



Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill
Episcopal/Anglican
Alexandria, Virginia



THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 10, 2023

Holy Eucharist Rite II, 9:00 a.m.

Page references are for [The Book of Common Prayer](#).

A professionally-staffed nursery is located in the lower level of Zabriskie Chapel (ask an usher for directions).

Prelude: From heaven above to earth I come

Johann Sebastian Bach

Processional Hymn 53: “Once he came in blessing”

verses 1, 2, and 4

Gottes Sohn ist kommen,

found in The Hymnal 1982

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation

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Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

The Collect for Purity

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Kyrie S96 “Lord, have mercy”

found in the front of The Hymnal 1982

Franz Peter Schubert

The Collect for the Day

Merciful God, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

The First Lesson: Isaiah 40:1-11

Comfort, O comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that she has served her term, that her penalty is paid, that she has received from the Lord's hand double for all her sins.

A voice cries out: “In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. Then the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all people shall see it together, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken.”

A voice says, “Cry out!” And I said, “What shall I cry?” All people are grass, their constancy is like the flower of the field. The grass withers, the flower fades, when the breath of the Lord blows upon it; surely the people are grass. The grass withers, the flower fades; but the word of our God will stand for ever. Get you up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good tidings; lift

up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good tidings, lift it up, do not fear; say to the cities of Judah, "Here is your God!" See, the Lord God comes with might, and his arm rules for him; his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. He will feed his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms, and carry them in his bosom, and gently lead the mother sheep.

The Word of the Lord

Response: *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13: *Benedixisti, Domine*

- 1 You have been gracious to your land, O Lord, *
you have restored the good fortune of Jacob.
- 2 You have forgiven the iniquity of your people *
and blotted out all their sins.
- 8 I will listen to what the Lord God is saying, *
for he is speaking peace to his faithful people
and to those who turn their hearts to him.
- 9 Truly, his salvation is very near to those who fear him, *
that his glory may dwell in our land.
- 10 Mercy and truth have met together; *
righteousness and peace have kissed each other.
- 11 Truth shall spring up from the earth, *
and righteousness shall look down from heaven.
- 12 The Lord will indeed grant prosperity, *
and our land will yield its increase.
- 13 Righteousness shall go before him, *
and peace shall be a pathway for his feet.

Sequence Hymn 67: "Comfort, comfort ye my people"

found in The Hymnal 1982

Psalm 42

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1:1-8

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark

Response: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

The beginning of the good news of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

As it is written in the prophet Isaiah, "See, I am sending my messenger ahead of you, who will prepare your way; the voice of one crying out in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight,'"

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He proclaimed, "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after

me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.”

The Gospel of the Lord

Response: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

The Sermon: The Rev. Susan D. Parsons

The Nicene Creed

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The Prayers of the People

Confession of Sin and Absolution

*Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.*

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: *And also with you.*

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory: “O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion”

from Messiah

George Frideric Handel

FELICITY AMOS, mezzo-soprano

O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion, get thee up into the high mountain; o thou that tellest good tidings to Jerusalem, lift up thy voice with strength; lift it up, be not afraid; say unto the cities of Judah Behold your God!

O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion, arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.

Celebrant: The Gifts of God, for the People of God.

*We will receive at one standing station.
If you are physically unable to come to the Altar, please let an usher know that you would like to
have Communion brought to you.*

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION:

Communion Solos: “The people that walked in darkness” *from* Messiah George Frideric Handel

DARYL OTT, baritone

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light,
and they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.

Sung if needed

Hymn 65: “Prepare the way, O Zion” *found in* The Hymnal 1982 *Bereden vag for Herran*

Post Communion Prayer

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The Blessing

Closing Hymn 76: “On Jordan’s bank the Baptist’s cry ” verses 1, 2, and 3 *Winchester New*

found in The Hymnal 1982

Announcements

The Dismissal

Clergy: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

*All are invited to a special coffee hour in honor of the Rev. Jan A. Maas
at 11:45 a.m. today in The Welcome Center, as we celebrate
the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.*

SERVING AT THIS EUCHARIST: *Reader:* Maria Burke
 Intercessor: Sarah B. Glassco
 Musicians: Dr. Jane Tavernier, The Immanuel Choir
 Flower Guild: The Immanuel Flower Guild
 Ushers: Tom Kerns, Marcus Rarick
 Audio-Visual: Tamika Martin
 Celebrant: The Rev. J. Randolph Alexander

CHRISTMAS GREENS, FLOWERS and SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC DEDICATIONS

This Christmas season you are invited to make a donation to help offset the cost of our Christmas greens and flowers, and/or the special music at our Christmas Eucharists. To make a memorial or thanksgiving donation for a loved one, or to make a thanksgiving dedication for some blessing, please complete and send this form along with your check to the Parish Office or place it in the alms box in the narthex. Names will be printed in our Christmas bulletins for all donations received **by noon on MONDAY, DECEMBER 18TH**. Please print all names very clearly, or email names to DEDICATIONS@ICOH.NET. Any amount is welcome and appreciated.



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Christmas Brass Trio at Immanuel

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IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL

Parish Notes

December 10, 2023

IN THE NAME OF CHRIST we welcome you to Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill!

Immanuel is an Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, and is part of the world-wide Anglican Communion. Immanuel was founded by the Virginia Theological Seminary. We are one parish that worships in two locations: the Zabriskie Chapel (3606 Seminary Road), and Immanuel Chapel (3737 Seminary Road) on the seminary grounds. Both chapels offer a fully-staffed nursery for our infant and toddler parishioners.

Visitors are encouraged to fill out a visitor card — located in the pews or display stands at the entrances of the chapels. Give your card to an usher or place in the collection plate. Thank you.

For the latest information on our online worship service and to view a video of our most recent service, please visit our website (www.icoh.net).

PRAY FOR PARISHIONERS: Natalie Doyle Hennin, Rollin Huntington, Marianne Ingold, Frances Johnson, Joseph, Kenny, Ann MacNamara, Cynthia Morton, Linda and Cy Murphy, Tony Rogers, Catherine Sinclair, John Smucker, Norma Taliaferro, and Francine Wargo.

PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY: Alice, Jack Allen, Kathryn Anschutz, Dave and Betsy Fox Berry, Justine Claypoole, Jean Couban, Cynthia, Steve Davis, Dana DeCecco, Joseph Fabian, Cathy Fick, Gerald, Linda Gill, Betty Harris, Betty Hicks, Louise Jackson, Peter and Joanne, John, Katja, Tom Kellner, Charlotte Kellogg, Joseph and Elaine Kelly, Winnie Kidd, Marcia MacDonald, Marge McGoff, Joe Miceli, Stephen Miller, McQuade Milligan, Candy Morgan, Mary Muniz, Lysbeth, Jessi Napolitano, Shelby Ochs Owen, Paul, Lilly Pinner, Sarah Pollach, Jennie Rae, Michael Rathsack, Rebecca, Jim Rehnke, Sue Rehnke, Larry Rhoades, Roger, George Rustigian, Brian Tolson, Graham Tomlinson, Fred Vipperman, Mark Vipperman, Rosemary Wensing, Ryan Willis, Zuzanna Knypinski Wise, and Richard Zitelli.

Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week: Annie Goldsmith, Liam Kirby, Rhys Shallbetter, Anthony Burke, Rick Glassco, Jamie Conrad, Christopher DeMulder, Celest Rush, Sydney Onley, Jim Snow, Katherine Warlick, Candy Levin, and Susan Stockton.

Serving around the world: Noah Barker, Ian Phillips, Todd Bates, Jason Osborne, Michael Hussey, and Jonathan, Nicole, Alina and Nolan Anderson, and Scott.

Those who have died: Kathleen Alwes, mother-in-law of Dorothy Kellogg's close friend; Former U.S. Supreme Court Justice The Honorable Sandra Day O'Connor; victims of the Austin/San Antonio, TX shootings; and victims of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas shooting. *Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.*

EYC Breakfast TODAY: 10:00 a.m., The Fairchild Room

Godly Play—schedule changes in December-January 2023

- ☆ NO GODLY PLAY December 17-January 7th
- ☆ We will have Godly Play at 9 a.m. in Zabriskie Chapel today
- ☆ There will be no Godly Play on December 31st, or on January 7th — the day of our *Children's Epiphany Pageant, 10:30 a.m., Immanuel Chapel.*
- ☆ On January 14th, 21st and 28th we will have Godly Play at 10:30 a.m. in Immanuel Chapel (Octagon Room).
- ☆ On February 4th we will return to our normal schedule, and Godly Play will move back to the Worship Center at 9 a.m.

Questions? Contact Sarah Glassco at glasscos@gmail.com.

Announcements

WEEKDAY WORSHIP AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Morning Prayer @ 10:00, Tuesday, December 12th, Zabriskie Chapel

**Wednesday Holy Eucharist Rite II
December 13th @ 12 Noon, Zabriskie Chapel**

Bible Study “*The Gospel of Matthew: Book of the Messiah*”, Thursday, December 14th @10:30 a.m.
online via Zoom. Look for login details in your weekly eBlast email.

Evening Compline, Friday, December 15th, 8:30 p.m., Online via Zoom

Have you made your 2024 pledge? ***THERE’S STILL TIME, JUST GO ONLINE!*** Immanuel’s Every Member Pledge campaign

Immanuel’s Every Member Pledge Campaign is ongoing, and we need to learn your personal financial commitment before December 31st.



Your financial pledge is vital to maintain and grow this parish, its ministries, and outreach initiatives. (As of Thursday, received 112 pledges totaling \$525.21 — **including 10 new pledgers.**)

Together, we make a difference by giving back to God from the gifts that God has first given us.

You may use the QR code at left or ask an usher for a pledge card to complete your pledge, and prayerfully and intentionally give thanks for God’s many gifts to you. This is your opportunity to give back to God from all you have been given.



MONTHLY SATURDAY BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY DECEMBER 16th @ 8:00 AM Held Online via Zoom: Join Immanuel’s monthly Saturday morning Breakfast Bible Study on Saturday, October 21st, the THIRD Saturday of the month. We will meet via Zoom (find this bulletin on our website under the “Worship” tab, then click on the link below) beginning at 8 AM. Our theme this year is *Freedom*; this month we will read **1 Peter 2: 13-21** “*Live as free people, but do not use your freedom as a cover-up for evil...*” using the African Model of Reflection. For more information, please visit [our webpage “Breakfast Bible Study”](#), or contact Chrissie Crosby at cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com.

[Join Zoom Saturday Breakfast Bible Study Meeting](#) / Meeting ID: 959 5450 6553 /Passcode: 027913

Advent/Epiphany Service Schedule

Beginning next Sunday December 17th, Lessons and Carols, Immanuel will *temporarily* return to a two-service worship schedule. Through the end of January, we will have two Eucharists each Sunday, and our 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist will return on February 4, 2024.

December 17	8:00 a.m.	Gaudete Sunday Holy Eucharist Rite II	Zabriskie Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	<i>Lessons and Carols</i> and Holy Eucharist Rite II Ingathering, Blessing of the Christmas Families' Gifts	Immanuel Chapel
December 24	10:30 a.m.	Fourth Sunday of Advent with Holy Eucharist Rite II	
	5:00 p.m.	<i>Christmas Eve Festival Holy Eucharist Rite II with Brass</i>	Immanuel Chapel
	9:00 p.m.	<i>Christmas Eve Festival Holy Eucharist Rite II with Brass</i>	
December 25	11:00 a.m.	Christmas Day Holy Eucharist with Organ and Carols	Zabriskie Chapel
December 31	8:00 a.m.	First Sunday After Christmas with Holy Eucharist Rite I	Zabriskie Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	First Sunday After Christmas with Holy Eucharist Rite II	Immanuel Chapel
January 7, 2024	8:00 a.m.	The First Sunday After Epiphany with Holy Eucharist Rite I	Zabriskie Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Epiphany Pageant with Holy Eucharist Rite II	Immanuel Chapel



SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY AND FELLOWSHIP EVENTS: TWO Luncheons in ONE WEEK

We're hosting two luncheons this month. **Come to either or come to both!**

DECEMBER 19: CHRISTMAS HYMN AND CAROL SING, ZABRISKIE CHAPEL

Join us Tuesday, December 19th at 12:15 P.M. for a festive Christmas luncheon in the Parish Hall. Don't bring a brown bag for this one. After luncheon we will adjourn to the Chapel for a hymn/carol sing, with Dr. Jane Tavernier at the organ and fellow senior Rick Glassco with his bell chimes. **Please RSVP to Karen Besser at Karen.Besser@gmail.com**, so that there will be plenty of food and yummy desserts.



DECEMBER 20: GOODWIN HOUSE LUNCHEON: Join us at Goodwin House-Alexandria for lunch on Wednesday, December 20th at noon. **Please RSVP to Susan Kernan skernan40@aol.com or the Rev. Susan Parsons sparsons@icoh.net.**

EASY WAY TO SIGN UP: **DECEMBER 2023 - JANUARY 2024**

Sign up to Serve in our Sunday Services **Through Advent and Christmastide** ONLINE via Our **Red SignUp Genius Button**



Would consider serving as a lay minister? If so, please sign up to serve as a Reader, Intercessor, Usher, Acolyte, Altar Guild, Crucifer and/or Chalice Bearer online via [SignUp Genius](#) for Immanuel by visiting the landing page of our website at www.ICOH.net and clicking on the red button at left. ***We especially need people to serve during Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany.***

If you are a first-timer and need training, please contact Agnes at the office on **Wednesdays from 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.** (ext. #206), or via email at asoo@icoh.net. Finally, if you need training for a particular ministry, please send a request to sparsons@icoh.net or indicate so in the comments box under your name on the online form. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS FAMILIES UPDATE 3 and last call for sign-ups

We still have a way to go

This table shows the families referred to us by Community and Human Services (including five families added recently), the Lazarus Ministry (Episcopal Region IV), and New Hope Housing :



	Families	Parents	Children	All people
On our list from DCHS	95	114	214	328
Signed up for	42	48	85	133
Remaining	53	66	129	195



Keep in mind that we are still expecting referrals, especially at the last minute. **We really need more sign-ups today before or after each service** so that the special collection next Sunday, December 17th, can be used for additional families. Remember, large families are divided; **you can sign up for part of a family** or perhaps team up with another parishioner to take on an entire large family.

It is a great experience for children to help select gifts for their less fortunate peers.

As a reminder, used bicycles in any shape are also welcome. Take to: Vélocity Bicycle Cooperative (<https://velocitycoop.org/donate-stuff/>), 2111 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Alexandria, VA. **Vélocity provides beautifully refurbished bikes for many of the children on our list.**

Good used items will find a new life: computers, toys, children's books, calendars, gently used clothing, blankets (for children and adults), warm winter coats, and clothes for parents to wear to a new-found job. You can include good used items unwrapped with your gifts or just bring them to church (please label packages of clothing as to kind and size) to be displayed at our boutique at Human Services where social workers can pick them up for their client families.

NEW: The boutique still needs helpers. John Bednar volunteered to coordinate the work for this two-to-three-person job. Setting up the Boutique involves unpacking and sorting all the used items contributed, laying them out on a table, and hanging up clothes sorted by gender and size. Volunteers are needed on Monday, December 18th, 9 am to 12 pm at the new site of Social Services in the Mark Center. Contact John to let him know if you can help at john.Bednar.silrunner@gmail.com.

Next Sunday's *Ingathering and Blessings of the Gifts* proves to be a very special day in our life as a parish year after year. We will praise God and lift our own spirits as we lift our voices in the glorious singing of *Advent Lessons and Carols*. The blessing of the gifts with which we bring the good news of Christmas perfectly illustrates the unity of inreach and outreach as inseparable parts of the Christian faith. At the forum hour we will show the same spirit in the wrapping of the gifts for children who were not "adopted", always an event of both great purpose in outreach and of great fellowship. See you all there.

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Register TODAY for Lector Training: We host brief Lector Training sessions each Sunday following the 10:30 a.m. Eucharist in Immanuel Chapel. The purpose is to enhance sound quality of the service and to make sure readers are comfortable, announce, and are prepared to serve. Those who have read before but want pointers on how to project their specific voice in a slightly echo-y spacious chapel, should feel free to join us. Send your questions and/or express your interest via email at tmartin@icoh.net, and Tamika Martin or Steven Denlinger will contact you directly. You can also sign up via the QR code at left.

Lay Reader Training

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN
EYC Shrine Mont Weekend! January 12th-15th

The EYC has reserved the Saint Andrews House at Shrine Mont during The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday weekend, January 12–15th for a fun youth program of skiing, tubing, and fellowship. We'll also offer hiking, relaxation, games, puzzles and more.

Episcopal Youth Community youths (6th – 12th graders) and families (depending on space availability) are welcome to join us for all three nights, come for one or two days, or just visit for the day.

For all interested in this trip, please scan the QR code at right to register or contact Brian Rush at james.b.rush2@uscg.mil.

Scan to Register



Forum Hour at Seminary Welcome Center 11:45 AM, Sunday January 14

Family History: Living the Civil Rights Era, with Bryant Mitchell

Please join us on January 14, right after the 10:30 a.m. Eucharist, in The Welcome Center, for an interview with longtime parishioner Bryant Mitchell, whose civil rights experience began as a child plaintiff in a desegregation lawsuit in Charlottesville, and whose parents -- long associated with the Seminary and with Immanuel -- were actively engaged in civil rights activism, bearing witness and having impact across and beyond the State of Virginia.

Come Join Us, and Pray for Us as Immanuel's Social Justice Committee
travels to Richmond on January 17, 2024 to

Ask The General Assembly to LIMIT SOLITARY CONFINEMENT in Virginia

Jesus calls on us to care for those in prison. For a number of years, we have been doing just that through Outreach support to groups like Offender Aid and Restoration, Samaritan Ministry, and the Virginia Interfaith Center for Public Policy. Last year, the Social Justice Committee consulted extensively with the Alexandria Sheriff, the Commonwealth's Attorney, a public defender and Immanuel's Outreach partners to see what more decisive action we could take on this issue. Based on that consultation, the Vestry encouraged us to engage with Virginia's legislature to prohibit solitary confinement for more than two weeks, something the national Episcopal Church and many other denominations have formally condemned as a form of torture. Over the course of 2023, we joined with the Interfaith Center and many houses of worship throughout the State, and our efforts produced two of the most bipartisan pieces of legislation to emerge from the General Assembly this year. The legislation didn't put a time limit on solitary confinement, but the first bill created several procedural safeguards, and the second bill funded an Ombudsman's office to oversee the Department of Corrections' compliance with those safeguards.

We are going to Richmond again on January 17 to get the office of the Ombudsman formally authorized, and to see what other improvements we might be able to make on this issue. Please consider joining us in Richmond for a day of criminal justice dialogue and visits with our state representatives. Once again we've chartered a very comfortable bus, which will depart the Immanuel parking lot at 5:45 a.m. Wednesday, January 17 and return that evening. Please contact [Kathryn Haskin](#), [Jamie Conrad](#), or [David Atwood](#).

CLERGY AND STAFF

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 Taylor Houck Communications
 Caroline Bergmark Evangelism and Newcomers
 Matt Haskin Worship
 Caroline Bergmark and Taylor Houck Fellowship
 Sydney Onley Youth Representative (nonvoting member)
 Caroline Bergmark Registrar

SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I, Zabriskie Chapel
 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Zabriskie Chapel
 3606 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Immanuel Chapel
 3737 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA

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MISSION STATEMENT: Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill is a Christian community in the Episcopal tradition, striving to be in relationship with God and each other as Christ has taught us, actively attempting to sense and to serve God’s plan with great love. We are guided by Mark 16:15: “Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel,” to learn, discern, and proclaim the Good News by being active ministers in the various communities where we live and serve.



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