

IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL

Parish Notes

August 15, 2021

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. Immanuel Chapel offers a fully-staffed nursery for our infant and toddler parishioners.

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).

Learn more about us at www.icoh.net.

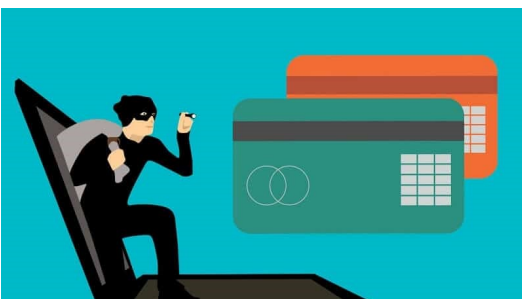
PASTORAL CARE CORNER: Please remember these parishioners in your prayers: Kevin Wensing; ; Jane Temoshok, Eloise Payne, Katie Lloyd, Kathy Lloyd, Carol Crossmire, Kenny, Diane Adams, Francine Wargo, Tony, Ann MacNamara, Natalie Doyle-Hennin, Aggie Fortune, Catherine Sinclair, Ted Walker, Lucy, Barbara, and Joan.

Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week: Colin Maltbie, Judy Mbure, Paul Smyth, Ethan Butcher, Madeline Forrester, Kay Hobson, Bobbie King, Jennifer Jones, Hilary Shostal, Marty Christino, Mark DeMulder, Jonie Eaton, Susan Johnson, Marilynn Wilson, Lily Bertles, Stephen Kellogg, Melissa Low, Chloe Maratta, and Elizabeth Mason.

Please also remember in your prayers members of our extended Parish family: Charlotte Kellogg; Anthony Christino, Jr., Paul, Dorothy Phaneuf, Anne Newcomb, Sydney Bailey, Narciso, Sheri, Karen and Gwen, Lelah Ann Young, Caroline, Bert Ifill, Jeanette Beckmann, Lois Blair, Amy Wallens Green, Kelly, Cameron Pattisall, Ellen Repsher, Stephen Miller, Jill, Jack Allen, Molly Grey, Kathryn Anschutz, Thomas “Neil” Walters, Luciane Helena Borges Moreira, David Westgate, Doug Carmichael, Carol Sands, George Morris, Sandy, Jakey Newcomer, Julia Dietschak, Preston Atwood, John Matthewson, Ronald King, Marta Dimetre, Katie McGinn Centola, Margaret and Lloyd Chenoweth, Bill Anderson, Bob Dickson, Mildred Alexander, Dotty, Susan Thomas, Steve Davis, Natalie Terwillinger, Cecile Zitelli, Joseph and Elaine Kelly, Alice Greenhall, Nancy, Edith Mead, Stephen, Louise Jackson, Charles Thurber, Arsine Oshagan, Emilie Brown, Sue Cleveland, David Johnson, Victoria Markin, Martin Stevens, Jeff Gorman, Jill Lane, Howard, Alice Meyer, Ron Simar, Matthew Simar, Connie Smith, Payton, Kevin Lancaster, Jennifer Ashline, Bill Ennis, Norma MacLean, Frank, Perry, John and Alycia, Sue Rehnke, Marjean Smith, Deacon Linda Murphy, Don Gobble; Judith Simpson, and The Simpson Family, David Kuck, Adele Barker, Martha Robison, Tamara, Daniela Samillan Celis, Quintus Frederick, Joey Alphonso, Victoria Dearborn, DeBora Wheeler, the Rev. Dr. M. Sam Faeth, Rick Manning and his parents Joyce and Richard Manning, Ryan Willis, Daphne, Larry Storm; Corbin, Owen, Madison, and Brighton Hovis; Sarah Minor, and Judy Pavek.

Serving around the world: Noah Barker, Ian Phillips, Todd Bates, Philip Smucker, Jason Osborne, Michael Hussey, and Jonathan, Nicole, Alina and Nolan Anderson. Pray for healing for US troops wounded as casualties of war, and their caregivers.

Those who have recently died: The Rev. Charles Reinhardt, close family friend of Jessie McLeod; Police Officer Ella G. French and Deputy Sheriff Brandon A. Shirley. *Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.*



SCAM EMAIL ALERT: Cybercriminals Posing as

Father Randy...Again: For the second week in a row, cybercriminals are posing as Father Randy in an attempt to get parishioners to reply to a “Task/ I Need Your Help” email: once you reply, they try to rope you in with ways to steal your money via gift cards. We promise you, our **Rector will never, ever ask you to purchase gift cards via email.** He also will only use his work email ralexander@icoh.net to contact you. Let’s all be vigilant in ignoring such emails.

Announcements



FUNERAL FOR DOUGLAS PAYNE TOMORROW AT 2P.M. ONLINE VIA ZOOM

A [funeral service for Captain Douglas Wilkinson Payne](#), USN(Ret.) is scheduled for 2p.m. tomorrow, August 16th, at the U.S. Naval Academy Chapel, immediately followed by his inurnment at the Academy's Columbarium, and a reception at the Naval Academy Club. His funeral will be livestreamed via Zoom. To view the service, visit www.icoh.net, select the "Worship" tab, and "Worship Service Bulletins" from the pull-down menu. Click on his photo at the lower right of that webpage or this bulletin, then simply click on the blue text above and enter the meeting ID and passcode.

LINK: [Funeral Service for Captain Douglas W. Payne](#)

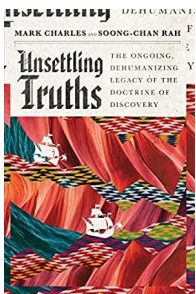
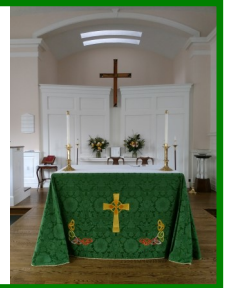
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<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89320200075?pwd=VU9RNWIEcU0tTIMwY2gvRTFPeUdHUT09>

Join us for Holy Eucharist each Wednesday

6:30 p.m., Zabriskie Chapel



SOCIAL JUSTICE BOOK/BIBLE STUDY

After the Wednesday Evening Eucharist, join us for a weekly discussion of *Unsettling Truths: The Ongoing, Dehumanizing Legacy of the Doctrine of Discovery*, by Mark Charles and Soong-Chan Rah (<https://www.ivpress.com/unsettling-truths>). The meetings will take place via Zoom, but you'd be welcome to bring a laptop and participate from Zabriskie Chapel after Eucharist!



Thursday Morning Bible Study Returns September 9th



The Thursday Morning Bible Study is taking a brief hiatus, and will resume September 9, 2021 at 10:30a.m. online via Zoom. Look for details in the September 4th eblast and September 5th bulletin announcements.

COMPLINE Service on Fridays: Join us for this **Friday Compline August 20th at 8:30p.m.** via Zoom. Compline is an offering of late evening prayer, sometimes referred to as the "Goodnight Prayer of the Church." To participate, click the link: [Join Friday Night Compline Service](#). Meeting ID: *Will be sent in this week's E-Blast/* Password: *Will be sent in this week's E-Blast.*



To join the service by phone, dial: 1- (301) 715-8592.

Psalm 65 at BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY: Join us for Immanuel's monthly Saturday morning Breakfast Bible Study on **August 21st**, the third Saturday. We will meet via Zoom (link and info available on Immanuel's Breakfast Bible Study webpage) beginning at 8 a.m. Our theme this year is Gratitude; this month we will read **Psalm 65**, using the African Model of Reflection. For more information, please contact Chrissie Crosby at cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com.



**SACRED GROUND
DIALOGUE CIRCLE
STARTING MONDAY,
SEPTEMBER 20TH**



Sacred Ground Starting Monday, September 20: Please consider signing up for the upcoming Sacred Ground dialogue circle, which will be biweekly on Monday evenings at 7:30 p.m., from September 20 and going through January 2022 and facilitated by Chrissie Crosby. Sacred Ground offers a safe space to learn and be in dialogue about experiences, feelings, and concerns regarding personal identity, racial history and reconciliation, and justice. It has been developed by the national Episcopal Church and "field tested" by seventeen Immanuelites this past Winter and Spring. (If you want to talk to some of them or ask them questions, feel free to contact Katherine Smith, Marilyn Wilson, or Nancy Reuschel.) Ten small group sessions -- based on intensive reading and film viewing homework -- review chapters of America's history of race and racism, while weaving in threads of family story, economic class, and political and regional identity. More details are available at <https://www.episcopalchurch.org/sacred-ground>. Please contact [David Atwood](mailto:DavidAtwood) at atwooddavid@gmail.com, or [Kathryn Haskin](mailto:kathryn.jackson41@gmail.com) at kathryn.jackson41@gmail.com to sign up. Thank you.

CLERGY AND STAFF

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Harrison Clark	Co-steward: Children, Youth, and Family Ministries
Danette "Dani" Gentile Kauffman	Stewardship and Planned Giving
Kristi Kubista-Hovis	Outreach, and Co-steward: Children, Youth, and Family Ministries
Brooke Roberts	Communications
Phyllis Sims	Fellowship, Senior Ministry
Francine Wargo	Worship
Shawn Whitman	Pastoral Care
Rachel Wilson	Youth Representative (nonvoting member)
Candy Levin	Register (nonvoting member)

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

8:00a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I, Zabriskie Chapel
3606 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA
10:30a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Immanuel Chapel
3737 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA
6:00p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
Zabriskie Chapel Memorial Garden

Online

www.immanuel-on-the-hill.org
[Immanuel's YouTube channel](#)

PRIEST ASSOCIATES

The Rev. Dr. J. Barney Hawkins, IV
The Rev. Dr. Ruthanna Hooke
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The Rev. John R. Smucker
The Rev. Canon Rosemari G. Sullivan
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The Rev. Dr. Margaret Ann (Sam) Faeth



MISSION STATEMENT: Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill is a Christian community in the Episcopal tradition, striving to be in relationship with God and each other as Christ has taught us, actively attempting to sense and to serve God's plan with great love. We are guided by Mark 16:15: "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel," to learn, discern, and proclaim the Good News by being active ministers in the various communities where we live and serve.

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