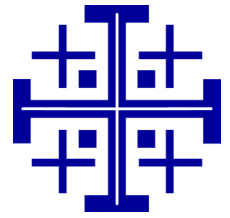




# Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill

## Episcopal/Anglican Alexandria, Virginia



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THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 8, 2022

### Holy Eucharist, Rite I, 8:00 a.m.

Page numbers refer to [The Book of Common Prayer](#) (the small red book with a cross).

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#### THE WORD OF GOD

##### Opening Acclamation

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Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.  
People: *The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.*

##### Gloria

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*Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.*

*We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee,  
we glorify thee,  
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.*

*O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.*

*Thou that takest away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.*

*For thou only art holy;  
thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

##### The Collect of Purity

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Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.  
*Amen.*



## The Collect of the Day

*The Celebrant says to the people*

The Lord be with you.  
People: ***And with thy spirit.***  
Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of thy people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calleth us each by name, and follow where he doth lead; who, with thee and the Holy Spirit, liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

## The First Lesson: Acts 9:36-43

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

The Word of the Lord  
Response: ***Thanks be to God.***

## Psalm 23 *Dominus regit me*

- 1 Lord is my shepherd; \*  
I shall not be in want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures \*  
and leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He revives my soul \*  
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; \*  
for you are with me;  
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; \*  
you have anointed my head with oil,  
and my cup is running over.
- 6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, \*  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

## The Epistle: Revelation 7:9-17

I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

“Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!”

And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

“Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom  
and thanksgiving and honor  
and power and might  
be to our God forever and ever!  
Amen.”

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

For this reason they are before the throne of God,  
and worship him day and night within his temple,  
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.  
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;  
the sun will not strike them,  
nor any scorching heat;  
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,  
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,  
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

The Word of the Lord

Response: *Thanks be to God.*

## The Holy Gospel: John 10:22-30

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John

People: *Glory be to thee, O Lord..*

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

The Gospel of the Lord

People: *Praise be to thee, O Christ.*

The Sermon: The Rev. Shawn Rutledge

## The Nicene Creed

*We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.*

*We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

### **The Prayers of the People**

After the words “God of Resurrection,”  
the congregation responds with “*Hear our prayer.*”

### **Confession of Sin and Absolution**

*Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against thee  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved thee with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in thy will,  
and walk in thy ways,  
to the glory of thy Name. Amen.*

### **The Peace**

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
People: *And with thy spirit.*

### **Welcome**

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### The Offertory

Clergy: All things come of thee, O Lord; and of thine own, have we given thee. p. 343

### The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.  
People: *And with thy spirit.*  
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.  
People: *We lift them up unto the Lord.*  
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
People: *It is meet and right so to do.*

### *Sanctus and Benedictus*

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*Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:  
Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

### The Lord's Prayer

p. 336

People and Celebrant:

*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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom  
and the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen*

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us  
People: *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *have mercy upon us.*  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *have mercy upon us.*  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *grant us thy peace.*

Celebrant: The Gifts of God, for the People of God.

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*We are now able to offer Communion in both kinds.  
To receive the consecrated Bread only, kindly extend one outstretched hand, palm up.  
To receive the consecrated Bread intincted in the Wine, please extend both hands, palms up.*

### **Post Communion Prayer**

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*Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end.  
Amen.*

### **The Blessing**

### **The Dismissal**

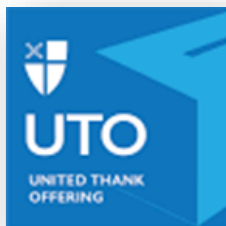
Clergy: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

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**SERVING AT THIS EUCHARIST:** *Usher:* Candace Quinlan  
*Flower Guild:* Martha Manson  
*Celebrant:* The Rev. Sam Sheridan

## UNITED THANK OFFERING (UTO)



Inserted in today's service bulletin is a United Thank Offering (UTO) donation envelope. We ask that you consider a donation by check or cash to support this worthy and longstanding ministry of the Episcopal Church. Donations will be accepted through Pentecost (June 5th). Checks should be made out to Immanuel Church-on-the-Hill and "UTO" entered on the memo line.

UTO is a ministry of The Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole church. Through UTO, individuals are invited to embrace and deepen a personal daily spiritual discipline of gratitude. UTO encourages people to notice the good things that happen each day, give thanks to God for those blessings and make an offering for each blessing using a UTO donation envelope ( or the UTO Blue Box). UTO is entrusted to receive the offerings, and to distribute the 100% of what is collected to support innovative mission and ministry throughout The Episcopal Church and Provinces of the Anglican Communion.

# Last Call:

## Magazine Story Call: *Sentimental Sacraments at Old Seminary*

Send in all of your favorite photos of **Baptisms, Weddings, Confirmations** and Homecoming Services taken at Seminary Chapel, Seminary Memorial Garden Chapel, and Zabriskie Chapel. We'll take a look back at how Seminary Chapel is still with us and how that sacred space is still used today; along with a nostalgic look at special sacraments, and events that took place at Zabriskie.

If you need [Aleta](#) to scan your photos for you, call her at (703) 370-6555 and arrange a time to meet at the parish office.

Deadline for entries is *next Sunday, May 15, 2022.*

[*At right:* In Zabriskie Chapel, the Rev. Dr. M. Sam Faeth baptizes her 16-month-old grandson, Fisher Eugene Gray on November 16, 2014, as (then-Seminarian) the Rev. Rachel Rickenbaker assists.]





# IMMANUEL CHURCH-ON-THE-HILL

## Parish Notes

May 8, 2022

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### **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](http://www.icoh.net)).

**PRAY FOR PARISHIONERS:** Aggie Fortune, Ann MacNamara, Cynthia Morton, Catherine Sinclair, Francine Wargo, Jessi MacLeod, Kenny, Natalie Doyle Hennin, Susan Wiard, Tony, Daphne, Leo, Tommy, Charles Willard, and Nancy Bishop.

**PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY:** Charlotte Kellogg, Dana De Cecco, Dorothy Phanuef, George Rustigian, Jack Allen, Kathryn Anschutz, Louise Jackson, Marjean Smith, Mildred Alexander, Paul, Rowena and Don Lynch, Steve Davis, Stephen Miller, Sue Rehnke, Ann Shelly, Sarah Minor, Tom Dollard, Jim McClane, Edith and Joseph, Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Bird, John, Alexandra, Hans, Jessica, McQuade Milligan, Linda and Cy Murphy, Scott DeVight, Reagan, Waide Egener, Peter and Joanne, Mary Muniz, Molly Grey, the Rev. Rosa Harper, Paul Holden Teske, Stephen Teske, Melinda Snow Teske, Louise Jackson, and Laney Langtry.

**Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week:** Anne Patton, Aria Enright, Adeline Haskin, Jay Sheffer, Marisa Temoshok, Zoe Powell-Switaj, Geoff Sheffer, Thomas Iwasawa, Greg Lambert, Kathleen Norton, Everett Post, Jennie Reading, Dick Taliaferro, Susanna Wanamaker, Meg Whelpley, Zachary Cohn, Adrienne Goins, Isaac Kubista, Marian Wright, Mary Ashton Campbell, Caroline Hennigan, and Jim Taylor.

**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 casualties and their caregivers.

**Those who we recently learned have died:** Bruce Morton, husband of Cynthia Morton; Raymond Lee, work colleague of Doug Onley; Virginia Keating Greiner, mother of Nick Greiner and mother-in-law of Jennifer Greiner; Marine Private First Class Isaac Romero, Army Private First Class Joseph A. Marquez, and Deputy Sheriff Nick Weist. *Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.*

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**Wednesday Evening Holy Eucharist Rite II  
May 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m, Zabriskie Chapel**

# Announcements

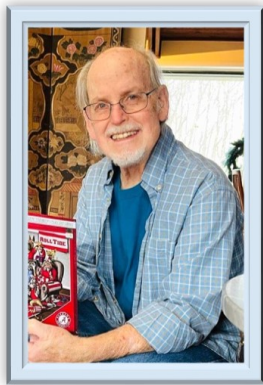
**BIBLE STUDY Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30 a.m.**  
**SECOND TIMOTHY and THE EPISTLE OF PAUL TO TITUS**

**Evening Compline, Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 p.m., Online via Zoom**

Committal Service  
for  
**Bruce Morton**

**May 21<sup>st</sup> @ 10:00 a.m.**  
**Zabriskie Memorial  
Garden**

**followed by Reception  
in the Parish Hall**



Memorial Service  
and Committal for  
**Nan Saussy Hobson**

**May 21<sup>st</sup> @ 2:00 p.m.**  
**Zabriskie Chapel and Memorial  
Garden**

**followed by Reception  
in the Parish Hall**



Click on photo for her obituary.

## **RESERVE YOUR SPACE NOW FOR IMMANUEL'S MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND AT SHRINE MONT**

We're heading back to Shrine Mont this year Memorial Day weekend (Saturday May 28- Monday May 30)! Please email Kathryn Jackson Haskin ([kathryn.jackson41@gmail.com](mailto:kathryn.jackson41@gmail.com)) with the following information to reserve your spot:

1. Total Number Attending
2. Names of attendees, with ages noted for those 0 -12
3. Single occupancy requests
4. Any dietary restrictions/preferences (gluten-free, sugar-free, vegan)

You can learn all about Shrine Mont — located 121 miles from Immanuel/ roughly 2 1/2 hours from Alexandria — via their website: <https://shrinemont.com/>. Costs are based on total attendance; however, will be no more than the following — taxes are included in the prices:

- Single Occupancy, age 13 and up: \$225
- Double Occupancy, age 13 and up: \$175
- Double Occupancy, age 4 through 12: \$90
- 3 and under: free to attend, but make sure to let us know for sleeping arrangement planning.

Want to get an early start on the weekend? You can also reserve your room and meals on Friday, for the following additional costs:

- Single occupancy, age 13 and up: \$108
- Double Occupancy, age 13 and up: \$83
- Double Occupancy, age 4 through 12: \$45

Payment is due to Immanuel before Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. If the cost of attending is a barrier for you, please reach out to [Father Randy](#) directly to discuss.

## BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY SATURDAY, May 21<sup>st</sup> Online via Zoom

Immanuel's monthly Saturday morning Breakfast Bible Study will be *next* Saturday, the third Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. We will meet online via Zoom (link and info available on our webpage and via our weekly eBlast) beginning at 8 a.m. Our theme this year is *Gratitude*; this month we will read **Matthew 20:24-28**, using the African Model of Reflection.

For more information, please contact Chrissie Crosby at [cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com](mailto:cmcfaddencrosby@gmail.com)

# Senior Adult Ministry EVENTS

## LUNCHEONS

Our monthly luncheon at **Goodwin House-Alexandria** is the third Wednesday of each month at noon in the Fillmore Room. Please join us on May 18 to enjoy lunch and socialize. All Immanuel seniors are invited and welcome to attend. For those who do not live at Goodwin House, the luncheon costs \$17. RSVP to Mother Susan at (703) 370-6555 ext. 207.

Our monthly luncheon at **Zabriskie parish hall** is the fourth Tuesday of each month at 12:15pm. On May 24, we will be viewing the movie **Mission: Joy (Finding Happiness in Troubled Times)**, which chronicles the meeting between Archbishop Desmond Tutu and His Holiness the Dalai Lama. It runs about 1 ½ hours, so we will watch during lunch. Bring your sandwich or salad lunch; dessert and beverages will be provided. All seniors are invited and welcome to attend this free event. RSVP via email to [karen.besser@gmail.com](mailto:karen.besser@gmail.com).

**TOUR THE FUTURES EXHIBIT AT THE SMITHSONIAN ARTS AND INDUSTRIES BUILDING:** Join us on a trip to the **Smithsonian Arts and Industries Building (AIB)** to tour the **Futures** exhibit on Saturday, May 21. To learn more about this 175th anniversary, building-wide exhibit, visit to <https://aib.si.edu/futures>.

Our van leaves the Zabriskie Chapel parking lot at 10:00 am. Our tour starts at 10:30 a.m. and lasts approximately one hour, followed by an extended look at this exhibit and lunch at either the Castle Café next door or across the Mall at the Art Sculpture Garden. We'll return to Zabriskie no later than 2:00 p.m.

In addition, this event can be accessed by METRO or by bicycle — a leader will guide bikers on this trip from Shirlington at 9:30 a.m. (approximately 7.5 miles each way); if interested, contact Karen Besser.

There are 20 tickets available for this free event; the copy to ride in the van is \$10. Questions or RSVPs to Karen Besser via email [karen.besser@gmail.com](mailto:karen.besser@gmail.com).

## Register for Shrine Mont Camps by June 1st!

For details and to register, visit <https://www.shrinemontcamps.net/registration>  
If viewing online, click on the logo at right. See you there!



## CLERGY AND STAFF

The Rev. J. Randolph Alexander, Jr. (ralexander@icoh.net) .....	Rector
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Darrell Wilson .....	Senior Warden
Kristi Kubista-Hovis .....	Junior Warden: Administration
Shawn Whitman .....	Junior Warden: Building and Grounds, Creation Care Committees
David Atwood .....	Adult Formation and Discipleship, Social Justice
Harrison Clark .....	Children, Youth, and Family Ministries
Brad Ashton .....	Stewardship and Planned Giving
Mollie Lambert .....	Outreach
Kathy Lloyd .....	Senior Ministry
Brooke Roberts .....	Communications
Phyllis Sims .....	Evangelism and New Members
Bob Murray .....	Worship
Julie Bruns .....	Pastoral Care
Rachel Wilson .....	Youth Representative (nonvoting member)
The Rev. Sam Sheridan .....	Register (nonvoting member)

### SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I, Zabriskie Chapel  
3606 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA  
9:00 a.m. Family Holy Eucharist, Zabriskie Chapel  
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Immanuel Chapel  
3737 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA

#### *Online*

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[Immanuel's YouTube channel](#)

### PRIEST ASSOCIATES

The Rev. Dr. J. Barney Hawkins, IV  
The Rev. Dr. Ruthanna Hooke  
The Rev. Jan A. Maas  
The Rev. John R. Smucker  
The Rev. Canon Rosemari G. Sullivan  
The Rev. Dr. Francis H. Wade

### RECTOR EMERITA

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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