



God's Work. Our Hands.

**TIME AND TALENTS (2015)**

For Adults and Youth (Grade 6 and up)

*Our lives are God's gift to us; how we live is our gift to God*

We believe that God has created each one of us with unique abilities and attributes -- including our personalities, interests, motivations, life experiences, talents and skills, hopes and dreams -- which make us who we are. We are one-of-a-kind creations of God with unique contributions to make in this world. This Time and Talent survey will provide all who attend Immanuel Lutheran Church the opportunity to support our ministries with the gifts God has given us.

**Training or information is provided for all positions.** Please complete the survey and return it to the church office as soon as possible. Someone will contact you when help is needed in the areas that you indicate. Thank you for your ministry at Immanuel – you bless others by serving!

Name

First

Last

Email

Home Phone

Cell Phone

**INTEREST/GIFT INVENTORY**

(check all that apply)

- I am artistic
- I am creative
- I am a planner
- I can delegate to others
- I enjoy talking to people
- I like to bake
- I like to do crafts
- I like to organize things
- I enjoy speaking in front of people
- Working with kids is FUN
- I like to work outside
- I am able to repair things
- I feel blessed to work with those in need
- I love to sing
- I love to play an instrument \_\_\_\_\_(type)
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS**

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR USUAL WORSHIP SERVICE THAT YOU ATTEND:  8:15 a.m.     9:45 a.m.     11:07 a.m.

- A/V (Audio Visual) Team (computer and/or sound)
- Altar Care Team (prepares for Communion)
- Assisting Minister (read lessons and prayers)
- Children's Message (all 3 services)
- Communion Assistant
- Communion Bread (pick up each week)
- Fellowship/Coffee Hour (after 8:15 service)  
(purchase or bake food, setup/cleanup)
- Greeter
- Head Usher (make sure worship runs efficiently)
- Nursery Caregiver
- Offering Counter
- Prayer Minister in worship
- Usher
- Welcome Center Host
- Write Prayers for Sunday Worship
- Healing Prayer Team on Healing Sundays
- Prayer Chain Team

## YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRIES

- Cradle Roll Mailings Coordinator for new babies
- Provide/Serve Snack/Juice for \_\_\_\_\_ (name of ministry)

### **EARLY RELEASE PROGRAM**

- Center Helper
- Games
- Crafts

### **VIBE (6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders)**

- Work with kids after school
- Snacks
- Share an interest/talent

### **CONFIRMATION (6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders)**

- Crafts
- Small Group Leaders
- Event Driver/Chaperone
- Fundraising

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

- Superintendent
- Teacher
- Registration
- Helper
- Substitute Teacher
- Help with Christmas Program

### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

- Crafts, games, music
- Helper: \_\_\_\_\_
- Group Leader
- Youth Leader
- Donate food and/or drink

### **LITTLE SPROUTS DAYCARE**

- Donate healthy snacks
- Furniture moving:
  - Friday at 5:00 p.m.
  - Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

### **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP**

- Team Leader
- Event Driver/Chaperone
- Fundraising

### **ADULT EDUCATION**

- Small Group Participant
- Small Group Bible Study Facilitator
- Women's Retreat Team
- Adult Sunday School Participant

## MISSION AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Back to School Clothes Sale         | <input type="checkbox"/> Side By Side                | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Connections Meal              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meal for Men's Homeless Shelter     | <input type="checkbox"/> Milwaukee Soup Kitchen      | <input type="checkbox"/> Crop Walk Organizer/Participant         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Serve at Men's Homeless Shelter     | <input type="checkbox"/> Angel Tree Organizer        | <input type="checkbox"/> Mission Trip Team Participant           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School Kits/Health Kits Assembly    | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Basket Assembly   | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Salvation Army Bell Ringing   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lake Geneva Food Pantry Helper      | <input type="checkbox"/> Deliver Meals on Wheels     | <input type="checkbox"/> Organize Meals on Wheels                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Care Team (visit homebound/sick)    | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Drive (help)          | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Drive (donate)                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Card Ministry (make cards)          | <input type="checkbox"/> Card Ministry (write cards) | <input type="checkbox"/> Daily Bread organizer (make meals)      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cookie Ministry                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Take Blood Pressures        | <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Shawl Ministry (knit or crochet) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deliver Welcome Packets to Visitors | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio Spots (help)          | <input type="checkbox"/> Deliver church brochures to hotels      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Write News Releases                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Provide transportation      |  |

## EVENTS/FELLOWSHIP

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Provide food for events (casseroles, salads, etc.)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Funeral lunch helper               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Refill busy bags (for children to use at worship)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Snack bags for toddlers in worship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Provide overnight housing   | <input type="checkbox"/> Bake bread for outreach teams      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Easter Lily/Poinsettia delivery   | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Caroling organizer       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Men's Easter Breakfast  | <input type="checkbox"/> Undecorate church for holidays     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decorate church for holidays  | <input type="checkbox"/> Moms and Tot group                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Picnic team   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Quilting (Tuesday a.m. – Lutheran World Relief; Wednesday a.m. – graduates, baptism, over 80) |   |

## MUSIC MINISTRY

- Praise Team (Instrumental/Singer)
- Cantata (Vocalist, Instrumentalist, help)
- Bells of Immanuel
- Youth Praise Team (middle school)
- Sunday School Singers (help with children)
- Computer operator (high school or older)
- Contemporary Choir (9:45 and 11:07 services)
- Special Music (Vocalist/Instrumentalist)
- Traditional Choir (8:15 service)
- Youth Praise Team (high school)
- Children's Musical (help with children, costumes, etc.)
- Sound System operator
- Camera operator (high school or older)

## WORSHIP AND ART

- Dramas for worship
- Make costumes
- Director
- Worship dance
- Make props
- Worship Arts team

## BEHIND THE SCENES

- Church Council
  - Office/clerical help
  - Publicity design
  - Photographer (new members)
  - Time and Talent information
  - Electrical
  - Wood working
  - Carpet cleaning
  - Spring and Fall cleanup
  - Mowing
  - Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Make telephone calls
  - Computer skills: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Web page maintenance
  - Newsletter assembly
  - Data entry
  - Plumbing
  - Painting
  - General cleaning
  - Snow shoveling
  - Snow plowing
  - Put pens in pews
  - Photo Directory Coordinator
  - Bulletin stuffers
  - Building and grounds team
  - Carpentry
  - Window cleaning
  - Garden, yard care, leaf raking
  - Weeding
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Thank you for letting us know your gifts! Please drop off at the church office or mail to:

Cynthia Hibbard  
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Lake Geneva, WI 53147

### WHY WE SERVE...

***There are different kinds of spiritual gifts, but the same SPIRIT is the source of them all. There are different kinds of service, but we serve the same LORD. God works in different ways, but it is the same GOD who does the work in all of us. A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7 (NLT)***

***Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God. Whenever I pray, I make my requests for all of you with joy, for you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ from the time you first heard it until now. And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns. Philippians 1:3-6 (NLT)***