

Opportunities at IBC

Sunday, August 30

9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Tuesday, September 1

6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, September 2

6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, September 3

1:00 pm Line Dancing

Sunday, September 6

9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship with
Communion

Monday, September 7

Church Office Closed
6:00 pm Baptist Mission
Women

Tuesday, September 8

6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, September 9

6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, September 10

1:00 pm Line Dancing

Friday, September 11

3:00 pm Crafting

Saturday, September 12

9:00 am Crafting

Sunday, September 13

Grandparent's Sunday
9:15 am The Gathering
10:30 am Worship

Monday, September 14

6:00 pm Deacon's Meeting

Tuesday, September 15

6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, September 16

5:00 pm Wednesday Dinner
6:00 pm Program
7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, September 17

1:00 pm Line Dancing

Sunday, September 20

9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Tuesday, September 22

6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, September 23

5:00 pm Wednesday Dinner
6:00 pm Program
7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, September 24

1:00 pm Line Dancing

Friday, September 25

6:00 pm Immanuelfest
Set-up

Saturday, September 26

10:00 am Immanuelfest

Sunday, September 27

9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Welcome, Friends

Welcome to all members and participants. If you are visiting with us for the first time, we are glad you are here and hope you sense the presence and love of God expressed in our fellowship and worship.

Our priority is to embody the unconditional love of God in all that we do. We are an inclusive Christian community that affirms all people as children of God and believe that loving our neighbors as ourselves and pursuing the common good for all people, especially the disenfranchised and most vulnerable, are our most important works as disciples of Jesus.

Hearing Devices

Hearing devices are available for those who need them. See the Sound Technician before the service to obtain one.



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Frankfort, KY

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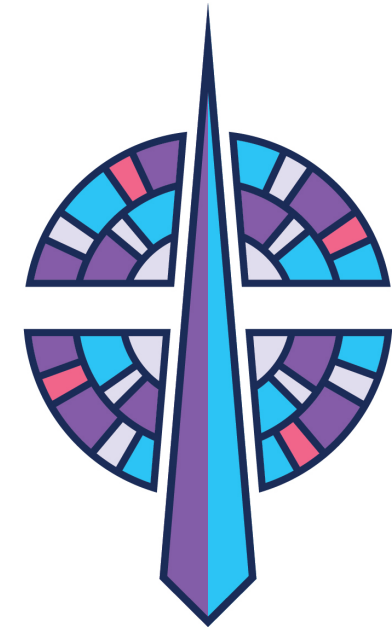
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IBC Office Hours This Week

Monday–Wednesday: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.



Immanuel
BAPTIST CHURCH
Frankfort, KY

Sunday, August 30, 2026

The Worship of Our Lord

“Lamentations: A Theological
Headache”

Rev. Rick White, Guest Preacher

Rev. Dr. Emily Holladay, Senior Pastor

Mac Stivers, Minister of Music



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Join us for

GRAND-PARENT'S SUNDAY

Help us celebrate the role all grandparents play in the lives of their grandkids on this extra-special Sunday!

13 September

Breakfast at 9:15AM
Worship at 10:30AM

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IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Fall Wednesday Night Dinners and Program

Using our voices to advocate for systemic support for "the least of these" - Matthew 25:40



"The church must be reminded that it is not the master or the servant of the state, but rather the conscience of the state."
- Martin Luther King, Jr.

We've spent the last two years learning about community partners who support "the least of these." Now, we are going to hear from people who do the work of advocacy in the community to learn how we can use our voices to help bring about sustainable change in Frankfort and beyond.

Dates: September 16 - October 21, 2026
Time: 5:00 p.m. Dinner | 6:00 p.m. Program
Location: IBC Fellowship Hall
1075 Collins Lane, Frankfort, Ky 40601

OPEN TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS

SAVE THE DATE & JOIN US!

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The Worship of Our Lord

August 30, 2026

10:30 a.m.

Welcome Sam Crowe

Prelude Sandy Altom

Call to Worship Tabitha and Leyna Martin

Leader 1: Spirit of Christ,
Leader 2: You are our comforter,
Leader 1: our helper,
Leader 2: our advocate,
People: our very present help in times of trouble.

Leader 1: You do not leave us alone.
 Leader 2: Your faithfulness is not an accident,
People: and our faith is not born of chance.
 Leader 1: We test you at every turn,
 Leader 2: and you are still there.

People: We wonder if we will get through the hard times, and by your grace we do.

Leader 1: We worry about strength for tomorrow,
Leader 2: and then we remember your faithfulness
yesterday.

Leader 1: Spirit of Christ,
People: enter our hearts with your peace that passes all understanding.

Leader 2: Come quietly into hospital rooms,
Leader 1: and wait with us.
Leader 2: Come gently into homes where there are
tears,

Leader 1: and catch them in your hands.
Leader 2: Come calmly into our anxious schedules,
People: **and give us awareness of your presences.**

Leader 1: In our human ways,
Leader 2: may we be for others
Leader 1: comforters,

Leader 2: helpers,
Leader 1: advocates,
People: people who help in times of trouble,
Leader 2: always in the Spirit of Christ,
People: our Comfort beyond all comfort.

Adapted from Sharland Sledge, *Prayers & Litanies for the Christian Seasons*, "Comfort,"
Macon, Ga.: Smyth & Helwys, 1999.

*Hymn: 8 EIN' FESTE BURG
 “A Mighty Fortress is Our God”
 verses 1, 2, and 4

Deacon Scripture and Prayer Karen Dungan
Deuteronomy 30:15-20
New Revised Standard Version Updated Edition

¹⁵ “See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. ¹⁶ If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the Lord your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. ¹⁷ But if your heart turns away and you do not hear but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, ¹⁸ I declare to you today that you shall certainly perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. ¹⁹ I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, ²⁰ loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him, for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the Lord swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.”

*Hymn 323 RESTORATION
 “Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy”
 verses 1-3

Scripture Rick White

Lamentations 2:1-22

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Special Music	Hayes
“You Are Mine”	
Sanctuary Choir	

Children's Moment Sam Crowe
(Children may exit the sanctuary after the Children's Moment)

Sermon Rick White
“Lamentations: A Theological Headache”

Pastoral Prayer Rick White

Music for Meditation Pat Pennington

*Hymn of Response: 410 VILLE DU HAVRE
 "It is Well With My Soul"

Sending Forth to Serve Rick White

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Membership at IBC

You may become a member of this church family in any one of the following ways:

1. Through personal commitment to discipleship to Jesus and through baptism.

2. By letter from another church where you are now a member. At your request, we write for your letter of membership.

3. By statement of previous Christian conversion experience and baptism. You may come forward during the singing of the Hymn of Response.

Deacon of the Week

Our Deacon of the Week is Karen Dungan. Please feel free to call her during the week if you have ministry needs or know of others who have needs or prayer concerns. Her phone number is 502-330-1940. You also may contact the church office at 502-223-7601.

Prayer List

Sandra Altom	Jackie Hatcher	Ernie Murphy
Norma Barnes	Glenn Ison	Sloane True
Jim Claycomb	Amie LeMaster	Chuck Wolfe
Roger Crittenden	Scarlett Moore	Susan Wolfe
Verna Fairchild		Joyce Wood

To view a full listing of prayer requests or to submit a request,
please visit the Prayer List on our website at:
www.ibcfrankfort.com/prayer.

*All those who are able are invited to stand.

Please turn off or silence all electronic devices.

To Experience & Express God's Unconditional Love