

A Year-In-Review: Our 250th Anniversary Monthly Events:

Sunday, February 14th, 2010 -

250th Anniversary Service @ 9 am - due to unusual snowfall amounts, Interim Bishop Ted Schneider was unable to attend, but would reschedule his visit for later in the spring. A beautiful Valentine themed reception was held in the Sunday School auditorium following the service. A large "Happy Birthday" card was displayed for the congregation to sign their best wishes. This card has now been donated to the Archives.

March, 2010 -

Lenten Prayer Cubes distributed

250th Anniversary Special Edition Cookbook, Come To Our Table - recipe collection

Sunday, April 11th, 2010 -

NESAP Tea/Baby Shower @ 10:30 in the Social room

Sunday, April 18th, 2010 -

Rescheduled 250th Anniversary Service @ 9 am with Interim Bishop Ted Schneider as the guest preacher. A reception in his honor followed the service.

Saturday, May 8th, 2010 -

Annual Mother / Daughter Banquet and Program @ 6:30 in the evening

Sunday, June 13th, 2010 -

Morning Worship @ 10:30 am at Immanuel; following the service over 100 people enjoyed a "Picnic in the Park" at Christmas Tree Park from 12 noon to 4 pm. Each person attending was given a special teal colored 250th Anniversary t-shirt to wear and enjoyed grilled hamburgers and hotdogs with donated salads, vegetable dishes and desserts. Donated cakes were auctioned during a Cake Walk and \$182 was raised for the Oak Tree Fund along with a Silent Auctioned picnic basket.

Sunday, June 27th, 2010 -

Morning Worship @ 9 am with our former Pastor Ellis Kretschmer as the guest preacher. A fellowship hour was attended after the service.

Sunday Evening, July 11th to Thursday Evening, July 15th, 2010 -

Annual Vacation Bible School from 6 pm to 8:15 pm- this year's theme was "Baobab Blast" Each evening began with a hot meal provided to the 44 registered participants and their parents.

July 17-18 thru Sept.12th, 2010 - Come To Our Table - 250th Anniversary Cookbooks Sales

400 cookbooks sold for \$12.50 each with profits realized from this sale funding programs for Hunger in and around Carroll County area. A check for \$500 was donated in October to St. John's UMC, Hampstead "Friday Faith Feasts" for the needy. Their kitchen needed a new updated stove/oven which would cost over \$4,000 and donations were being sought.

Sunday, July 25th, 2010 -

Combined Morning Worship @ 10:30 am at Immanuel with our neighbor church, Trinity UCC
Block Party Festivities on York Street from 12-3 pm

Sunday, August 8th, 2010 -

Morning Worship @ 10:30 am with our Sister Congregation, St. John's, Pimlico with their choir and Pastor Greg Knepp, Immanuel's former seminarian as our guest preacher. An old-fashioned fried chicken lunch was served following the service.

Saturday, September 25th, 2010 -

Annual Harvest Home Celebration @ 5 pm Evening Worship

Sunday, September 26th, 2010 - @ 9 am Morning Worship

Annual Harvest Home Celebration / Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing / Archive Gallery Walk
184 canned goods were collected from both services and a check for \$124 was donated to NESAP Food Pantry. Wonderful old time hymns were sung throughout the service which were voted on by the congregation and special thanks to Margaret McCullough and Kathryn Riley for planning and organizing the 250th Anniversary Archives Gallery Walk following the service in the auditorium.

Sunday, October 24th, 2010 -

250th Anniversary Celebration Banquet and Program @ 2 pm at Carroll Lutheran Village,
Krug Chapel

Friday, November 26th, 2010 -

Bethlehem Marketplace @ 6:30 pm in the Social Room

Saturday, November 27th - Sunday, November 28th, 2010 -

Saturday @ 5 pm and Sunday @ 9 am Worship Services with Pastor Beverly Welsh Cotner, ministerial daughter of Immanuel, as our guest preacher

Saturday, December 11th, 2010 -

Holiday Concert with Carroll Singers @ 7 pm in the sanctuary

Reception to follow in Sunday School auditorium

Rededication and Plaque Presentation for Organ Restoration

Weekend of February 12th and 13th, 2011 -

Conclusion of Immanuel's 250th Anniversary Celebrations

Sealing of 250th Anniversary Time Capsule

We want to thank everyone for their support during our 250th Anniversary activities!

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