The Feast of the Resurrection EASTER DAY



"Resurrection" by Ukrainian artist Ivanka Demchuk, born 1990

HOLY EUCHARIST at 8:00A.M.

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IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL

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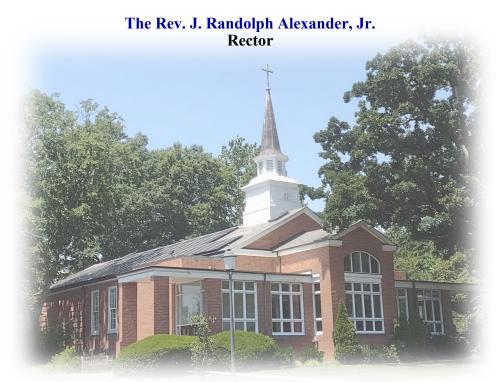
Welcome to the celebration of our Lord's Resurrection at Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill!

If you are visiting today, welcome! If you are returning to Church after a long absence, welcome! If you are a seeker, trying to understand something of God's love and dreams for you, welcome!

May the depth of God's love for all of us be unmistakable and clear. Through Scripture, Sacrament, music, the spoken word, and our fellowship together, may God be praised. May we also be strengthened and fortified for the journey that lies before us.

Truly, Christ is Risen, and that makes all the difference.

Happy Easter!



THE WORD OF GOD

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen. People: *The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia*!

The Collect of Purity

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. *Amen*.

Gloria in excelsis

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

The Celebrant says to the people

The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, who for our redemption didst give thine only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection hast delivered us from the power of our enemy: Grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

The First Lesson: Isaiah 25:6-9

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

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

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-17, 21-24 Confitemini Domino

1	Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; *
	his mercy endures for ever.

- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, * "His mercy endures for ever."
- 14 The Lord is my strength and my song, * and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory * in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! * the right hand of the Lord is exalted! the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, * and declare the works of the Lord.
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me * and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected * has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the Lord's doing, * and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the Lord has acted; * we will rejoice and be glad in it.

The Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you--unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim

and so you have come to believe.

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

The Holy Gospel: John 20:1-18

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John People: *Glory be to thee, O Lord*.

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."" Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

The Gospel of the Lord People: *Praise be to thee, O Christ*.

The Sermon: The Rev. J. Randolph Alexander, Jr.

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

After the words "Alleluia! Christ is Risen!", the congregation responds with "*The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!*"

The Peace

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

Welcome from The Rector

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

All things come of Thee, O Lord, *and of Thine own have we given Thee*.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II

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 unto our Lord God.People:It is meet and right so to do.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

But chiefly are we bound to praise thee for the glorious resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and hath taken away the sin of the world; who by his death hath destroyed death, and by his rising to life again hath won for us everlasting life.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

Celebrant and People

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Then the Celebrant continues

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

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Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. *Amen*.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant:

Our Father. who art in heaven. hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, thy will be done. on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us *Response:* Therefore let us keep the feast, Alleluia.

Fraction Anthem

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 bought to you

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

The Easter Blessing

The Dismissal

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia! People: *Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!*

SERVING AT THIS EUCHARIST:

Reader/Intercessor: Amy Thomas Altar Guild: Susan Gildersleeve, Diana Walker Flower Guild: The Immanuel Flower Guild Vestry Greeter/Counter: Caroline Bergmark Usher: Dodd Sims Coffee Host: Jennifer Greiner Celebrant: The Rev. Susan D. Parson p. 339

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Easter Flower Dedications

In memory of James William "Bill" Kilpatrick Anonymous Stephen Brown In memory of the Brown Family Tom and Sally Guy Brown In thanksgiving for Grandsons James, Thomas and Fenton The Campbell Family In thanksgiving for our grandchildren: Hugh, Matthew, Elizabeth, Chloe, Claire, and Virginia The Christoffersen Family In loving memory of Rebecca Cotton Christoffersen Janice Corbett In memory of John C. Corbett Gary and Mei Lung De Vight In thanksgiving for Diane Crowder and Carrie Szaksz, sister and niece of Lynn Pulley-Paine, friend of Mei Lung and Gary De Vight; and in loving memory of Ann Huntington Linda and Gil Donahue In thanksgiving for Parker K. Donahue Carolyn Ferguson In thanksgiving for Mike Ferguson family The Heckenberg and Houck Families In memory of LTC Doane (Spike) M. Wilson, with love Douglas Henry In thanksgiving for the choirs of Immanuel Tom and Deborah Hewson In memory of Bill and Sue Davis Ruthanna Hooke and Judy Adkins In memory of Patty McGrane In thanksgiving for our grandchildren, Ben and Scarlett John Doug and Wendy John Danette (Dani) Gentile Kauffman In thanksgiving for Kerry Kelly Wade's ministry to our church community, and in memory of Gretchen and Daniel Gentile The Kirby Family In memory of Joseph Louis Kirby David and Mollie Lambert In thanksgiving for Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill The Maas/Hicks Family In memory of Georgia Shepherd Maas Ann MacNamara In memory of Lawrence and Margaret MacNamara, Lawrence MacNamara, Jr. and Helen C. Angle Sudie McGahuey In thanksgiving for the creativity of Harriet Bliss Elizabeth Moss In memory of Calvin and Arlina Moss The Rev. Susan Parsons In thanksgiving for my children, Jennifer Tantillo and Diana Stoltzfus Barbara Belden Ramsdell In thanksgiving for the birth of great granddaughter Eleanor Elizabeth Hahn The Shimkin Family In memory of Janet Engdahl, mother and grandmother Dodd and Phyllis Sims In thanksgiving for our grandchildren Paul Smyth and Denise Freeland In thanksgiving for daughter, son-in-law and grandchildren Jim and Laura Snow In thanksgiving for our children and grandchildren John and Beth Trerotola In memory of John and Marianna Trerotola, and Larry Tatinski Darrell Wilson and Family In memory of our grandmothers, June Barbee and Lurene Twaddle

Easter Music Dedications



In thanksgiving for Patty, William, Peter, and Andrew and the fellowship we share

at Immanuel; In memory of Joe and Mildred Alexander, Ed and Dorothy Phaneuf,

Randy Alexander

Connie Smith and Betty Harris Anonymous In memory of James William "Bill" Kilpatrick Stephen Brown In memory of the Lacsamana Family Anthony Christino and Adrianne Goins In thanksgiving for Martha and Ruth Christino The Christoffersen Family In loving memory of John Pierce Cotton The Clausen Family In loving memory of Andy and Alice Biache and Lynn Dutton Janice Corbett In thanksgiving for my friends and family Linda and Gil Donahue In memory of Paul Louie Carolyn Ferguson In memory of Mike Ferguson Jeff Gary In thanksgiving for the Young and Gary families Douglas Henry In memory of Mary Ellen Henry Tom and Deborah Hewson In memory of Tom and Betsy Hewson Jim Hobson In memory of Nan Hobson Kathleen Hobson and Family In memory of Richard R.G. Hobson In thanksgiving for prayers of the parish, visits by clergy, recovering health. Marianne Ingold Thanks be to God! Doug and Wendy John In thanksgiving for our grandchildren, Thomas and Cora John Tom and Roz Kerns In thanksgiving for our Family and Immanuel The Kirby Family In memory of Lloyd and Marie Monnin The Maas/Hicks Family In memory of Georgia Shepherd Maas Sudie McGahuey In thanksgiving for the joy of music of George and Eleanor Bliss Mary Ann Rehnke In memory of Charles O. Willis John and Edna Roberts In memory of our parents Jack and Lucy Roberts, and Bus and Vernie Knight The Shimkin Family In memory of Michael Shimkin and Roger Engdahl, fathers and grandfathers In memory of our parents, Jimmie and Betty Sims, and Bobby and Helen Parks Dodd and Phyllis Sims In thanksgiving and memory for the life and witness of our beloved parents, Katherine Smith and Brian Young Ann and Bob Young, and John and Eleanor Smith Pau Smyth and Denise Freeland In thanksgiving for Jane Tavernier, and the choir Rosi Urbine In memory of Tony and Frances Urbine Darrell Wilson and Family In memory of our dear friend, Jane Temoshok

IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL Parish Notes March 31, 2024



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: Colette Brown, Natalie Doyle Hennin, Rollin Huntington, Marianne Ingold, Johnson/Gildersleeve Family, Joseph, Kenny, Ann MacNamara, Cynthia Morton, Linda and Cy Murphy, Tony and Patsy Rogers, Catherine Sinclair, John Smucker, Norma Taliaferro, Zuzanna and Spencer Wise.

PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY: Jack Allen, Kathryn Anschutz, Dave and Betsy Fox Berry, Peter Blackledge, Jean Couban, Steve Davis, Dana DeCecco, Joseph Fabian, Gerald, Linda Gill, Betty Hicks, MaryAnn Hollis, Louise Jackson, Joanne, Tom Kellner, Charlotte Kellogg, Joseph and Elaine Kelly, Winnie Kidd, Lillian Kozuma, Ann Langdon-Days, Lysbeth, Marge McGoff, Joe Miceli, Michael, Stephen Miller, McQuade Milligan, Mary Muniz, Carol Ording, Shelby Ochs Owen, Pamela, Paul, Lilly Pinner, Sarah Pollach, Jennie Rae, Sue Rehnke, Roger, Bridget Rice Rose, Shawn Rush, George Rustigian, Brother Efrain Sosu, Fred Vipperman, Mark Vipperman, Rosemary Wensing, Sarah Whitley, Jean Williams, Ryan Willis, and Richard Zitelli.

Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week: Rupal Pujara, Billie Tyler, Kathryn Jackson Haskin, Doris Ablard, Will Ashton Jr., Melissa Ennis, Caro Page, Ian Donahue, Jay Hambrick, Bonnie Fairbank, Cyrus Murphy Jr., David Fite, Isla Martin, and Katherine Whitman.

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: Known victims of Baltimore's Francis Scott Key Bridge tragedy: Dorlian Ronial Castillo Cabrera, Alejandro Hernandez Fuentes, Jose Mynor Lopez, Miguel Luna, and Maynor Suazo Sandoval. *Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them*.

APRIL 14TH FORUM HOUR: <u>Success (mostly) at the General Assembly</u>! A core focus of Immanuel's Social Justice Committee is working with the Virginia General Assembly to see that the Commonwealth's laws and budget reflect values central to Christianity and other major religions, like treating our neighbors as ourselves and caring for the imprisoned. For the second year in a row, the Committee rented a motor coach and took a dozen or so members, as well as friends from other congregations, to participate in the annual "Day for All People" lobby day of the Virginia Interfaith Center for Public Policy. This year was particularly successful. Come hear about what we accomplished — and what remains to be done. Not sure this is your cup of tea? Following the 10:30 a.m. Eucharist on Sunday, April 14, hear about our fun and inspiring our trip to Richmond in The Welcome Center. Contact Jamie Conrad with any questions.

Announcements

WEEKDAY WORSHIP AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES All are welcome to participate

Morning Prayer returns Tuesday, April 9th @ 10:00 a.m., Zabriskie Chapel

Noonday Holy Eucharist Rite II, Wednesday, April 10th, Zabriskie Chapel

Weekly Bible Study "*The Gospel of Matthew: Book of the Messiah*" resumes Thursday, April 11th @10:30 a.m. online via Zoom. *Look for login details in your weekly eBlast email.*

Evening Compline, Friday, April 12th @ 8:30 p.m., Online via Zoom

Immanuel's Children's Chapel meets each Sunday, 10:00 --10:25a.m, in the Oratory at Immanuel Chapel! (The Oratory is a small chapel on the other end of the hallway—opposite the parlor/ coffee hour). Our Children's Chapel is a 25-minute service rich with prayer, Bible stories, music, and reflections to teach our children about God's love. All are welcome!

Our EYC (Episcopal Youth Community-Grades 7-12) meets every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month, 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the Zabriskie Parish Hall.

Questions? Contact Rev. Sarah directly at sspurlockbiggs@icoh.net.

Creation Care Monthly Meeting April 2^{nd}: The Creation Care monthly meeting is scheduled for the first Tuesday of each month, the next one set for April 2^{nd} at 7:30 p.m online via Zoom. Please mark your calendars. If you are interested in participating and do not already receive meeting notices, please email Denise Freeland to receive the Zoom link: <u>eco.voce@verizon.net</u>.



†Youth Sunday **†** April 7th **†**

Mark your Calendar! Immanuel's children and youth will host a youth-led service at 10:30am on April 7th, Immanuel Chapel. Our youth will serve in many of the lay ministry roles normally filled by adults serving. Review the list below and ask your child if they can serve that Sunday in one of the following:

🕈 Altar Guild	🕆 Intercessor
🕆 Crucifer	Reader(s)
🕆 Flower Guild	🕆 Usher(s)

There are so many ways to serve! (We'll be sure everyone knows of their roles ahead of time and will meet at 10:00a.m. that morning to prepare for the service)

To sign-up, please scan the QR code at left!



Spring Clean-Out Event

DONATE, RECYCLE, DISPOSE

Join us for our Spring Clean Out Event! We're offering this event free of charge to our clients and community members.

We are partnering with **123 Junk, Yuck Old Paint, ALIVE! Alexandria and TrueShred Secure Document Destruction** to collect donations, recycle, shred or safely dispose of your unwanted items and documents.

Please scan the QR code below to sign-up. You will receive a confirmation email with your ticket along with information on what items can and cannot be accepted. Please present your ticket at the check-in desk when you arrive.

Saturday, April 6th / 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill / 3606 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA





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ALL ABOARD! Senior Adult Ministry and Fellowship Tour of THE TALL SHIP PROVIDENCE

Monday, April 8th 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Waterfront Park

Immanuel's Senior Adult Ministry is going into Old Town Alexandria on Monday, April 8 for a <u>tour of the tall</u> <u>ship Providence</u>. The Providence is docked at the **Waterfront Park** as part of the new **Senator John Warner Maritime Heritage Center**. We will take a one-hour tour, hosted by two costumed interpreters, during which we will each be assigned a crew position and learn about the workings of a ship during the 18th century. While the information will be presented dockside, those who are able can then board the ship and visit the quarterdeck, the main deck, the captain's quarters, and the hold. We will also have access to the **Naval History Theater** and a film about the Providence.

Afterward, we will adjourn across the park to Virtue Feed and Grain for lunch (or you may choose to bring a bag lunch if the weather looks favorable).

The van will leave the Zabriskie parish hall at 9:30am, stop at Goodwin House-Baileys Crossroads, at Goodwin House Alexandria and The View (as needed) and then proceed to the Waterfront Park. The tour will last from 10:30 to 11:30. After lunch we will leave Old Town and return to the parish hall via the various other stops, to arrive no later than 2:30pm.

Tickets are \$18/person, and there's a \$20 co-pay to ride the van. Each person will be responsible for their own lunch. Please RSVP to Karen Besser at <u>Karen.Besser@gmail.com</u>.

EASY WAY TO SIGN UP: APRIL-MAY

Sign up to Serve in our Sunday Services <u>through Pentecost</u> ONLINE via Our Red SignUp Genius Button

Please sign up to serve as a Reader, Intercessor, Usher, Acolyte, Altar Guild, Crucifer and/or Chalice Bearer online via <u>SignUp Genius</u> for Immanuel by visiting the landing page of our website at <u>www.ICOH.net</u> and <u>clicking on the red button at left</u>. If you're a student — or planning Summer travel — feel free to sign-up for the Feast of Pentecost *only*.

Sign-up to Serve on Sundays Lay Ministry SignUp Genius 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 <u>asoos@icoh.net</u>. Finally, if you need training for a particular ministry, please send a request to Mother Susan at <u>sparsons@icoh.net</u> or indicate so in the comments box under your name on the online form. THANK YOU — especially to all who have signed-up!

MONTHLY SATURDAY BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY Saturday, April 20th, 8:00 AM Held

Online via Zoom: Join Immanuel's monthly Saturday morning Breakfast Bible Study on Saturday, April 20th online via Zoom (find this bulletin on our website under the "Worship" tab, then click on the link below) beginning at 8 AM. Our new theme for 2024 is *Anxiety*! This month we will read Lamentations 3:19–26 *"Surely the Lord's mercies are not over...every morning they are renewed...The Lord is good to those who trust him, to all who search for him*" using the African Model of Reflection. For more information, please visit <u>our webpage "Breakfast Bible Study</u>", or contact Chrissie Crosby at <u>cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com</u>.

Join Zoom Saturday Breakfast Bible Study Meeting / Meeting ID: 959 5450 6553 /Passcode: 027913

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Peter Kent	Junior Warden: Administration		
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Julie Bruns			
Kathy Lloyd	Children Youth and Family Ministries		
Mark Fearer	Social Justice and Pastoral Care		
Brian Rush	Evangelism and Newcomers		
Philip Brown	Fellowship		
Caroline Bergmark	Communications		
Sophie Johnson, Sydney Onley, David Stayanoff, and Isabelle Young-SmithYouth Representatives			

SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I, Zabriskie Chapel9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Zabriskie Chapel3606 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA

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

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