



January 9, 2022

# News & Notes

*A community growing in Christ, living in grace and serving in love.*

## SUNDAY MORNINGS

**Worship with us:** 9:30 am, with Holy Communion, in person or via livestream [on the website](#) or through YouTube and Facebook (including on your Smart TV). A recording will be available after the service.

**Coffee Hour:** You're invited to remain inside for fellowship, but without coffee and treats

**Faith formation:** 10:30 am

Age 3–grade 5: Lower Commons

Grades 6–12: Youth Room

## WEDNESDAYS

**Music rehearsal schedule:**

4:45 pm Choristers (grades 2-6). Music Room

6:45 pm Jubilate Ringers (handbells). Sanctuary

7:45 pm Cantorei (adult choir). East Lounge

**Confirmation (grades 7 & 8):** 7 pm. Youth Room

## This Week:

### ATTEND WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All Immanuel women are invited to gather for good company and good conversation **Monday (1/10) at 9:30 am** in the Gathering Space. We will use the study from the *Gather* magazine.

### COLLECT YOUR POINSETTIA

If you ordered a poinsettia, please take yours home.

### PICK UP OFFERING ENVELOPES

Envelopes are under the office-area bulletin board. Grab yours as you leave worship. If you wish to pick up during the week or to have it mailed to you, please call the church office (651-699-5560).

## Ongoing/Coming Up:

### COME SLEDDING

All are invited to a sledding outing on **Sunday, Jan. 23, at 10:45 am**. This will replace our children's faith formation time. Meet just inside the north gate (Glendale Avenue and Beverly Road) of the Town & Country Golf Course in St. Paul. There are hills for all ages there. If there's interest, cocoa, sub sandwiches and a fire pit will be provided in the King garage, just down the alley. Please RSVP to Emily King.

### PACK MEALS FOR FAMILIES

Join others from Immanuel and our neighbor churches to pack bags at Every Meal, which sends meal ingredients home with students on weekends. Our packing time is **Friday, Jan. 28, at 1-3 pm**. Please contact Emily King to get the signup link. Anyone age 8 and up can join us — invite a friend!

### PLAN TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING

The Immanuel community is invited to our annual meeting **Sunday, Jan. 30, at 11:30 am** via Zoom. Anyone may attend, but you must be a member in good standing to vote. The Finance Team will present the 2022 budget to the congregation on **Sunday, Jan. 23, after worship**. This is an opportunity to ask questions about our current and expected financial health.

### GIVE AS YOU ARE ABLE

You can make your offerings using this QR code or mail your offering to the church. We are so grateful for your gifts!



## THINK WARM: THINK SUMMER CAMPS!

We are already thinking about VBS and IMAC. If you have children, friends, relatives or neighbors who might want to attend, please share these dates: **VBS day camp**, June 13–17, 9 am–4 pm; **Immanuel's Music & Arts Camp**, Aug. 8–12, 9 am–3:15 pm. More information coming soon!

## SEND IN YOUR KUDOS, NEWS, EVEN ART

Did you read about the changes coming next year to our long-form newsletter? If you haven't seen the December/January edition of the Messenger, you can read it [on our website](#). We'll need your good news! We want to hear about awards (large and small), parts in plays, favorite books in our library, acts of kindness, beloved Bible verses and more. Send them to Emily at [eking@ilcsp.org](mailto:eking@ilcsp.org) or leave her a message.

## DEDICATE ALTAR FLOWERS

If you'd like to purchase flowers, go to [bit.ly/3jogYYt](https://bit.ly/3jogYYt) to sign up and add an optional dedication. The cost is \$50.

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

We lift in prayer: Andrea, Brielle, Craig, David, Gordy, Hafizan, Irene, Janet, Jerry, Josie, Karen, MaryAnn, Matt, Natalie, Nathan E., Nathan L., Ricky, Sarah, Stephen, Tim, Tom, Wanda, Wayne

Our partner congregations Mkimbizi and Magubike Lutheran churches of Tanzania and brothers and sisters in Christ in Guatemala.

## WORSHIP DETAILS FOR JANUARY 16

Assisting Minister: Matt Olson

Reader: Peter Hansen

Communion Assistants: Russ Edhlund, Elsie Fohrenkamm

Ushers: Jerry Sandahl and Judie Prayfrock

THE WEEK AHEAD: JANUARY 9 –15						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>See Page 1 for regular programming</b></p> <p>1P Building Reopen Team meeting (Zoom)</p> <p>6:30P Riverside Innovation Hub (Zoom)</p>	<p>9A Per Mar security training</p> <p>9A NLC meeting</p> <p>9:30A Women's Bible study (GS)</p> <p>6:30P Troop 90 (FH, LC, LLSS)</p>	<p>9:30A Staff meeting (GS, Zoom)</p> <p>5:15P Leadership Team meeting (Zoom)</p> <p>7P CC7 meeting</p>	<p>10:30A TOPS (WL)</p> <p><b>See Page 1 for regular programming</b></p>	<p>9A Improvers</p> <p>8P Membership meeting (Zoom)</p>		<p>8A Winged Heart Yoga (EL)</p> <p>10A AI-Anon (WL)</p>

Abbreviations: YR: Youth Room EC: Education Commons WL: West Lounge EL: East Lounge LC: Lower Commons GS: Gathering Space FH: Fellowship Hall