

CALENDAR

Sun Jan 09

08:00 AM Online Worship [immanuelbatavia.org/watch]  
08:00 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
09:15 AM Sunday School & Adult Bible Studies  
09:15 AM New Member Class, Student Ministry Room  
10:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Contemporary Worship, Gym  
04:30 PM Volleyball, Gym  
06:30 PM High School Youth, Gym

Mon Jan 10

07:00 PM Boy Scouts, Fellowship Hall  
07:00 PM School Committee, Library  
07:00 PM Bldg & Grounds Safety & Security Meeting, Narthex

Tue Jan 11

09:00 AM Bible Study, Fellowship Hall  
06:30 PM Men's Bible Study, Student Ministry

Wed Jan 12

09:00 AM Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall  
09:30 AM Geography Bee Gr4-8, Sanctuary  
11:00 AM Sing & Play, Gym  
01:45 PM American Heart Challenge Kickoff Assembly Gr 6-8, Sanctuary  
06:30 PM Confirmation, Gym & Fellowship Hall  
07:00 PM Going Deep Bible Study, Library

Thu Jan 13

02:30 PM Kids Heart Challenge Kickoff Assembly Gr K-5, Gym  
06:00 PM Bible Study, Spanish Room  
06:30 PM Bible Study, Library

Fri Jan 14

06:30 PM Bible Study, Library

Sat Jan 15

10:00 AM Brotherhood Banquet Meeting, Spanish Room  
12:00 PM Maintenance Room Cleaning, Gym  
05:30 PM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
06:30 PM PTL Movie Night, Gym

Sun Jan 16

08:00 AM Online Worship [immanuelbatavia.org/watch]  
08:00 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
09:15 AM Education Hour Sunday School & Bible Studies  
10:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Contemporary Worship, Gym  
02:00 PM 6th Grade Confirmation, Fellowship Hall  
04:30 PM Volleyball, Gym  
06:30 PM High School Youth, Gym

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Going deeper in faith.  
Sharing God's love in community!

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PRAYERS

(We encourage everyone in our Immanuel family to participate in the sharing of prayers and praise! In order to make room for all to share, we will be changing our prayer list process: submitted prayers will be on the list for one month; if you'd like a prayer to continue beyond that time, please re-submit to the church office. We will publish and pray for those on the Armed Forces list on the first weekend of the month.)

FOR RECENT CONCERNS

HEALTH & STRENGTH

Philana Lee, Curt & Frank (friends of Hudon family)  
Betty Krause (friend of the Balz family)  
Al & Jan Gerbitz  
Diane (Cronin) Scheinflug

CANCER

John Hernan (St. Vincent family friend)  
Kim (co-worker of Crystal Dalpini)  
Megan Sporney (Heetland family friend)  
Barbara Bowman  
Cathy Maverick  
Geri Clemons (friend of the Balz family)  
Carmen Balz (Tom & Carol Balz daughter-in-law)

PEACE & COMFORT

For the family of Pastor Reuben Baerwald

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COMMUNICATIONS

Subscribe to our email notifications by texting your email address and the keyword indicated below to 22828.

- Daily inspiration devotional. Keyword: DI
- Discover eNews weekly news. Keyword: DISCOVER

Watch our livestream services online

- immanuelbatavia.org/watch

Listen to our podcasts

- Immanuel Voices sermon podcast is available on Podbean, iTunes, and Spotify.
- Immanuel Music music ministry podcast is available on Podbean, iTunes and Spotify.

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News & Notes

Vocation



Immanuel Lutheran  
Church & School

Building deeper relationships with  
God in community with others.

Sunday Bible Study Groups

Sundays 9:15-10:15 AM

Adult Forum

@Library

Led by Elvin Harms

Parenting Discussion

@Sanctuary

Led by Pastor Chris

Sunday School Programs

Sundays 9:15-10:15 AM

Preschool Sunday Sing & Play

Parents stay with your preschooler

@Mrs. Nelson's classroom

Led by Kari Larsen

Kids K-5th grade Digging Deeper

@Fellowship Hall (K-2nd)

@Spanish Room (3rd-5th)

Led by Mary Wert & Erica Ciro

Youth 6th-12th grade

@Middle School Classrooms

Led by Matt Cassidy

Parenting Discussion

Sundays Jan 9 - Feb 13, 9:15-10:15 AM @Sanctuary

Join Pastor Chris as he leads us in a discussion about parenting. We will hit topics that parents are dealing with today and discuss what God's Word has to say about them. God reveals the purpose, the way, and the how of parenting.

New Member Class

Sundays Jan 9 - Feb 13, 9:15-10:15 AM

Discovering Immanuel classes guide participants through considering membership in the Immanuel community to active and intentional participation. Childcare is available upon request. Register online [immanuelbatavia.org/membership](https://immanuelbatavia.org/membership)

Griefshare

Mondays Jan 10 - Apr 4, 6:30-8:30 PM @Spanish Room

GriefShare is a program that was developed specifically to help those who are grieving the death of a loved one. It is a place where hurting people find hope and healing. *Contact Christin Hager with questions 630.815.1598 [christinhager@gmail.com](mailto:christinhager@gmail.com). Register online [immanuelbatavia.org/care](https://immanuelbatavia.org/care)*

Boxed Offering Envelopes

If you use boxed offering envelopes, the 2022 boxes are now available for pick-up in the Narthex.

Weekday Bible Study Groups

Tuesday Morning Bible Study Group

Tuesdays 9:00-10:30 AM @Fellowship Hall

Topic: The Greatest Story: Bible Introduction

Led by Pastor Eric

20 Something Men's Study Group

Tuesdays 6:30—8:00 PM @Student Ministry Room

Topic: Helping Young Men Grow in Christ

Led by Pastor Chris

Thursday Bible Study Group

Thursdays 6:30—8:00 PM @Library

Topic: 1-3 John

Led by Pastor Chris

Hard Questions Bible Study Group

Fridays 6:30 PM @Library

Topic: Bring your Questions

Led by Pastor Chris

Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study

Saturdays 8:00 AM @Fellowship Hall

Topic 1-3 John

Led by Pastor Chris

Blood Drive

Mon Jan 24, 3:30-6:30 PM @Mobile Coach in the Immanuel Parking Lot

The next community blood drive is coming up soon! Sign up online at [immanuelbatavia.org/blooddrive](https://immanuelbatavia.org/blooddrive). Each donation has the potential to impact and save 3 lives!

Lazarus House Chili Cook-off

Fri Feb 18, 5:30 PM

Everyone is invited to participate in the 2022 All Immanuel-Lazarus House Chili Cook-Off. Lazarus House clients will be invited to vote for their favorite chili and the winning chef will receive a special trophy. Immanuel prepares dinner for the third Friday of each month at Lazarus House homeless shelter in St. Charles. Member donations also provide third Saturday breakfast and lunch items.

To participate in the Chili Cook-Off, bring your prepared chili in a disposable container to Immanuel by 5:30 PM on Fri., Feb. 18. Look for the black Jeep-- we will transport the meals to Lazarus House. If you would like to donate to the meal, but prefer not to provide chili, the following items are also requested: chopped onions, shredded cheddar cheese, corn muffins, sour cream, Saltine crackers, bags tossed salad, butter, 20 meat and cheese sandwiches, yogurt, bagels, milk, orange juice, and breakfast cereal. To sign up to participate, visit [volunteersignup.org/XJEJL](https://volunteersignup.org/XJEJL). Interested in learning more about how to serve our neighbors at Lazarus House? Contact Lori St.Vincent at 630.251.5493. Thank you!



Check out our new contemporary service! Worship leader, Jim O'Connell, joins our staff on January 9th and will lead us in re-defining contemporary worship here at Immanuel. Similar to many of the leading contemporary churches; the praise, prayer, and worship at the newly configured 10:45 service will be led by Jim, with Pastor Eric or Chris joining in to give the message and sacraments. We will continue to have a 10:30 service in the sanctuary, but it will now be in the same traditional format as the 8:00 service

Food Pantry Donations

Batavia Interfaith Food Pantry is a not-for-profit organization founded by local churches. They serve our community by providing food and household supplies to those in need. Your financial or non-perishable food or paper product donations can be placed in the grocery cart near the Fellowship Hall. A current list of most needed items can be found at <https://bataviafoodpantry.org/current-needs>. *Email Mary Jo Nottke [mnottke@aol.com](mailto:mnottke@aol.com) with questions.*

Lazarus House Meal Donations

Fri Jan 21, 5:30 PM

Lazarus House provides services to the homeless. On the third Friday of every month Immanuel provides meals to support this cause. Sign up coming soon. *Contact Lori, [lstvincent@ilcsbatavia.org](mailto:lstvincent@ilcsbatavia.org) with questions.*

Broadcast Worship Service Donations

Lutheran Ministries Media Inc produces a weekly 30-minute Lutheran broadcast worship service called Worship Anew. \$25 = one week of broadcast on BATV. To make a donation to this *ministry sign up in the lobby or donate online at <https://bit.ly/3f0G2sa>*

Feed My Starving Children

Fri Jan 14, 9:00-10:45 AM

FMSC is a Christian nonprofit dedicated to seeing every child whole in body and spirit. FMSC works with food distribution partners that empower communities to move from relief to development. Join us for a volunteer packing session! All sessions are followed by an optional Portillo's lunch. Anyone over the age of 5 can participate. **Email [Linda.fasslinda@yahoo.com](mailto:Linda.fasslinda@yahoo.com) with questions or to register.** We had 18 volunteers at our December packing session; 38 children will be fed for a year due to our efforts!

Northern Illinois Food Bank

Tue Jan 11, 5:30-7:30 PM

The NIFB provides nutritious meals to residents in 13 counties in Northern Illinois. Join us for a volunteer food sorting & packing session! Ages 8+ are welcome. **Email [Bill.bdpeach@me.com](mailto:Bill.bdpeach@me.com) with questions or to register.** At the December event 14 volunteers packed 1,778 pounds of food providing 1,482 meals for hungry neighbors!

Panera Restaurant Night

Mon Jan 10, 6:00 AM-9:00 PM

@Panera on Kirk Rd in Aurora

Stop by Panera support our school. Mention the Immanuel Lutheran School fundraiser and show the flyer found at [ilsbatavia.org/fundraisers](https://ilsbatavia.org/fundraisers) (printed or on your phone); or order online for pickup using code PRFUND. A portion of your purchase will be donated to our school.

2022 School Auction Gala

Friday, Apr 22 - Save the Date

@Gaslite Manor in Aurora

Save the date for a kid-free Havana Night at Gaslite Manor! Enjoy fine dining, drinks, silent auction, and amazing entertainment from TOP Dueling Pianos and Nostalgia Entertainment. All proceeds from the evening go directly to benefit the students and teachers of Immanuel. Contact Emily Raub [elraub81@gmail.com](mailto:elraub81@gmail.com) for information about sponsorships, donations or volunteering.

Give

**"Everyone shall give as he is able, in accordance with the blessing of the Lord your God which He has given you." - Deuteronomy 16:17**

Your donations provide Immanuel with the opportunity to continue sharing the Good News of Jesus locally and nationally.

Ways to give:

- **Online** at <https://onrealm.org/immanuelbatavia/-/give/now>
- Email [finance@immanuelbatavia.org](mailto:finance@immanuelbatavia.org) to set up a **recurring gift**.
- **Text** \$ and amount (no spaces) to **630.528.0328** and follow the prompts.

Additional ways to give:

- Shop at [smile.amazon.com/ch/36-2683484](https://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-2683484) (3rd Quarter proceeds are \$117.42)
- ShopWithScrip. See [immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs](https://immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs) for details.
- Box Tops for Education. See [immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs](https://immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs) for details.

Monthly Financials

Monthly financial reports are emailed to individuals who request them. If you would like to begin receiving this information, please *contact Larry Durrant, Treasurer, [treasurer\\_mmc@ilcsbatavia.org](mailto:treasurer_mmc@ilcsbatavia.org)*.