deliver

their best care, and patients can achieve their best health outcomes. O AFC eliminates financial, travel, and language barriers by maximizing the gifts and resources from community supporters, like you.

You are among a community of donors who recognize the importance of access to health care. With your gift, you allow us to provide primary medical, dental, behavioral health, lab, and medications at no cost to qualifying patients. We are open 4 days a week and enroll approximately 1,000 new patients annually.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication to Open Arms Free Clinic. You make our work possible, and we are grateful!

Sincerely,  
Sara Nichols, MPH  
Executive Director

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## Fifth Grade Assignment

Wouldn't this be great if it was taught in every school.

A fifth grade teacher in a Christian school asked her class to look At TV commercials and see if they could use them in 20 ways To communicate ideas about God.

Here are some of the results: scroll down.

**God is like.**

**HALLMARK CARDS**

He cares enough to send His very best

**God is like.**  
**SCOTCH TAPE**

**You can't see Him, but you know He's there.**

**God is like.**

**DELTA**

**He's ready when you are.**

**God is like.**

**ALLSTATE**

**You're in good hands with Him.**

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