



IMMANUEL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

transforming tradition

“In life and in death we belong to God.”

We have been called
to belong to the body of Christ
and to seek God’s purposes in this place.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church is
our home, where we grow and welcome all;
our community, where we care for one another and serve others.

We promise
to worship regularly,
to learn openly,
to give generously,
to live together in the unity of the Spirit
as a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA)
and to share the work of mission and ministry...
transforming tradition in the church and in the world.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church Covenant of 2012

+* RESPONSE *(the congregation sings)*

Our hope is in no other save in Thee;
our faith is built upon Thy promise free;
Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,
that in Thy strength we evermore endure.
Our help is in the name of God the Lord.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SCRIPTURES Luke 8:22-25

(NT 67)

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

* HYMN 8 Eternal Father, Strong to Save

Melita

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER

SOLO "Steal Away"

African American spiritual

*Steal away, steal away, steal away to Jesus. Steal away, steal away home,
I ain't got long to stay here. My Lord, he calls me; he calls me by the thunder.
Green trees are bending; poor sinners stand a trembling. My Lord, he calls me;
he calls me by the lightning. The trumpet sounds within my soul.
I ain't got long to stay here.*

Nathan Wesselowski, soloist

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

Commissioning of Youth Mission Team

THE WORSHIP OF GOD WITH OFFERINGS

*(During the Offertory, please sign your name in the red Friendship Folder
as it comes to you in the pew. Pass the folder back to its starting place,
noting your neighbors. Please greet one another by name following the service.)*

OFFERTORY

Our Father in Heaven

J. S. Bach

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING, THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.

* HYMN 609 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

THE SCRIPTURES Galatians 3:23-29

(NT 189)

Leader: *The Word of God for the people of God.*

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "All Children of God"

Dr. Block

"For in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith"

* HYMN 317 In Christ There Is No East or West

McKee

* BENEDICTION

* RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

In Thee Is Joy

J. S. Bach

*The flowers are given by Judith Schulz and Chris Bonin
to the glory of God and in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary.*

If you are visiting Immanuel Church today, we welcome you to Milwaukee's first church, marking its **185th anniversary** this spring. Today's congregation of over 500 members comes from next door, neighborhoods throughout the city, and as far north as Port Washington, as far south as Kenosha, and as far west as Summit. Our livestream worship link extends our community across the country. Committed to "keeping faith in the city," Immanuel supports the Interchange Food Pantry and is active with Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity and Southeastern Wisconsin Common Ground. Global mission projects reach to Zambia and Cuba. Worship is our first priority and education is emphasized for all ages. Contact Associate Pastor Rob Ater (robertater@immanuelwi.org) for more information about Immanuel or church membership.

Church School will resume in September. Vacation Bible School is scheduled for August 9, 10, and 11. **The "crying room" on the second floor** is open for parents who need an alternate space with a child during the worship service. Nursery care will be reinstated pending the hiring of child care workers.

Mr. Ater is on vacation and will return on July 1. Ms. Larson is recovering at home from Covid-19 and hopes to return early next week.

UPDATE: CHANGING COVID-19 CIRCUMSTANCES

The highly contagious current variant and continued illness among members persuade maintaining current masking protocols. The Session's objective is to maintain a worship environment that is as healthy as possible for all persons, with special concern for the most vulnerable. **Masks are required in the church building.** All persons interacting with worshipers on behalf of the church (staff, greeters, ushers, elders) are fully vaccinated. Sanctuary doors will be left open even when the air conditioning units are on in order to improve air quality. The current system circulates air but does not ventilate. **We look forward to serving coffee and**

iced tea on the east patio in July. Please be patient, stay healthy, stay home if you have symptoms, and convey questions and concerns to members of the advisory team, the Session, or the ministers.

PUTTING FAITH TO WORK *Opportunities for Mission and Service*

- ✦ Today is **INTERCHANGE FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY**. Use the yellow food pantry envelopes in the pew racks, follow this link (<https://www.immanuelwi.org/onlinegiving>) to make an online contribution, or send a check to the church office (payable to the Interchange Food Pantry). Volunteers are needed to sort and bag food for guests. Contact pantry director George Neureuther (ifpmilwaukee@gmail.com or 414-551-2184) for information.

- ✦ Work on the 2022 **MILWAUKEE HABITAT FOR HUMANITY** Presbyterian Coalition Home, at 3460 N. 2nd Street, continues this summer:
 - Saturday, July 23 + 8:00 – 3:00 + Drywall
 - Saturday, July 30 + 8:00 – 3:00 + Drywall
 - Saturday, August 20 + 8:00 – 3:00 + Painting
 - Saturday, August 27 + 8:00 – 3:00 + FlooringPersons with all levels of experience are welcome! Register ASAP at: <http://vhub.at/presbycoalition>. Volunteers must be 16 and older. If you have questions about volunteering or would be **interested in helping provide lunch to the workers** on one of these days, contact Scott Silet (sasilet@gmail.com) or Rob Ater (robertater@immanuelwi.org).

- ✦ The **GREAT HUNGER BOOK SALE** will be held this year August 4-9 at All Saints' Episcopal Cathedral, 818 E. Juneau. The sale supports food pantries and meal programs in Milwaukee, including the Interchange Food Pantry. You may bring books to contribute to the sale through July 17. There will be collection bins in both coat rooms.

Vacation Bible School 2022

August 9, 10, 11 + "Faces of Faith: IPC at 185"

Vacation Bible School returns this year with activities and events for all ages, celebrating Immanuel's 185th year of ministry. More information is coming soon.

The Landscaping Team works together to tend the church grounds and gardens on Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m. All are welcome! Volunteers are also needed to adopt a garden bed/pot to water and care for at a time that works for you. Contact Dave Ravie (414-737-5823 or idravie@sbcglobal.net)

Thank you to this morning's volunteers: Welcome Team – Martha Mainland, Lindsey McKee, and Dave and Kate Perry; Ushers – Mark Connelly, Dick Myers, Curtiss Peck, and Jeff Stearns; Camera operator – David Crum.

Sunday, July 3rd

This favorite Immanuel event is back!

Picnic ~ 6:00 p.m. Organ Concert ~ 8:00 p.m.

Fireworks ~ 9:15 p.m. (Sunset)

Paid reservations will be taken **in the Parlor** for the picnic buffet. **(\$12.00 per person)** and **parking passes** (one per household, please!)

In addition to grilling hot dogs and hamburgers, the catering team will provide a variety of salads and brownies. Plan to **arrive by 6:00**; food will be **served promptly at 6:30**. **Don't forget your lawn chairs, blankets, and beverages!** When you register for the picnic, please consider signing up to help set-up, host the meal, or clean-up.

Invite a friend! If you know someone who might appreciate a personal invitation from one of the ministers, please contact Mr. Ater.

NEW! "SUMMER SING"

Choral Music for Sundays in July

Our choral director John Komasa invites all adults, young adults, and high school youth to sing in a summer choir on the Sundays in July. We've missed choral singing, we've missed one another ... This is an opportunity to bring choral music to some of our summer Sundays and enjoy the experience of gathering to offer choral music. The selections will be easy enough to learn on Sunday mornings before the worship service. Gather in the loft promptly at 8:45 a.m. for warm up and rehearsal. "Summer Sing" begins on Sunday, July 3.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY	10:00	Morning Worship ; Dr. Block preaching Commissioning of Youth Mission Team Recognition of Graduates
This week		Youth Mission Experience and Retreat
Tuesday	5:00	Landscaping team – <i>Church grounds</i>
	5:45	Meeting of the Session
Wednesday	11:00	COVID-19 Advisory Team meeting
Thursday	12:00	Meeting of the Board of Trustees
Saturday	11:00	Jon N. Olson Memorial Service -- <i>Sanctuary</i>

SUNDAY MORNING PARKING: Worshipers may park behind another car in the Waverly or Telluris/Brico (north) lots. **PLEASE place a Sunday bulletin on your dashboard with your name and cell phone number and move your car immediately after worship.**



CONGRATULATIONS IMMANUEL GRADUATES



HIGH SCHOOL

Katie Delcore

*Divine Savior Holy Angels High School
attending the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the fall*

William Densmore

*University School of Milwaukee
attending Williams College in the fall*

Laura Filipe

*(exchange student from Portugal)
New Berlin Eisenhower High School
attending University in Lisbon, Portugal in the fall*

Chase Frank

*Whitefish Bay High School
attending Milwaukee Area Technical College in the fall*

Lucy Gillard

*New Berlin Eisenhower High School
attending the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the fall*

Matilda (Tilly) Gillard

*New Berlin School District
Special Education Transition Program
attending Shepherds College in the fall*

Peter Stieg

*(son of Scott Stieg)
Dominican High School
attending the University of Wisconsin-Madison in the fall*

COLLEGE *and* UNIVERSITY

Jacob Henry Badovski

*Bachelor of Arts in Theatre Arts, with high distinction
Minor in Photography
University of Minnesota – Twin Cities*

Maj. Curtiss W. Peck, II, USMC

*(son of Curtiss and Susan Peck)
Master of Leadership
Marshall University – Huntington, West Virginia*

YOUR OFFERING, here and afar

During the pandemic many members changed their method of giving. Now that passing the offering plates has resumed, you may wish to observe this ritual. Those who are worshipping at home or away may continue their giving by:

1. **Mailing a check** to the church office:
1105 N. Waverly Place, Milwaukee, WI 53202.
Note in the memo line how you'd like the amount recorded (to your pledge or another offering, like "Flower Donation.")
2. **Going to our web site** at
<https://www.immanuelwi.org/onlinegiving>
3. **Scanning this QR** ("Quick Response") code with your smart phone camera. You will immediately be connected to giving options on the Immanuel web site.



**PORTABLE HEARING DEVICES,
LARGE PRINT BULLETINS
AND HYMNALS ARE AVAILABLE.
PLEASE ASK AN USHER FOR ASSISTANCE**



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Deborah A. Block	Pastor
Robert W. Ater	Associate Pastor
Teresa A. Larson	Associate Pastor
Susan J. Stoll	Part-time Associate Pastor for spiritual care
William H. Johnstone	Pastor Emeritus
Jean Dow	Associate Pastor Emerita
Steven J. Jensen	Organist
John S. Komasa	Choir Director
James C. Fisher	Parish Associate
Sister Karlyn Cauley	Ecumenical Associate
Sarah Campbell	Financial and Facilities Administrator
Amy Penington	Program and Office Administrator
Nathan Wesselowski	Sexton

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