

# The Knightly News

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#### Hey Immanuel! ◄

We are glad you are here!

We are in the season of Advent and just two weeks away from our Christmas break. Please read below for all of our upcoming events and details about our church and school!

Please click <u>here</u> to read about Advent, and click <u>here</u> to view our Christmas worship schedule.



Merry Christmas!

# Special Announcement! ••



We are looking for a musician(s) or vocalist(s) to play or sing a gentle intermission song or melody in between transitions of our Christmas Concert on 12/15. Some may call this a "House Musician".

Sounds of a piano, a violin, a saxophone, or any other instrument or voice are welcome!

Please email justin.fierro@ilgtx.com if you're interested in playing or carrying a tune for about a minute, or even if you know someone who may have a great talent!

# **December Memory Verse - Generosity**

"<u>Put on</u> then, as God's <u>chosen ones</u>, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience," Colossians 3:12

# The Weekly Scroll (9)

December 8th: JV Girls, JV Boys, and Varsity Boys Basketball vs St. Paul Thorndale 🗬

**December 9th:** Emergency Lock Down Drill (8:50 am)

December 10th: Chapel by our 4th Graders 🏝

December 10th: 4th Graders Sing @ Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home ▶
December 11th: 3rd and 4th Grade Field Trip to The Nutcracker, Austin 

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December 11th: JV Girls, JV Boys, and Varsity Boys Basketball vs St. Anthony Columbus 🗬

December 12th: 2nd Graders Sing @ Giddings Public Library &

# Pictures of the Week!



# Every Penny Counts! Booster Club Officers Valarie Miller and Dayna Johnson present our Penny War donation to the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life of Lee County!



Knights of the Week! ♥
Ricky Garcia, Kyson
Wachsmann, Memphis
Schneider, Madalyn Moreton,
Jett Lamont, and Melodi
Patschke!



Look Out, Above! There's never a rainy day in PE!

1st and 2nd graders have a
blast with the PE Parachute!



Casen Miller (12/7), Jennifer Barnes (12/8), Kade Ehrlund (12/10), Weston Marek (12/10), and Kaydence Morrison (12/12)

# Next Week's Lunch Menu 🍕

Mon. Dec. 8	Tues. Dec. 9	Wed. Dec. 10	Thur. Dec. 11	Fri. Dec. 12
Steak Fingers	Baked Potato w/	Baked Chicken	Fish Sticks	Sub Sandwiches
Sweet/Plain Rice	BBQ or Ham	Buttered Noodles	Mac & Cheese	Curly French Fries
Broccoli w/ Cheese	Garden Salad	Green Beans	Green Beans	Lettuce, Tomato
Steamed Squash	Crackers	Wheat Roll	Coleslaw	Pickles
Milk	Pineapple	Mixed Fruit	Pears	Oranges
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#### 1. See Something, Say Something 🖤

We are a "<u>See Something</u>, <u>Say Something</u>" campus and community. This pledge is the core of Jesus' Word in <u>Matthew 18:15</u>. It's Love, it's our school, and it's our safety.

"See Something, Say Something" begins with a commitment by each child, teacher, and family to support others and define appropriate behaviors and situations. "See Something, Say Something" expands our refusal to allow or accept mediocrity in unsafe and inappropriate behavior around our most precious children.

If your child experiences something negative, please encourage them to "See Something, Say Something"! We are better together!

#### 2. Label Those Jackets! 窒

As the weather continues to change, please take a look into your coat closet and label your child's **jackets**, **hoodies**, **and sweaters**. If a jacket is left, we will continue to collect them in the front of school, and at the cafeteria/sonshine pick-up area.





#### 3. Immanuel's Christmas Concert 🌲 🎝

Please join us on Monday, December 15th at 6 pm for our annual Christmas Concert!

Performances will include our Pre K classes all the way up to our 8th Graders. Snacks and drinks will be served after our concert.

Merry Christmas!

#### 4. Christmas Dress Up Week! 👨

Join us for our annual Christmas Dress Up Week!

- Monday, December 15th Tacky Sweater Day
- Tuesday, December 16th Santa's Workshop Imposter Day!
- Wednesday, December 17th Night Before Christmas PJ Day!
- Thursday, December 18th Hats Off to Hollywood Day!
- Friday, December 19th Green or Red Day!





#### 5. Immanuel to Join and Participate in TEFA

Beginning February 4th, families may apply for Texas Education Freedom Accounts (TEFA), the state's school-choice funding program as defined in Senate Bill 2.



At Immanuel, TEFA will now serve as the **primary pathway for financial aid,** followed next by church-membership assistance, then
by support from the school endowment, and finally by church financial aid when applicable.

We encourage all families to prepare for the February 4th TEFA application window, as this will be the first and most significant step in receiving tuition support for the 2026–2027 school year.

# Peering Through The Portcullis! ••

**December 15th:** Christmas <u>Dress Up</u> Week

December 15th: 3rd and 5th Grade Field Trip to McKinney Roughs, Bastrop 📟

December 15th: Christmas Concert 🎝

December 16th: Basketball vs Cornerstone 🧬

December 17th: 1st Graders Sing @ Lee County Senior Citizens Center 🌓

December 18th: Cross Country Pizza Party 🔑

December 18th: Varsity Basketball @ Bastrop Tribe (Smithville Elementary)

December 19th: Chapel by Katie Otto 📥

December 19th: Early Release, Start of Christmas Break 🌲

December 24th: Children's Christmas Eve Program 🌲

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January 6th: Parent Teacher Conferences

January 7th: School Resumes

January 7th: Chapel by Faith Lutheran High School 🎄

January 23rd: 3rd-8th Grade Spelling Bee @ Concordia High School, Pflugerville 🔡

February 4th: School Choice (TEFA) Applications Begin @ Odyssey.com

February 27th: PSIA

# The Knight's Court 👑

1st 9 Weeks: <u>Honor Roll</u>, and <u>Perfect Attendance</u> 2nd 9 Weeks: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance Fall Semester: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance

3rd 9 Weeks: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance 4th 9 Weeks: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance Spring Semester: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance

2025-2026: Honor Roll, and Perfect Attendance



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