

## CALENDAR

### Sun Oct 30

10:08:00 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
08:00 AM Online Worship [[immanuelbatavia.org/watch](http://immanuelbatavia.org/watch)]  
09:30 AM Sunday School, Various Locations  
09:30 AM Adult Bible Study, Meeting Room  
09:30 AM 7-8th Grade Confirmation, Fellowship Hall  
09:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Modern Worship, Gym  
12:00 PM Pastor Chris's Party, Fellowship Hall  
02:00 PM Trunk-or-Treat, School Parking Lot  
04:30 PM Adult Volleyball, Gym  
06:30 PM High School Youth, Gym  
07:00 PM Counters Meeting, Conference Room

### Mon Oct 31

05:00 PM Counting, Conference Room2  
06:30 PM Griefshare, Library  
06:45 PM Troop 12, Fellowship Hall

### Tue Nov 1

09:00 AM Tuesday Bible Study, Meeting Room

### Wed Nov 2

09:00 AM Wednesday Women's Bible Study, Meeting Room  
10:30 AM Sing & Play, Gym  
06:30 PM Men's Basketball, Gym  
06:30 PM Working Women's Bible Study, Student Ministry Room  
07:00 PM God Loves Moms Bible Study, Meeting Room

### Thu Nov 3

07:00 PM Christus Choir, Sanctuary  
07:00 PM Lifestyle Class, Meeting Room

### Fri Nov 4

### Sat Nov 5

08:00 AM Men's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall  
05:30 PM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary  
06:00 PM PTL Paint Night, Pinot's Pallet in St. Charles

### Sun Nov 6

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## PRAYERS

### FOR RECENT CONCERNS

#### HEALTH & STRENGTH

**Mike Straka** (friend of the Balz family)  
**Linda Straka** (friend of the Balz family)  
**Joyce Hagemann**  
**Bailey Harding** (ILS Graduate)  
**Annette Rogman** (Mark's Mother)  
**Baby Adeline** (The Janacek's neighbor)  
**Pat Schoeneberg** (friend of the Laytons)  
**Florence Bunnett** (Pastor Bunnett's wife)  
(4843 Adenmoor Ave, Lakewood, CA 90713)  
**Borbala** (Bob Bunnett's wife)  
**Ellie Beckmann**, (Pete & Jan's Granddaughter)

#### CANCER

**Barbara Bowman**  
**Geri Clemons** (friend of the Balz family)  
**Carmen Balz** (Tom & Carol Balz daughter-in-law)  
**Catherine Siway** (H.C. Storm Kindergarten Teacher)  
**Sue Furman** (St. Vincent family friend)  
**Ron Dickenson**  
**Richard Rezny** (Nadia Castro's (ILS Student) uncle)  
**Martin Harms**(Elvin's brother)

### FOR LONG-TERM CONCERNS

**Betty Krause** (friend of the Balz family)  
**Charlie MacKinnon**  
**John Numrich**  
**Rob Lennartz** (Lori St Vincent's cousin)  
**Jen Masters** (Kersten family friend)  
**Jim Wenberg** (friend of the Dickensons)  
**Michael** (friend of the Rueter family)  
**Liam Krafcky**

## BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

#### Tuesday Morning Bible Study Group

##### **Tuesdays 8:00 AM @Meeting Room**

Led by Pastor Eric. Studying the book of Hebrews.

#### Wednesday Women's Bible Study Group

##### **Wednesdays 9:00 AM @Meeting Room**

Led by Laura Klein. Currently studying Phillipians.

#### Working Women's Bible Study Group

##### **Wednesdays 6:30 PM @Youth Ministry Room**

Led by Erica Ciro. Currently studying women of the Old Testament.

#### Thursday Evening Bible Study Group

##### **Thursdays, 6:30 PM @Library**

Led by Pastor Chris. Currently studying Ezekiel.

#### Saturday Men's Bible Study Group

##### **Saturdays, 8:00 AM @Fellowship Hall**

Led by Pastor Chris. Currently discussing theological questions.

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Building deeper relationships with  
God in community with others.

## Pastor Chris's Farewell Celebration

Sun, Oct 30, Noon - 2:00PM

Everyone is invited to a farewell celebration for Pastor Chris on Sunday, October 30 at noon! Join us in thanking Pastor for his contributions to Immanuel Church and School and stay for cake, cookies, small sandwiches, and nibbles. Immediately followed by trunk-or-treat.

## Online Attendance & Connection Form

We want to hear from you! Please fill out our new online attendance and connection form to check in and let us know what upcoming events you're interested in. Current volunteer and event RSVP along with connection opportunities are included for your convenience. Scan this QR code with your smartphone to fill out the form now or visit our website any time at [immanuelbatavia.org/connect](http://immanuelbatavia.org/connect).



## Lessons & Carols Mass Choir

Mass choir rehearsals will be held in November for all who would like to join the choir for the Service of Lessons and Carols. Practices will be held in the music room on Nov 6, 13, 20, and 27 from 12-1pm. The Service of Lessons and Carols will be held on Sat, Dec 3 at 4 and 6 pm in the sanctuary. Special music for Advent and Christmas will be presented by the mass choir, string ensemble, men's chorus, soloists, and Joyful Sounds handbell choir. And the Glory of Lord from the Messiah by G. F. Handel will be featured this year, along with other favorites such as Once in Royal David's City; Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming; and the Sussex Carol. For more information, contact Music Director, Sharon Dalpini at 630.879.7163 x16 or [sdalpini@immanuelbatavia.org](mailto:sdalpini@immanuelbatavia.org).

## Operation Christmas Child

Items due Sun, Oct 30; Filled boxes due Sun, Nov 6

Operation Christmas Child is ready to go! You can help in many different ways! On Sunday, Oct 9, boxes will be available after each church service; take and fill a box yourself (see our link to Samaritan's Purse to find donation ideas and instructions); and return the filled box to Immanuel by Sunday, Nov 6. Another way that you can help is to sign up online to donate individual item(s) (many of these are available at the Dollar Store); purchase your item(s) and return them to the bins marked Operation Christmas Child by Sunday, Oct 30; then Sunday school and day school children will pack the boxes for you. You can also make a monetary donation to help with shipping; each box costs approximately \$10 to ship. We will pray over all filled boxes on Sunday, November 13 and deliver them that week to the area drop-off location. Donation ideas and online sign-up links can be found at [immanuelbatavia.org/announcements](http://immanuelbatavia.org/announcements).



## Trunk-or-Treat

Sun, Oct 30, 2:00-4:00PM @School Parking Lot

Bring your kiddos out and join us for some trunk-or-treat in the school parking lot! Put your costumes on and bring a bag to collect candy. We will also be serving warm drinks and delicious apple cider donuts. Enjoy the creative trunk décor as you walk through the lot and collect lots of treats. Make sure to put your vote in for your favorite trunk decoration before you leave! Last year's winner was Matt Cassidy - everyone had to walk the plank to get to his pirate ship trunk;) There will also be a fall-themed photo booth available where you can take some fun family pictures. Adults and children alike are invited to dress up for the occasion.

## Pastor Appreciation Month

October is pastor appreciation month. Thank-you Pastor Eric and Pastor Chris for teaching God's Word, for being our shepherd, and for leading and guiding us!

## PTL Paint Night

Sat, Nov 5, 7:00-9:00 PM @Pinot's Palette in St. Charles

Join ILS school parents for a night out at Pinot's Palette in St. Charles! The registration fee of \$39 includes a 16x20 canvas, painting instruction, and all the necessary supplies to complete your masterpiece. Use promo code ILSPTL10 at checkout to receive \$10 off paid for by the PTL. You are welcome to bring your own appetizers, otherwise there are beer, wine, and bar snacks available for purchase. Register online at [pinotpalette.com/stcharles/event/651656](http://pinotpalette.com/stcharles/event/651656)

## High School Information Night

Wed, Nov 9, 6:30-8:00 PM @Fellowship Hall

On Wednesday, November 9, Immanuel will again be hosting a high school information night open house. Much like a college fair, we have invited local private high schools to come exhibit for the evening to highlight their school programs, activities, and other pertinent admissions information. This event is open to the public and especially Grade 5-8 students. Exhibiting high schools include Aurora Central Catholic, Aurora Christian, Marmion Academy, Rosary, St. Francis, and Wheaton Academy.

## Veteran's Day Chapel

Wed, Nov 9, 8:20AM @Sanctuary

All veterans, along with family and friends, are invited to join our school kids for a special chapel service on Wed, Nov 9, at 8:20 am in the Sanctuary. Sit in reserved seats with other area veterans and enjoy a special 30-minute chapel presentation led by music director Sharon Dalpini. The chapel will include performances by 2 of our school choirs, a presentation by veteran Ray Benedetto, congregational sing-a-long, and official anthems for each branch of the armed forces. Veterans in attendance will receive a special gift of delicious baked goods and other treats. No need to register, just show up for chapel.

## Special Voter's Meeting

Sun, Nov 6, 9:00 AM @Sanctuary

We are proud to announce that Julie McFarland has completed her colloquy training through Concordia University Chicago and is now eligible to become a called Lutheran school teacher. Therefore, we will be holding a very short special voter's meeting Sunday, Nov 6 at 9:00am to extend a divine call to Mrs. McFarland.

## OCC Volunteer & Paid Jobs

November - December

Registration is now open at the Operation Christmas Child Aurora location to process OCC shoeboxes. Volunteer to inspect, pray over, and ready each gift for shipping. By partnering in this exciting effort, you can play an integral role in bringing Good News & great joy to millions of boys & girls! See volunteer opportunities at [samaritanspurse.org/occvolunteer](http://samaritanspurse.org/occvolunteer). Paid seasonal employment is also available. There are a wide variety of customer service & warehouse positions. Apply at [samaritanspurse.org/occseasonaljobs](http://samaritanspurse.org/occseasonaljobs).

## Sunday School College Care Packages

Due by Sun, Oct 30

Sunday School K-4 is doing a Servant Event for Immanuel's college students. Our kids will be packing and sending out care packages to our college kids. If you have or know a college student, please send us their name and address so the kids can send them a care package! Donations of care package items are needed as well. We want our college kids to know how much their Immanuel family loves them! College student info and care package donation links can be found online at [immanuelbatavia.org/announcements](http://immanuelbatavia.org/announcements). Contact Mary Wert with questions [mwert@ilcsbatavia.org](mailto:mwert@ilcsbatavia.org).

## Food Pantry Donations

Batavia Interfaith Food Pantry is a not-for-profit organization founded by local churches. It serves 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.



## Birthdays

**October 29**  
Dylan Maraffa  
Elizabeth Montalvo  
Matthew Falk  
John McCartan IV

**October 30**  
Carter Berens  
Melissa Moser  
John Kohlmeir  
Trevor Kilgallen  
Bethanne Grant  
Brandi Feltner

**October 31**  
Keith Priester  
Scott Pierce  
Jennifer Giese  
Sharon Recchia

**November 2**  
Sami Riddell  
Matt Winecke  
Matthew Staudacher

**November 2**  
Bob Imundo  
Judy Kraus  
Patricia Carson

**November 3**  
Abigail Circelli  
Jay Edwards  
Nancy Vermaat

**November 4**  
Harrison Hughes  
Braden Babka  
David Beckman  
Kerry Koch  
Matthew Hartzell  
Terri Riner

**November 5**  
Amy Acton  
Christin Hager  
Max Chiet  
Gertrude Ruppenthal

## Anniversaries

**November 1**  
Jeff & Cindy Rueffer  
**November 2**  
Noah Popp & Kristyn Krohse  
Bruce & Mary Benson  
**November 3**  
Jeff & Penny Janacek  
Rick & Lorri George  
**November 8**  
Jeffrey & Shannon Rudolph  
**November 11**  
Brian & Jennifer Nallenweg  
**November 21**  
Dale & Dora Bortner  
**November 23**  
Eloy & Gwynne Gutierrez  
**November 27**  
John & Laurel McCarten  
**November 28**  
Darin & Jeannine Wright  
**November 29**  
Kraig & Shawn Moon

If you don't see your birthday or anniversary listed here, please contact Penny 630.879.7163 or [church@immanuelbatavia.org](mailto:church@immanuelbatavia.org).

## Feed My Starving Children

Fri, Nov 11, 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:fasslinda@yahoo.com) with questions or to register.** Thanks to the 20 people that volunteered in October! 88 boxes were packed which will provide 19,008 meals, which will feed 52 children for a year.

## Northern Illinois Food Bank

Tue, Nov 8, 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:bdpeach@me.com) with questions or to register.** Volunteers packed 326 food boxes in October which will provide 5,297 meals.

## Lazarus House Meal Donations

Fri, Oct 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. **Email Lori, [lstvincent@ilcsbatavia.org](mailto:lstvincent@ilcsbatavia.org) to register to serve.**

## School Information

Visit the school website at [ilsbatavia.org](http://ilsbatavia.org) for information on upcoming events and news updates from Principal Donna Laughlin. See the /blog, /eventscalendar, and /fundraisers pages.

## 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](http://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-2683484) (2nd Quarter 2022 proceeds were \$216.86)
- ShopWithScrip. See [immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs](http://immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs) for details.
- Box Tops for Education. See [immanuelbatavia.org/purchasing-programs](http://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).