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# The Knightly News

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## Hey Immanuel! 📢

We are glad you are here!

I hope you're enjoying a three day weekend and celebration of Martin Luther King Jr day! Please take a look below at all of our events this week. Highlights this week include basketball, TEFA meeting, and a Spelling Bee at Concordia HS - Austin!



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## January Memory Verse - Courage

"but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." [Romans 5:8](#)

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## The Weekly Scroll 📜

**January 19th:** No School, MLK Day

**January 20th:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**January 20th:** Spring Play Auditions 🎭

**January 20th:** JV Girls, Varsity Boys Basketball @ Serbin 🏀

**January 21st:** Chapel by Pastor Beck of Holy Cross - Warda 🏛️

**January 21st:** [Texas A&M AgriLife](#) Lessons (2nd, 5th-8th grade) 🌱

**January 21st:** Spring Play Auditions 🎭

January 21st: [TEFA Open Forum](#) and [Application](#) Assistance Meeting, 6:00 pm 🗓️

January 22nd: After-school Puzzle Club (K-8th grade) 🧩

January 22nd: Varsity Girls Basketball @ St. Joseph Bryan 🏀

January 22nd: JV Boys vs 1st Baptist Brenham 🏀

January 23rd: Chapel Families - Quilting!

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

January 23rd & 24th: JV Boys Basketball [Tournament @ Salem Tomball](#) 🏀

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## Pictures of the Week! 🌟



### Texas A&M AgriLife 🌿

Lee County's Texas A&M AgriLife extension helped explain birds and their wildlife adaptations this week!



### Knights of the Week! 🏰

Lauren Jaehne, Charlie Horne, Cade Kirk, Weston Knight, and Kaelia Brashear!



### The Creation of Music! 🎵

Mrs. Boyce begins the semester with music creation - percussion instruments! 🎵



### Fried Chicken Sunday Fryers

It's all hands-on deck for fryers by the gallon, and fried chicken!



### Fried Chicken Sunday Plates

Thank you to all of our parents and students who helped this morning!



**Fried Chicken Plates, To-Go!**

They lined up from miles around!

**Fried Chicken Sunday Lunch**

The food was delicious!

Thank you to all who supported Mr. Kuiper and our 7th and 8th grade families!  
If you are interested in supporting this year's class trip, please email Mr. Kuiper at  
[jkuiper@ilgtx.com](mailto:jkuiper@ilgtx.com).

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Kate Siegmund (1/20), Mrs. Kuiper (1/21),  
Juliette Barron (1/23), Weston Knight (1/24),  
Ellie Boriack (1/25), and Nash Orsag (1/25) 🥰

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**This Week's Lunch Menu** 🍕



Tue.	Jan. 20	Wed.	Jan. 21	Thur.	Jan. 22	Fri.	Jan. 23
Tacos		Pizza		<b>Chicken Nuggets</b>		<b>Hamburgers</b>	
Refried Beans		Corn		Mac & Cheese		French Fries	
Spanish ice		Garden Salad		Green Beans		Lettuce, Tomato	
Lettuce, Tomato		Jello w/ Fruit		Steamed Carrots		Pickles, Onions	
Cheese, Salsa		Fresh Apples		Peaches		Strawberries	
Pineapple, Milk		Milk		Milk		Milk	

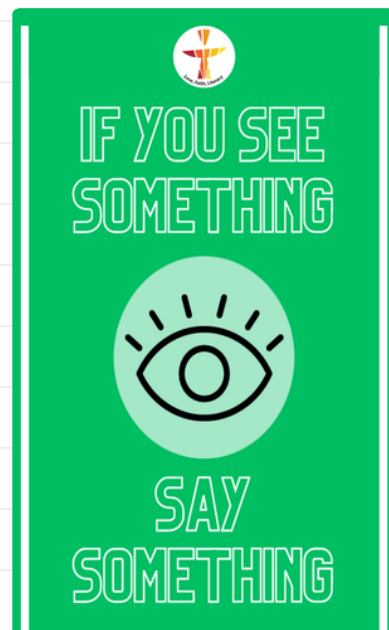
## Reminders 💡

### 1. See Something, Say Something ❤️

We are a "[See Something, Say Something](#)" campus and community. This pledge is the core of Jesus' Word in [Matthew 18:15](#). 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! 🏷️

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.

Click [here](#) to view our **digital photo album** of current lost and found jackets!



### 3. Immanuel is looking for help! ☹️

Immanuel's church office is seeking to hire a **full-time church secretary**. Please contact Mrs. Candice Hahn at the church office for more information, [chahn@ilgtx.com](mailto:chahn@ilgtx.com).

Immanuel's ECC is seeking to hire **part-time 2 year-old** and **part-time 3 year-old teachers**. Please contact Mrs. Kellye Crouch at the ECC for more information, [kellye.crouch@ilgtx.com](mailto:kellye.crouch@ilgtx.com).




### 4. TEFA Meeting! 🗣️



Please join us this Wednesday, January 21st, at 6:00 pm to discuss the state's new Texas Education Freedom Account (TEFA) initiative and Immanuel's new financial aid pathway.

We will also discuss and help you prepare for the February 4th - March 17th TEFA application window. TEFA will be our first and most significant step in receiving tuition support for the 2026–2027 school year.



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**Highlights:**

- Learn how to apply in February 2026!
- Allocated funds per child & prioritization
- Eligibility & Family requirements

**Texas Education Freedom Accounts**

**TEXAS EDUCATION FREEDOM ACCOUNTS**  
*Freedom to learn your way.*

**Join us for a review and update of Senate Bill 2 - the state funded opportunity called school choice.**

JAN. 21 6:00 PM  
Immanuel Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall

Justin Fierro  
Principal  
Immanuel Lutheran

All parents, private and public school leaders/educators are welcome to attend!

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## Peering Through The Portcullis! 🗨️

**January 26th:** LCMS Accelerated Reader Challenge begins 📖

**January 26th:** JV Girls Basketball vs 1st Baptist Brenham 🏀

**January 26th:** Varsity Girls Basketball vs St. Joseph Bryan 🏀

**January 27th:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**January 28th:** Chapel by our 3rd graders 🏛️

**January 28th:** [Texas A&M AgriLife](#) Lessons (5th-8th grade) 🌱

**January 29th:** After-school Puzzle Club (K-8th grade) 🧩

**January 30th & 31st:** Immanuel's JV Basketball Tournament 🏀

**February 1st:** 2026-2027 Returning Student Enrollment Begins

**February 2nd:** JV Basketball and Boys Varsity Basketball @ St. Paul Thorndale 🏀

**February 3rd:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**February 4th:** Chapel by our 7th graders 🏛️

**February 4th:** [TEFA](#) Applications Begin @ [WithOdyssey.com](#) 📖

**February 4th:** Texas A&M AgriLife Lessons (2nd, 5th-8th grade) 🌱

**February 5th:** After-school Puzzle Club (K-8th grade) 🧩

**February 9th:** JV Girls and Boys Varsity Basketball vs Serbin 🏀

**February 9th:** Girls Varsity Basketball vs Fayetteville 🏀

**February 10th:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**February 11th:** Chapel by Pastor Bohm of St. John - Lincoln 🏛️

**February 12th:** Pep Rally

**February 12th:** After-school Puzzle Club (K-8th grade) 🧩

**February 13th & 14th:** Varsity State Basketball Tournament @ Salem Tomball 🏀

**February 16th:** No School, Presidents Day

**February 17th:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**February 17th:** ECC Community Open House

**February 18th:** Ash Wednesday Chapel by Pastor Tiner 🏛️

**February 19th:** After-school Puzzle Club (K-8th grade) 🧩

**February 24th:** After-school Robotics (2nd-8th grade) 🤖

**February 25th:** Chapel by our 5th graders 🏛️

**February 26th:** NO After-school Puzzle Club, PSIA Prep

**February 27th:** PSIA 🏠

## The Knight's Court 🏰

1st 9 Weeks: [Honor Roll](#), and [Perfect Attendance](#)

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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Immanuel's [Church Newsletter](#) and [Church Calendar \(January and February 2026\)](#)

Faith Lutheran's [February Newsletter](#)

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## Immanuel's Board of Christian Day School

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"And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation."

Mark 16:15



