



# Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill

## Episcopal/Anglican Alexandria, Virginia



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THE SUNDAY AFTER ALL SAINTS' DAY

November 5, 2023

### Holy Eucharist, Rite I, 8:00 a.m.

Page numbers refer to [The Book of Common Prayer](#) (the small red book with a cross).



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## THE WORD OF GOD

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit  
People: *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

Celebrant: Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People: *Amen.*

*Kyrie eleison*

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### DIALOGUE FOR ALL SAINTS:

Celebrant: Praise the Lord, all you saints!  
People: *Praise him all you heavenly hosts!*

Celebrant: Let us praise the name of the Lord:  
People: *For his name only is exalted!*

Celebrant: Abraham, Isaac and Jacob:  
People: *Isaiah, Jeremiah and all you Patriarchs and Prophets!*

Celebrant: Miriam, Ruth, and Naomi:  
People: *Elizabeth, Mary and all you Holy Women!*

Celebrant: Matthew, Mark, and Luke:  
People: *James and John and all you Evangelists and Apostles!*

Celebrant: Abraham, Isaac and Jacob:  
People: *Isaiah, Jeremiah and all you Patriarchs and Prophets!*

Celebrant: Stephen, Thomas, Peter and Paul:  
People: *Philip, Bartholomew, and all you Holy Martyrs!*

Celebrant: Praise the Lord!  
People: *O praise the name of the Lord!*

Celebrant: These are the saints whose robes are washed white in the blood of the Lamb!  
People: *Praise the Lord!*

Celebrant: We are the saints who are the living body of Christ, the Church.  
People: *Praise the Lord! O praise the name of the Lord!*

### The Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.  
People: *And with thy spirit.*  
Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow thy blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys which thou hast prepared for those who unfeignedly love thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

### The First Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. "For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

The Word of the Lord  
Response: *Thanks be to God.*

### Psalms 34:1-10, 22 *Benedicam Dominum*

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times; \*  
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
- 2 I will glory in the Lord; \*  
let the humble hear and rejoice.
- 3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; \*  
let us exalt his Name together.
- 4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me \*  
and delivered me out of all my terror.

- 5 Look upon him and be radiant, \*  
and let not your faces be ashamed.
- 6 I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me \*  
and saved me from all my troubles.
- 7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, \*  
and he will deliver them.
- 8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; \*  
happy are they who trust in him!
- 9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints, \*  
for those who fear him lack nothing.
- 10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, \*  
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
- 22 The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, \*  
and none will be punished who trust in him.

### **The Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3**

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

The Word of the Lord

Response: *Thanks be to God.*

### **The Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12**

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

Response: *Glory be to thee, O Lord.*

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

The Gospel of the Lord

People: *Praise be to thee, O Christ.*

**The Nicene Creed**

*We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.*

*We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.*

*We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

**The Prayers of the People**

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship, in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Grant, we pray you, to your whole Church in paradise and on earth, your light and your peace. *Amen.*

Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die to sin and rise to newness of life, and that through the grave and gate of death we may pass with him to our joyful resurrection. *Amen.*

Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, that your Holy Spirit may lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days. *Amen.*

Grant to your faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins, and serve you with a quiet mind. *Amen.*

We pray for all those suffering as a result of the war between Russia and the Ukraine, and in the conflict between Israel and Hamas; for all of those who have died, for those injured, for those who have lost houses or property, for those taken hostage, for those who volunteered to serve in the armed forces, for those who suffer from hunger, for international relief efforts, and for the Christian population in the Holy Land. *Amen.*

Grant to all who mourn a sure confidence in your fatherly care, that, casting all their grief on you, they may know the consolation of thy love. *Amen.*

Grant us, with all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, to have our consummation and bliss in your eternal and everlasting glory, and with Saint Michael the Archangel, Saint Barbara, Saint Joan of Arc, Saints Martin and Christopher, and all your saints, to receive the crown of life which you have promised to all who share in the victory of your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

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## READING OF THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED SINCE LAST ALL SAINTS'



### Confession of Sin and Absolution

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

**Clergy:** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
People: *And with thy spirit.*

### Welcome

### Stewardship Testimonial

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### The Offertory

Clergy: All things come of thee, O Lord; and of thine own, have we given thee. p. 343

### The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And with thy spirit.*

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: *We lift them up unto the Lord.*

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: *It is meet and right so to do.*

### *Sanctus and Benedictus*

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### The Lord's Prayer

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## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us

People: *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *have mercy upon us.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *have mercy upon us.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *grant us thy peace.*

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

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*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.*

### Post Communion Prayer

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### The Blessing

### The Dismissal

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### SERVING AT THIS EUCHARIST:

*Reader/Intercessor:* Linda Donahue

*Altar Guild:* Diana Walker

*Usher:* Tom Brown

*Flower Guild:* Martha Manson

*Celebrant:* The Rev. Susan D. Parsons

# ALL SAINTS DAY

NOVEMBER 1ST



In the Anglican Communion, Principal Feasts are the most significant observances of the church around which the whole year is designed. They are Easter, Ascension, Pentecost, Trinity Sunday, Epiphany, Christmas, and All Saints.'

While each Sunday is, from the Church's perspective, a Feast of the Lord, these seven observances in particular outline the shape of our faith—the most important ways in which we know who we are as God's people. You may note that they are mostly days that revolve around the life of Jesus, the birth of the church, and how we understand God in Trinity. All Saints' is particularly notable because it is about commemorating those who have given their lives to and for God's love revealed in Christ. It is a day of both memory and aspiration.

Our church recognizes those who have been canonized as Saints, those whose sainthood was known only to their community or to God, and those who have entered into sainthood in the Resurrected Lord.

All Saints' Day is celebrated each November 1st and the Sunday following. On this important day we commemorate and remember those who have died, mourning their loss if we still mourn, and marking it if time has begun to heal our wounds. We pray for the rest and repose of their souls, and for their participation in Christ's Resurrection.

The Rev. Sam Sheridan



## THOSE WHO DIED IN 2023

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### Loved ones of The Immanuel Community

Wendy Adler  
Ronnie Allen  
Jay Alvey  
Jesse Ray Baldwin  
Margaret F. Conrad  
John C. Corbett  
David Corkern  
Martha Ann Melvin Culleton  
Lynn Bergman Dutton  
Perry Epes  
Jan Callies Foster  
Marie Furlong  
Betsy Hahn  
Donald Jackson  
Barbara Hayes Kamp  
Debbie Johnstone Knott  
Robert Knott  
The Rev. Dr. Barbara LaToisan  
Jane Markley  
Dr. Kamla Mathur  
Joe McCullough  
Nancy Downs Means  
Stella Musser  
Michael Kelly Page  
Lou Ann Moore Pate

Bernard James Rafferty  
Will Rodger  
Rand Sealey  
Maryem Sayilgan  
Elizabeth Shelly de Jong  
Ann Shelly  
Connie Vipperman Smith  
Madison Smith  
Marjean Smith  
Louisa Dawson Smucker  
Wayne Spurlock  
Margaret Carrington Stockton  
Freddy Storms  
Patricia Ann Tenanty  
Roberta Shaw "Bobbie" Thomas  
Ellen Thompson  
Russell Thompson  
Eileen Trost  
Nadine Vipperman  
William Watson  
Robert "Bob" Young  
David T. Yount  
Roy Zartarian  
Cecile Kelly Zitelli





## NOTABLE U.S. FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

*Legislators Who Died in Service November 2022 - October 2023*

**The Honorable Dianne Goldman Berman Feinstein**  
United States Senate



## NOTABLE WORLD LEADERS - PAST AND PRESENT

Pope Benedict XVI, Pope Emeritus

## MASS U.S. SHOOTING TRAGEDIES

*Listed in order of occurrence from November 1, 2022 - October 30, 2023 (with school shootings listed first).*

### SCHOOLS

#### UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

Devin Chandler, Lavel Davis, Jr. and D'Sean Perry

#### UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

Ethan Chapin, Kaylee GonCalves,  
Xana Kernodle and Madison Mogen

#### THE COVENANT SCHOOL IN NASHVILLE, TN

Katherine Koonce, Mike Hill, Hallie Scruggs, William  
Kinney, Evelyn Dieckhaus, and Cynthia Peak

#### MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Arielle Anderson, Brian Fraser, and  
Alexander Verner

#### VLADISLAV RIBNIKAR RIBNIKAR MODEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, VRAČAR, BELGRADE, SERBIA

Angelina Acimović, Mara Anđelković, Bojana Asović, Ana Božović, Andrija Čikić, Adriana Dukić,  
Ema Kobiljski, Katarina Martinović, Sofija Negić, and Dragan Vlahović

### PUBLIC/PRIVATE VENUES - Four or More Victims

#### CLUB Q SHOOTING IN COLORADO SPRINGS, CO

Daniel Aston, Kelly Loving, Ashley Paugh, Derrick Rump, and Raymond Green Vance

#### WALMART SHOOTING IN CHESAPEAKE, VA

Randy Blevins, Fernando Chavez-Barron, Lorenzo Gamble Tyneka Johnson, Brian Pendleton, and Kellie Pyle

#### STAR BALLROOM DANCE STUDIO IN MONTEREY PARK, CA

Xiujuan Yu, Hongying Jian, Lilian Li, Mymy Nhan, Muoi Dai Ung, and Diana Man Ling Tom,  
Wen-Tau Yu, Valentino Marcos Alvero, Ming Wei Ma, Yu-Lun Kao, and Chia Ling Yau

#### SEVERAL HOMES, A PICKUP TRUCK, AND A CONVENIENCE STORE; ARKABUTLA, TATE COUNTY, MI

Chris Boyce, Debra Crum, George McCain, Lynda McCain, Charles Manuel, and John Rorie

#### OLD NATIONAL BANK, LOUISVILLE, KY

Josh Barrick, Deana Eckert, Tommy Elliott, Juliana Farmer, and Jim Tutt

#### SWEET 16 BIRTHDAY PARTY AT MAHOGANY MASTERPIECE DANCE STUDIO, DADEVILLE, AL

Marsiah Emmanuel Collins, Philstavious Dowdell, Corbin Dahmontrey Holston,  
and Shaunkivia (Keke) Nicole Smith



**HOME ON WALTER DRIVE, CLEVELAND, SAN JACINTO COUNTY, TX**

Diana Velázquez, José Jonathan Cásarez, Sonia Argentina Guzman, Daniel Enrique Laso-Guzman,  
and Julisa Molina Rivera

**ALLEN PREMIUM OUTLETS MALL, ALLEN, TX**

Elio Cumana-Rivas, Christian LaCour, Daniela Mendoza, Sofia Mendoza, Cho Kyu Song, James Song,  
Aishwarya Thatikonda, and Kang “Cindy” Shin Young

**THE KINGSESSING NEIGHBORHOOD IN PHILADELPHIA, PA**

Daujan Brown, Lashyd Merritt, Ralph Moralis, Dymir Stanton and Joseph Wamah, Jr.

**FOURTH OF JULY BLOCK PARTY IN SHREVEPORT, LA**

Moriz Aziz, Syncere Brown, Jarike Dorsey, and Demorie Williams

**HENRY COUNTY, HAMPTON, GA**

Steve Blizzard, Ronald Jeffers, Scott Douglas Leavitt, and Shirley Leavitt

**JUST-IN-TIME RECREATION BOWLING ALLEY SHOOTING, LEWISTON, ME**

Tricia Asselin, Stephen “Steve” Vozzella, Peyton Brewer-Ross, Thomas “Tommy” Conrad,  
Michael Deslauriers II, Jason Walker, Bryan MacFarlane, Arthur “Artie” Strout, Joseph “Joey” Walker,  
Joshua Seal, Keith MacNeir, Maxx Hathaway, Robert “Bob” Violette, Lucille Violette,  
William “Bill” Young and Aaron Young, Ronald “Ron” Morin, and William Frank Brackett

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**FAMILIES**

**THE MANN FAMILY OF CHARLES COUNTY, MD**

Kai Mann, Sara Mann, Sommaly Mann and Javon Watson

**THE HAIGHT FAMILY OF CEDAR CITY, UT**

Tausha Shaunell Haight, Fail Earl, Macie Haight, Brilee Haight, Sienna Haight,  
Ammon Haight, and Gavin Haight

**THE CRAYTON FAMILY OF HIGH POINT, NC**

Athalia A. Crayton, Kasim Crayton, Nyla Crayton, and Nasir Crayton

**THE PARRAZ FAMILY OF GOSHEN, CA**

Nycholas Parraz, Alissa Parraz, Marcos Parraz, Rosa Parraz, Eladio Parraz, Jr., and Jennifer Analla

**THE OLALDE FAMILY OF NASH, TX**

Aida Garcia-Mendoza, Lisbet Olalde, Oliver Olalde and Reuben Olalde

**THE FLORES/ARMENDARIZ FAMILY OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OK**

Cassandra Flores, Hillary Armendariz, Damaris Armendariz, and Matias Armendariz

## ALWAYS IN OUR HEARTS

*Beloved Friends and Family of Immanuelites Who Died in Prior Years*

Joseph R. and Mildred V. Alexander  
Helen C. Angle  
Emmanuel d'Amonville  
Preston A. Atwood  
Gilberto Andrade Borges  
Isabel and Manoel Andrade Borges  
Osvaldo Andrade Borges  
James and Mabel Coakley  
Andria Aikman Dickson  
William Fenner "Bill" Frye IV  
Bobby and Ann Furber  
James C. Gerhart  
Edwin Gooding  
Katherine Maas Gooding  
Richard R. G. Hobson  
J. William "Bill" Kilpatrick  
Grace Soos Harber  
David Vaughn Henry  
Mary Ellen Henry  
Alfred Maas  
Georgia Shepherd Maas  
Margaret and Lawrence MacNamara  
Lawrence MacNamara, Jr.  
LeRissa Europa Martin  
Robert Alan Martin  
Hedy Mergenthaler  
Margaret Ann Clarke Moring  
Edgar and Dorothy Phaneuf  
Robert R. Powers  
Richard M. Rogers  
Samuel and Sara Rowley  
Bradford Paine Shaw  
George Shepherd  
Myrtle Shepherd  
Barclay Manierre Smith  
Coleman Soos  
Gizella Soos  
Davis and June Stevenson  
Franklin and Elizabeth Tavernier  
Charles O. Willis



# IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL

## Parish Notes

### November 5, 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](http://www.icoh.net)).

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

**PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY:** Alice, Jack Allen, Kathryn Anschutz, Dave and Betsy Fox Berry, David Craig, 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, Bogumil Knypinski, 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, Tom Summers, Brian Tolson, Graham Tomlinson, Fred Vipperman, Mark Vipperman, Rosemary Wensing, Ryan Willis, and Richard Zitelli.

**Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week:** Philip Brown, Debby Hepburn, Gary DeVight, Carrie Rodriguez, Liza Conrad, Caroline Kurz, Charlotte Taylor, Rebecca Taylor, Julie Bruns, Faith Olson, Melinda Ashton, Hugh Campbell, Sasha Koch, Isa Stockton, Lauren Jennings, and Lissa Soergel.

**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:** Madison Smith, daughter of Doug Onley's friend and colleague. *Rest eternal grant to her, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon her.*

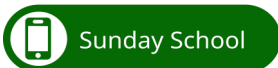
## SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS TODAY!

### *Still time to register students aged 5-12, grades K-6*



Today is the very first day of Sunday School, scheduled to begin after the 9:00 a.m. Eucharist in Zabriskie Chapel. There's still time to register your child using the Google Form in our weekly e-blast or on our website — look for the carousel of rotating images on the homepage and click on slide "[Immanuel Sunday School Registration](#)" pictured at right, or scan the QR code at left with your cell phone.

We can't wait for your student(s) to join us!



# Announcements

## WEEKDAY WORSHIP AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Morning Prayer, Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, Zabriskie Chapel

**Wednesday Evening Eucharist November 8<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 p.m., Zabriskie Chapel**

*Same Day, New Time:* Beginning December 6<sup>th</sup>, this service moves to 12 noon.

**Bible Study “The Gospel of Matthew: Book of the Messiah”, Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup> @10:30 a.m. online via Zoom. Look for login details in your weekly eBlast email.**

Evening Compline, Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 p.m., Online via Zoom

**Immanuel’s Boy Scout Troop Holiday Sale:** Immanuel’s BSA Troop 131 is selling holiday evergreen wreaths and decorations. This is one of the troop’s largest fundraisers. The troop uses proceeds from the wreath sale to support Scout activities, purchase Merit Badges and other patches for Scout uniforms, and provide scholarships to Scouts for events as needed.

If you are interested in purchasing holiday evergreens from the troop, there are two ways you can order:

1. You can order online through the friends and family website. Please include “**BSA131**” as your FUNDRAISER CODE when ordering! Items purchased through the friends and family website: <https://my.evergreenindustries.com/bsa131> will be delivered directly to the purchaser via mail.
2. You can purchase directly from Scouts at **coffee hour after all three services** today **November 5, and November 12**. Items purchased through the in-person, coffee hour sales will be available for pick up in the Zabriskie parking lot on December 3 between 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM.

Questions? Contact Francine Wargo directly at [wargo12@yahoo.com](mailto:wargo12@yahoo.com). Thank you!

**Forum Hour: Sunday, November 19 at 10:00 AM in Zabriskie Parish Hall**

### ***Alexandria’s NEW Composting Program: A Creation Care Opportunity***

Learn what food waste does to a landfill and discover why Alexandria City’s new food waste composting pilot program is so important in reducing local emissions. Join Howard Lee, a Recycling Analyst for the City’s Department of Transportation and Environmental Services, as he describes the new program. If you are a resident of Alexandria, find out if you are eligible to participate in this program and explore the other composting options available to all residents.

For more information, contact Denise Freeland: [eco.voce@verizon.net](mailto:eco.voce@verizon.net).

***If you are seeking to deepen your spiritual life, Join the BENEDICTINE COMMUNITY via Zoom:*** If you want more contemplation in your life, you are invited to become part of the Benedictine Community at Immanuel. **Join us this Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>** — we meet (virtually) twice a month on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays from 7-8 pm. We gather as companions on the journey with one another while drawing wisdom from selected reading material and the ancient traditions and wisdom of Benedictine practice and prayer. We use Zoom for our meetings; however, if you are not comfortable with the video aspects of Zoom, simply call us and participate by voice-only via the telephone. For more information, please contact Dana [dana.hengst@gmail.com](mailto:dana.hengst@gmail.com), Barbara [cr8vweaver@gmail.com](mailto:cr8vweaver@gmail.com) or David [David\\_Atwood@hotmail.com](mailto:David_Atwood@hotmail.com).



## **DC Chamber Musicians**

**Randall Stewart, Artistic Advisor**

**Zabriskie Chapel**

**Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill**

**Sunday, November 12, 3:00 p.m.**

**Tickets: Adult \$10, Senior/Student \$5**

**Shostakovich Piano Quintet**

**Jadin Nocturne No. 1**

**Gambaro *Quatuors Concertans* Nos. 1 & 2**

**Ewazen Trio for Clarinet, Viola and Piano**



## EASY WAY TO SIGN UP: [NOVEMBER 2023](#)

Sign-up to Serve on Sundays



Lay Ministry  
SignUp Genius

### Sign up to Serve in our Sunday Services 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](http://www.ICOH.net) and clicking on the red button at left.

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 [asoos@icoh.net](mailto:asoos@icoh.net). Finally, if you need training for a particular ministry, please send a request to [sparsons@icoh.net](mailto:sparsons@icoh.net) or indicate so in the comments box under your name on the online form. Thank you!

#### Forum Hour in Honor of Veteran's Day:

#### *"GOD, FAITH AND COUNTRY"*

Sunday November 12<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m., Zabriskie Parish Hall

Join us for a special presentation on who veterans are, why they serve, and the critical role faith has in their motivation for action — and how best to show appreciation for their service. All are encouraged to attend.



**MONTHLY SATURDAY BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY [NOVEMBER 18<sup>th</sup>](#) @ 8:00 AM Held Online via Zoom:** Join Immanuel's monthly Saturday morning Breakfast Bible Study on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 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 **Jeremiah 34:8-18** "*... the Lord says: You have not obeyed me; you have not proclaimed freedom to your own people*" using the African Model of Reflection. For more information, please visit [our webpage "Breakfast Bible Study"](#), or contact Chrissie Crosby at [cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com](mailto:cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com).

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

## IMMANUEL'S SECOND ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE NOVEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>—SIGN UP NOW!

We are partnering with Inova Hospital for the second time to host a blood drive on **Sunday, November 19, from noon to 4pm** in the Zabriskie parking lot. The link to sign up is now LIVE!! Please scan the QR code below to pick a time, or you can reach out to **Katherine Maas** at [katherinemaas@gmail.com](mailto:katherinemaas@gmail.com). Please express your interest by filling out your name, email, and phone number in this form, or by contacting Katherine Maas at [katherinemaas@gmail.com](mailto:katherinemaas@gmail.com).

Blood drives are a meaningful way to help our community—one in seven people entering the hospital need blood and a single car accident victim can require as many as 100 pints of blood. The blood from our drive will likely be used within 48 hours after it ends. Please see recently updated eligibility guidance [on Inova's site here](#) and [on the FDA's site here](#). If you are not eligible to donate, please consider [volunteering at the registration table](#)—even helping out for an hour would help! If you are considering donating for the first time, Inova has some helpful information [here](#). Please contact Katherine with any questions or to express interest in volunteering. Thank you!



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**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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