



# IMMANUEL

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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*transforming* tradition

*Christ has no body now but yours*

*No hands, no feet on earth but yours*

*Yours are the eyes through which He looks*

*Compassion on this world*

*Yours are the feet with which He walks to do good*

*Yours are the hands with which He blesses all the world*

*Yours are the hands*

*Yours are the feet*

*Yours are the eyes*

*You are His body*

*Christ has no body now on earth but yours*

St. Teresa of Avila

# MORNING WORSHIP

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 15, 2023

Ten O' Clock

+ PRELUDE

Suite for Organ

*Purcell*

*Welcome to our combined online and onsite worship service.*

*The order of service is designed for worshipers to participate  
virtually from home or in the Sanctuary.*

*Worshippers in the Sanctuary are requested to silence phones.*

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

\*+ HYMN 267 Come, Christians, Join to Sing

*Madrid*

\* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Psalm 40

*Leader: Happy are those who make the Lord their trust,  
who do not turn to the proud, to those who go astray  
after false gods.*

**People:** You have multiplied, O God, Your wondrous deeds  
and Your thoughts toward us;  
none can compare with You.

*Leader: I delight to do Your will, O my God;  
Your law is within my heart.*

**People:** Do not, O Lord, withhold Your mercy from me;  
let Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness  
keep me safe forever.

**All:** Faithful and everlasting God, we confess that our  
desire for goodness and truth is often unaligned with  
words and actions. We affirm that our heart is the  
dwelling place of Your will, yet we confess that it is  
also home to greed and selfishness and prejudice.  
Reveal the false gods that prevent us from placing  
our trust in You alone. Recall for us the great gift of  
Your steadfast love, that we might respond with open  
hearts, and recommit our lives to Your way, in the  
name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

\* DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

\* THE PEACE

*One: Since God has forgiven us in Christ,  
let us forgive one another.*

*All: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with us all.*

\* RESPONSE (*the congregation sings*)

*Let every Christian say, Alleluia! Amen!*

*This day and every day, Alleluia! Amen!*

*Come with your grace and might, Instruct, inspire, unite,*

*And help us see your light. Alleluia! Amen!*

*+++ Latecomers may be seated during the response*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SCRIPTURES Isaiah 49:1-7

(OT 679)

*One: The Word of the Lord.*

*All: Thanks be to God.*

ANTHEM Laudate Dominum (Psalm 117)

Mozart

*Laudate Dominum omnes gentes*

*Praise and adore the almighty Lord,*

*All ye nations,*

*laudate eum, omnes populi*

*Praise and adore Him, all ye people.*

*Quoniam confirmata est super nos*

*Merciful is His love to us, Love of God,*

*misericordia ejus,*

*sent from heaven above to us.*

*et veritas, veritas Domini*

*Truth of the living Lord, truth of the living*

*Lord,*

*manet, manet in aeternum.*

*His truth ruleth forever, and evermore.*

*Gloria patri, et filio*

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son,*

*et spiritui sancto,*

*Glory be to the Spirit,*

*sicut erat in principio,*

*As it was in the beginning,*

*et nunc, et semper,*

*Now and forever*

*et in saecula saeculorum. Amen*

*shall be eternally, world without end. Amen.*

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER

\* HYMN 3 Womb of Life and Source of Being

Raquel

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

Stewardship 2023: A Reminder to "Take Your Place"

Kate Lewis, co-chair

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.  
Online worshippers, please click the Virtual Worship Sign-in link.*

## OFFERTORY

Flute Tune

Arne

*Children and teachers gather at the font for prayer  
before proceeding to Church School in The Peaceable Kingdom on the lower level.*

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND 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.

### \* DOXOLOGY *(the congregation sings)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Christ, all people here below;  
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

## THE SCRIPTURES John 1:29-42

(NT 92)

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

People: Thanks be to God.

## SERMON

"Come and See"

Ms. Larson

### \* HYMN 757 Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples

*Kingsford*

*Worshippers in the Sanctuary turn to the camera on the back wall  
so that online and onsite worshippers are facing one another  
for the closing hymn and benediction.*

## BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune in D Major

*Stanley*

Following the postlude, a minister and elder  
will be at the font to receive prayer requests.

**Welcome!** All are invited to enjoy coffee and refreshments in the Parlor following the worship service. The hosts are Betty Jo Nelsen, Nancy Snyder, Pam Mahnke, and Patsy Aster.

**If you are visiting Immanuel Church today**, we welcome you to Milwaukee's first church, marking its **186<sup>th</sup> anniversary** this year. 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 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](mailto:robertater@immanuelwi.org)) for more information and/or membership details.

Nursery care for infants and toddlers is provided until noon. The **Immanuel Nursery** is located on the lower level, to the right of the northeast staircase. Elevator access is also available. There is also a “**crying room**” on the **second floor** for parents who need an alternate space during the worship service.

**Church School classes for children and youth** follow the Prayer of Thanksgiving in The Peaceable Kingdom (lower level). Click <https://conta.cc/3GUHbtS> to read this week’s “Wednesday Grace” email with more information.

## “BIBLE 101”

### READING THE BIBLE AGAIN AND FOR THE FIRST TIME

**Wednesday evenings from 7:00-8:00 ✦ January 18 - February 15 ✦ online**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83010064485>

What is the Bible? Who wrote the Bible, and when? Which translation is the best? How should we engage with biblical texts to live more faithfully? These questions, and more, will be explored in an introductory course to biblical content. Each session will include a content review of a section of the Bible followed by conversations on a topic related to biblical interpretation. Though not required, participants are encouraged to purchase *A Guide to Bible Basics* by the Rev. Dr. Tyler D. Mayfield, Professor of Old Testament at Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary.

Do you have a question or a biblical topic you would like to learn more about? Follow this link to submit a question before class begins: <http://bit.ly/3WNdVUP>

## RECOMMENDATIONS INVITED FOR NEW TRUSTEES

The Nominating Committee will meet soon to nominate four members to serve on the **Board of Trustees** (3 year term; Class of 2025). Nominees will be elected at the Annual Financial Meeting on January 29, 2023. Participate in the process by suggesting names for consideration by the Nominating Committee. The persons you suggest must be active members of Immanuel Church. *Please be specific about the person's gifts for a particular office; only names with qualifications will be considered.* Members who are currently serving as elders and deacons are not eligible for election to the Board of Trustees at this time. Elders and deacons are elected in May. Use the forms on the Narthex tables. Thank you!

## SEEKING CAMERA OPERATORS

As Immanuel has embraced a permanent shift to livestreaming worship each Sunday morning, the ministers and office staff would like to grow our team of volunteer camera operators. Volunteers are well trained and supported and report that while it is an important job, it's not difficult. Camera operators arrive by about 9:40 and follow a marked bulletin to adjust the camera to several preset camera angles throughout the service. Interested in learning more or joining the team? Contact the church office at: [ipc@immanuelwi.org](mailto:ipc@immanuelwi.org).

## CATHEDRAL CENTER SHELTER for WOMEN AND FAMILIES

### Help provide an evening meal + February 19-20

In 2023, Immanuel will provide evening meals for guests at the Cathedral Center on two consecutive nights (Sunday-Monday) every other month. Immanuel's next opportunity to serve is Sunday, February 19 and Monday, February 20. Sign up for a particular menu item; the food is prepared in your home, delivered to the center, and served by the shelter staff. An Immanuel team leader will contact their team for any further instruction or support. Click here to sign up for one of the February dates: <https://bit.ly/CathedralMealsFeb2023>. Questions? Interested in joining a team later in the year that might resume serving the meal at the center? Contact Bobbi Timberlake ([bobbi.timberlake@gmail.com](mailto:bobbi.timberlake@gmail.com)) or Mr. Ater ([robertater@immanuelwi.org](mailto:robertater@immanuelwi.org)).

### Covid-19 Advisory Team Update:

Please practice self-care and community care in this "triple-demic" season. *Masking* is not required but it *is encouraged* to mitigate the spread of colds, flu, and Covid. Flu shots, current boosters and health-conscious practices are ways we can embody the ethic of loving our neighbors as ourselves. If you are experiencing symptoms, please test and isolate as necessary. All members of the Immanuel staff, church school teachers, choir members and other Sunday morning volunteers who interact with you are fully vaccinated.

**Thank you to this morning's volunteers:** Welcome Team – Ray and Claire Moulis and Kathy Brumder; Ushers – Mark Connelly, Steve Jacobs, Dick Myers, Dave Salisbury; Camera operator – Kristi Leswing.

## ANNUAL FINANCIAL MEETING

### Sunday, January 29 at 11:15 in the Upper Room

The first of two annual congregational meetings is scheduled for Sunday, January 29. A budget for 2023 will be presented and financial reports for 2022 will be given. Trustees for the Class of 2025 will be elected.

# Take your place

*in the church ... in the world*

## STEWARDSHIP *for* 2023

### YOUR PLEDGE MAKES A DIFFERENCE !!!

We are currently \$69,000 from reaching our pledge goal of \$970,662.

If everyone who pledged last year continues their support the goal will be reached for the budget proposed last fall,

### **Have you pledged to support the work of the church in 2023?**

A final budget will be determined by the Session on January 24. If you have not yet submitted a pledge, please do so. Continuing our mission and ministry depends on the support of every member.

We are grateful to the members and friends who have made gifts and pledges for the work of the church in 2023. We also thank those who pledge but do not wish to have their names appear here, and those who support the church through regular Sunday offerings, time, and prayer. Pledge forms are on the Great Hall tables or contact Sarah Campbell in the church office, 414-276-4757 or [finance@immanuelwi.org](mailto:finance@immanuelwi.org).

### *THANK YOU*

to these members and friends who have submitted pledges for 2023.

Gwen Abig  
Rick and Mary Beth Allsop  
Kathryn and Salvatore Amato  
Deborah Anderson  
Hannah and Steve Anderson  
Sara and Richard Aster  
Robert Ater and Greg Baer  
Amanda Back and John Hassell  
Carl and Mary Backus  
Gary Balcerzak  
Frances Tessa Bartels  
Wilbert Bauer  
Mary and Clair Baum  
John Becker  
Susan and Ryan Becker  
David Benner  
Robert and Jill Bewell

Melinda Bialzik  
Richard and Kay Bibler  
Judith Blackbourn  
Kathleen Blake  
Deborah Block  
D. Rodney and Mary Bluhm  
Carl and Jane Boecher  
Jon Bohrer  
Margaret MacLeod Brahm  
Audra and Joel Brennan  
Rick Brewer  
Marge Brindley  
Robert and Kathleen Brumder  
Ernie Brusubardis and Margaret Crowley  
David Buckholdt  
Kathleen Burchby  
Sue Burwell

Jude Carlin  
Kathryn Carlton  
Matthew and Katherine Carlton  
Stephen and Danette Carlton  
Sister Karlyn Cauley  
Mark Cebulski  
Janet Christiaansen  
Judith Christofferson  
Mark Connelly  
Thomas Cooper  
Jeanne and Peter Corrao  
Lana Cramer and Keith Schmitz  
John and Catherine Crichton  
David and Tamara Crum  
Terri Danola  
Leslie Davis  
Abigail Debbink  
Myrna Dittmer  
Sarah and Joe Dominguez  
Martha Dooley  
Jean Dow  
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Jill and George Fahr  
Daniel and Helena Faraca  
James and Barbara Fisher  
James and Barbara Flint  
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Mika Frank  
Spencer Frank  
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Melissa and David Gilbert  
Lucy Gillard  
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Michael and Deborah Gillard  
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Judith Goetz  
Patrick and Connie Goggin  
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Duane and Debra Grimm  
Claire Hackmann  
Joan Hardy  
Rick Harris  
William Haury and Ann Foley  
Laurel Heebsh  
John and Sara Hein  
Cindy Helt  
George and Nancy Herro  
George Herro  
Madeleine Herro  
Harvey and Lu Hewes  
Alan and Jean Hilgeman  
J. David Hoeveler  
Clara Hoffmann  
Meredyth and Andrew Hunn  
Barbara Hypes and Terry Lee-Docken  
Steve Jacobs and Pat Curley  
Charles James  
Douglas James  
Steven Jensen  
Candice and David Johnstone  
William and Charlotte Johnstone  
Toni Jones  
JohnPiero and McKinzie Joyce  
Christine Karpowicz  
Jason Katcha  
Kevin and Alison Keefe  
David Klehm and Carol Kraft  
Susan Kraeblen  
Ken and Priscilla Kuehn  
Robert and Kathleen Landaas  
Teresa Larson  
Charlotte Lauren  
William and Susan LeFeber  
Kristi and Jeffrey Leswing  
Paula Lewein  
Lloyd P. Lewis



William Loder  
Anne Luber  
Paul and Cathy Luber  
Jeremy and Jennifer Lucas  
Ann MacIver  
Janet MacIver  
Jackie Mahony  
Martha Mainland  
Thomas Marlett and Lynne Oehlke  
Vince Martin  
Justin Mayer  
Jeffrey McEathron  
Audrey McKee  
Lindsey McKee  
Robert and Susan Mikulay  
Marilyn Minor  
Matt and Corrine Mitchell  
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Hugh Morris and Lisa Lauren  
Karen Morrisey  
Claire and Ray Moulis  
Richard Myers  
Betty Jo and James Nelsen  
Allyson Nemeč  
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Dennis and Linda O'Brien  
Peter and Theresa Ogden  
Sue O'Keefe  
Patricia Parks  
Amy Pauls and Nathan Wesselowski  
Richard and Lois Pauls  
Sally Pearson  
Susan and Curtiss Peck  
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Elise Pennington  
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David Plank  
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Trent and Joell Poole  
Daisy Price-Hagos

David and Irina Ravie  
Sue and Rabah Rennane  
Jon Richards and Andrea Rowe-Richards  
Karen and Richard Rodgers  
Pat Roeper  
Susan Root  
Sharon Rose  
David Salisbury  
Rick Schnell and Mary Wehrle-Schnell  
Judith Schulz and Chris Bonin  
Richard Schwartz  
Virginia Schwartz  
Robert Schweers  
Brian Schwellinger  
Tom and Karen Scott  
Sara Shaw  
Scott Silet and Kate Lewis  
Todd Slusar and John George  
Leslie and Frederick Smart  
Nancy Snyder  
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Patricia Stark  
Jeffrey and Marjorie Stearns  
Robert and Mary Stetson  
Scott Stieg  
Mary Stoker Smith  
Susan and Richard Stoll  
Virginia Street  
Phyllis Stuart-Jacobson and Mark Jacobson  
Cece Sullivan  
Janet Tallberg  
Jeff and Susan Teerink  
John Thomas  
Robert and Barbara Timberlake  
Lisa Trost  
Randy and Alex Trumbull-Holper  
Carol Tsao and Nancy Debbink  
John and Vicki Turner  
Julia Vosper  
George and Alicia Walker  
Leslie Waltke  
Gloria Ware

Sidne Weis  
Matt Weith  
Carl and Janice Welle  
Vance Werner, Jr.  
Stephanie Wesselowski  
Winona Wilson  
Benjamin Wimmer and Madalyn Davidson

Johnathan Woodward  
Dan and Laura Yocum  
James and Jill Zager  
Barbara Ziemann  
Jay and Terese Zinn

## WEEKLY CALENDAR AND UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY		SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
	8:55	Choir Rehearsal
	10:00	<b>Morning Worship</b> ; Ms. Larson preaching
	11:00	Coffee Hour ~ <i>Parlor</i>
	11:30	Nominating Committee Meeting ~ <i>Conference Room</i>
Wednesday	7:00	Bible 101 Class ~ <i>online</i>
Thursday	12:00	Building Maintenance Meeting ~ <i>online</i>

NEXT SUNDAY		THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
	8:55	Choir Rehearsal
	10:00	<b>Morning Worship</b> ; Ms. Larson preaching
	11:00	Coffee Hour ~ <i>Parlor</i>
January 24	5:45	Meeting of the Session ~ <i>Conference Room</i> Adult Education Committee Meeting to follow
25	7:00	Bible 101 Class ~ <i>online</i>
26	12:00	Board of Trustees Meeting ~ <i>online</i>

The **Immanuel Columbarium** is open today and every Sunday until noon.

**Available dates for Chancel flowers:** If you would like to donate flowers on **January 22, 29, or February 5**, please contact the church office.

**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.**

## 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 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 for immediate connection to giving options on the Immanuel site.
4. **Texting 833-712-0259** (number for Immanuel giving only). Enter the amount in a message bubble and you will receive a registration link for payment information and verification by text or email.



### PLEDGE ENVELOPES FOR 2023

Pledge envelopes for 2023 are available and ready for pick up in the Great Hall **for** those who requested them on their pledge forms. Envelopes are provided for weekly and monthly contributors **if you so request**; they are not ordinarily provided for those who plan to give quarterly, semi-annually, or annually. If you would like envelopes or cannot find yours, please contact Ms. Campbell in the church office. **On-line giving options are available on the Immanuel website.**



*Bulletins returned to the tables in the Narthex will be recycled.*



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Jean Dow	Associate Pastor Emerita
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John S. Komasa	Choir Director
James C. Fisher	Parish Associate
Sister Karlyn Cauley	Ecumenical Associate
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