

### Opportunities to Grow:

**Sunday Morning Prayer**—8:30 a.m. All are invited!

**Morning Bible Study** (adults) - Sunday mornings 9:30 am

**Evening Bible Study**—Sunday evenings 5:45 p.m.

**Online Resource**—[www.ibcchelsea.com](http://www.ibcchelsea.com)

The website contains our livestream worship services, as well as an audio of the sermons. There is also information about online giving.

### IBC 2020-21 Board of Officers:

**Elders:** Jerry Benjamin, Rod Bowers, Patrick Brady, Joe Cottle

**Deacons:** Mike Fischer, Mark Flaugher, Jeff Harris,  
Mark Nelson, Scott Peterson, Carl Schwarze

**Deaconesses:** Pat Berard, Stephanie DeMaagd, Bethany Fischer,  
Pat Stebelton

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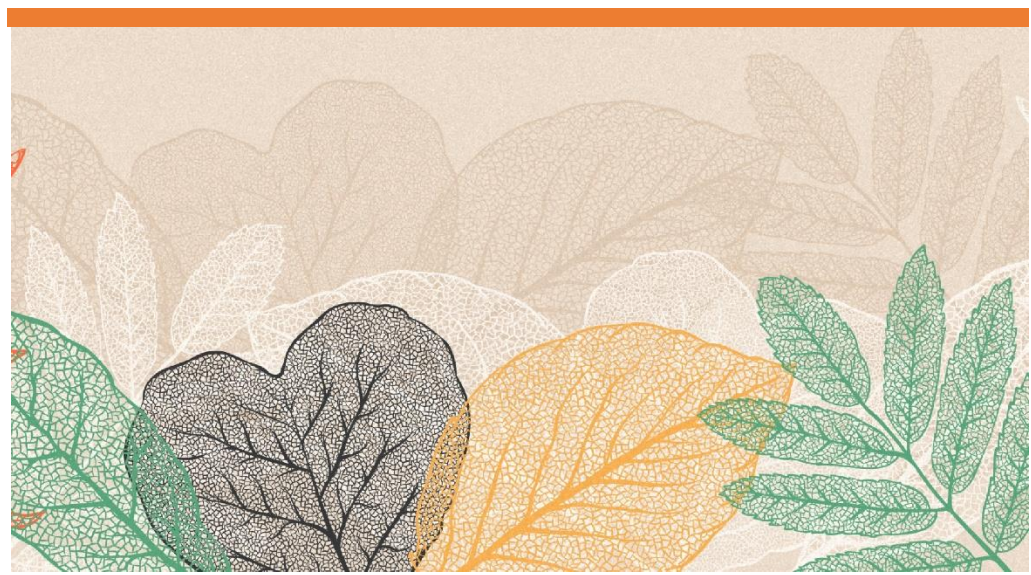
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Bible Church**  
Where **Bible** is our middle name



# Immanuel Bible Church

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## November 15, 2020





# IMMANUEL BIBLE CHURCH

Sunday, November 15, 2020

## Announcements

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### Nursery:

Our nursery is now open, with COVID guidelines in place, for children ages birth through two years old. We still need more workers! Please sign up on the SignUp Genius. Questions? Contact Stephanie DeMaagd.

### Operation Christmas Child:

We have three options for our Operation Christmas Child boxes this year:

1. Attend our socially-distanced packing party during our evening service tonight at 5:45 pm.
2. You can build a box online through our Immanuel Bible Church Goal page (see IBC's website).
3. You can build a box or boxes at home. Boxes and adhesive label/gift suggestions can be found back by the sound board. **Final collection of boxes: November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 10:30 am.**



### Christmas Choir:

IBC Choir is doing a Christmas Cantata! *Thrill of Hope* takes you on a journey through the Christmas story, filled with moments of worship, reflection, and celebration. Taking classic Christmas songs and reimagining them in beautiful and truly inspiring ways. Rehearsal schedule: November 10, 17, 24; December 3, 10, 15 from 6:15-7:15 pm. Dress rehearsal is December 17. For all questions, please contact Pastor Dave.

### Missionary Update: Chris & Zoe Fletcher / Teach Beyond, Hungary

November 3, 2020: *As an international school which relies on staff from overseas, ICSB is already asking us about future plans. This was the first year since coming to ICSB that we had to put a question mark on the survey. We are 100% committed to continuing to serve at ICSB. However, due to a tax agreement between the U.S. and Hungary, Zoe is required to leave Hungary for six months, every five years. This means we will have to leave Hungary for six months starting at the end of June. We don't want to leave. Hungary is our home. It's where we met, where we serve, and where we feel God has called us. There is an option to request an extension, but we are not sure if it is something we should pursue. The whole thing is rather complicated. We've known about this requirement for a while (several years), but we have been waiting for clarity. It seems that with Covid, things have only gotten more complicated.*

- *Please be praying with us about where God would have us during the next school year. We would love to spend some extended time in our respective homes, but there are many factors that we need to consider!*
- *Praise God for the continued protection he has offered during this season. We did have one positive case at school, but things were handled quickly, and our teacher is now healed.*
- *Praise God for all the ways he's allowing us to disciple students in the midst of this uncertain time.*
- *Please pray for continued safety, and wisdom for the Hungarian government as our cases are at an all-time high and continue increasing.*
- *Please pray for wisdom for us as we navigate the tricky waters of tax agreement and totalization.*

## Upcoming Events

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### Sunday, November 15

Prayer Meeting.....	8:30 am
Morning Bible Study.....	9:30 am
Kids' Worship.....	10:30 am
Worship Service .....	10:30 am
Youth Group .....	5:30 pm
Operation Christmas Child packing party.....	5:45 pm

### Tuesday, November 17

Choir Practice.....	6:15 pm
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### Sunday, November 22

Prayer Meeting.....	8:30 am
Morning Bible Study.....	9:30 am
Final collection of Operation Christmas Child boxes.....	10:30 am
Kids' Worship.....	10:30 am
Worship Service .....	10:30 am
Youth Group .....	5:30 pm
Evening Service.....	5:45 pm

### Tuesday, November 24

Choir Practice.....	6:15 pm
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### Thursday, November 26

Thanksgiving Day

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*Thank you so much for visiting today! We are looking forward to getting to know you better. Please be sure to fill out the Visitor's Information card found in the Welcome folder.*