



## *Second Sunday of Advent*

*December 5, 2021*

*9:30 a.m., In Person & FB Live*

*| Advent 2, Year C |*

*Holy Eucharist Rite Two*

### **Our Mission**

*To know Christ and to make Christ known!*

*Kililain si Kristo at ipakilala si Kristo!*

*¡Conocer a Cristo y dar a conocer a Cristo!*

### **Our Vision**

*Celebrate God, Cultivate Growth, Communicate Love!*

### **Our Values**

◆ **Worship** *Experiencing God through liturgy that is historical and relevant, music that is excellent and grounded in tradition, and services that involve participation of the parish in various ways;*

◆ **Diversity** *Appreciating and celebrating our differences in backgrounds, occupations, cultures, ethnicities, genders, generations, orientations, citizenships, and perspectives.*

◆ **Hospitality** *Sharing radical hospitality with all who visit and attend All Saints Episcopal Church;*

◆ **Community** *Loving and respecting all people, and their expression of singleness or family, with fellowship and education for all throughout their spiritual journey.*

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## **Welcome to All Saints Episcopal Church**

***If you are visiting, welcome!*** We would love the opportunity to get to know you. Please fill out a visitor card found on the visitor table as you enter the church and place it in the offering plate or pass it to one of our ushers.

**All** are welcome to receive Holy Communion as the Lord's Table is open to all.

In order to preserve the reverence of our worship life, we ask all to silence your cell phones as you enter the church, Please note that our liturgies are video cast and made available to homebound members and the general public visiting via our media resources such as Facebook and our parish website. *Thank you and welcome!*

### **COVID PROTOCOL**

**Effective August 1, 2021, the policy of All Saints' Episcopal for indoor public worship is:**

- **Wearing a mask is required whether or not you are vaccinated.**
- **If you do not have a mask, one will be provided to you.**
- **Maintaining proper social distancing is the responsibility of each individual and household appropriate to their medical condition and individual conscience.**

**Entrance Hymn *O come, O come, Emmanuel (Veni, veni, Emmanuel)***

O come, O come, Emmanuel,  
and ransom captive Israel,  
that mourns in lonely exile here  
until the Son of God appear.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
shall come to thee, O Israel

O come, O come, thou Lord of might,  
who to thy tribes on Sinai's height  
in ancient times didst give the law,  
in cloud, and majesty, and awe.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
shall come to thee, O Israel!

O come, thou Branch of Jesse's tree,  
free them from Satan's tyranny  
that trust thy mighty power to save,  
and give them victory o'er the grave.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
shall come to thee, O Israel!

*The following will be read during the lighting of the Advent Candles.*

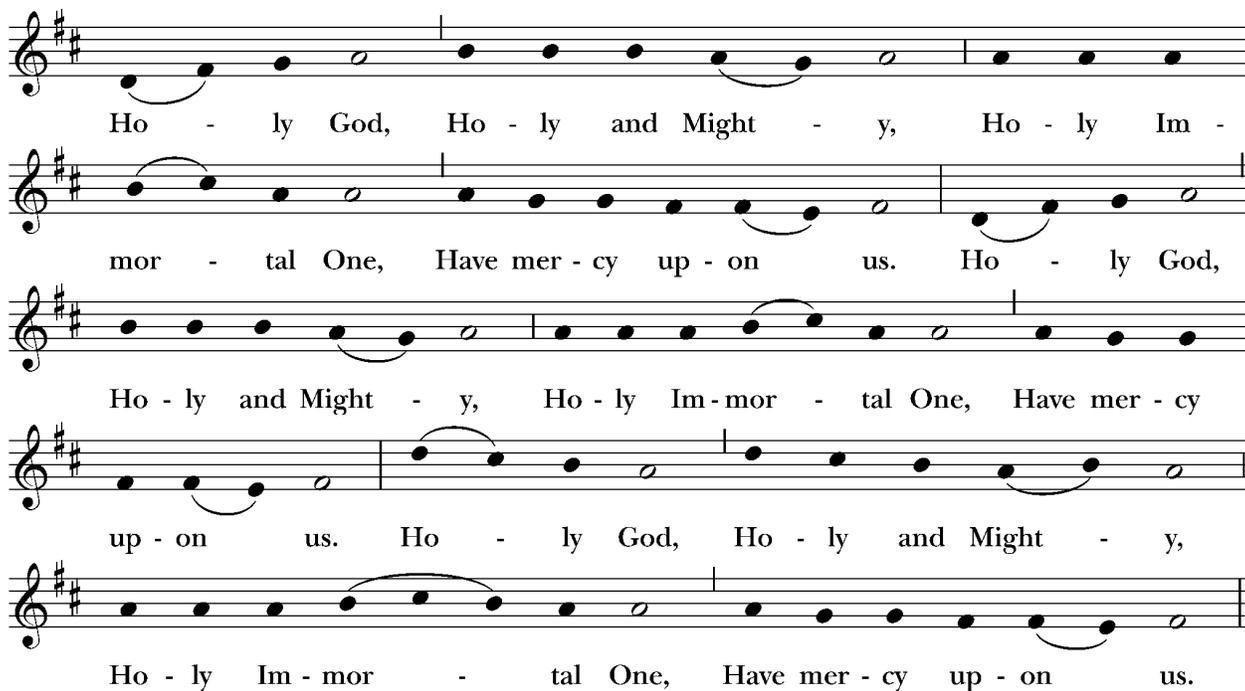
Blessed are you, sovereign Lord, just and true:  
to you be praise and glory for ever.  
Of old you spoke by the mouth of your prophets,  
but in our days you speak through your Son,  
whom you have appointed the heir of all things.  
Grant us, your people, to walk in his light,  
that we may be found ready and watching  
when he comes again in glory and judgement;

for you are our light and our salvation.

**Blessed be God for ever.**

## Opening Anthem or Song of Praise *S 100 Holy God (Hurd)*

*The following is sung, all standing*



Ho - ly God, Ho - ly and Might - y, Ho - ly Im -  
mor - tal One, Have mer - cy up - on us. Ho - ly God,  
Ho - ly and Might - y, Ho - ly Im - mor - tal One, Have mer - cy  
up - on us. Ho - ly God, Ho - ly and Might - y,  
Ho - ly Im - mor - tal One, Have mer - cy up - on us.

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Merciful God, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

## The Lessons

### First Reading: Baruch 5:1-9

*The people sit.*

A Reading from the book of Baruch.

<sup>1</sup>Take off the garment of your sorrow and affliction, O Jerusalem,  
and put on forever the beauty of the glory from God.

<sup>2</sup>Put on the robe of the righteousness that comes from God;  
put on your head the diadem of the glory of the Everlasting;

<sup>3</sup>for God will show your splendor everywhere under heaven.

<sup>4</sup>For God will give you evermore the name,  
“Righteous Peace, Godly Glory.”

<sup>5</sup>Arise, O Jerusalem, stand upon the height;  
look toward the east,

and see your children gathered from west and east  
at the word of the Holy One,  
rejoicing that God has remembered them.

<sup>6</sup>For they went out from you on foot,  
led away by their enemies;

but God will bring them back to you,  
carried in glory, as on a royal throne.

<sup>7</sup>For God has ordered that every high mountain and the everlasting hills be  
made low

and the valleys filled up, to make level ground,  
so that Israel may walk safely in the glory of God.

<sup>8</sup>The woods and every fragrant tree  
have shaded Israel at God’s command.

<sup>9</sup>For God will lead Israel with joy,  
in the light of his glory,  
with the mercy and righteousness that come from him.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.

*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm: Canticle 4: The Song of Zechariah**

*Remain seated.*

Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, \*  
for he hath visited and redeemed his people;  
And hath raised up a mighty salvation for us \*  
in the house of his servant David,  
As he spake by the mouth of his holy prophets, \*  
which have been since the world began:  
That we should be saved from our enemies, \*  
and from the hand of all that hate us;  
To perform the mercy promised to our forefathers, \*  
and to remember his holy covenant;  
To perform the oath which he sware to our forefather Abraham, \*  
that he would give us,  
That we being delivered out of the hand of our enemies \*  
might serve him without fear,  
In holiness and righteousness before him, \*  
all the days of our life.

And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest, \*  
for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways;  
To give knowledge of salvation unto his people \*  
for the remission of their sins,  
Through the tender mercy of our God, \*  
whereby the dayspring from on high hath visited us;  
To give light to them that sit in darkness  
and in the shadow of death, \*  
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

## Second Reading: Philippians 1:3-11

*The people sit.*

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Philippi.

<sup>3</sup>I thank my God every time I remember you, <sup>4</sup>constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, <sup>5</sup>because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. <sup>6</sup>I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. <sup>7</sup>It is right for me to think this way about all of you, because you hold me in your heart, for all of you share in God's grace with me, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. <sup>8</sup>For God is my witness, how I long for all of you with the compassion of Christ Jesus. <sup>9</sup>And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight <sup>10</sup>to help you to determine what is best, so that in the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, <sup>11</sup>having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.

*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

*Silence may follow.*

## Sequence Hymn *Once he came in blessing (Gottes Sohn ist kommen)* (H 53)

*All stand.*



1 Once he came in bless - ing, all our ills re - dress - ing;  
2 Still he comes with - in us, still his voice would win us  
3 Thus, if thou canst name him, not a - shamed to claim him,  
4 One who thus en - dur - eth bright re - ward se - cur - eth.



came in like-ness low - ly, Son of God most ho - ly;  
from the sins that hurt us, would to Truth con - vert us:  
but wilt trust him bold - ly nor dost love him cold - ly,  
Come, then, O Lord Je - sus, from our sins re - lease us;



bore the cross to save us, hope and free - dom gave us.  
not in tor - ment hold us, but in love en - fold us.  
he will then re - ceive thee, heal thee, and for - give thee.  
let us here con - fess thee till in heaven we bless thee.

## Gospel: Luke 3:1-6

*All stand.*

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

<sup>1</sup>In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, <sup>2</sup>during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. <sup>3</sup>He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, <sup>4</sup>as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah,

“The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:

‘Prepare the way of the Lord,  
make his paths straight.

<sup>5</sup>Every valley shall be filled,  
and every mountain and hill shall be made low,  
and the crooked shall be made straight,  
and the rough ways made smooth;

<sup>6</sup>and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.’”

*Deacon*      The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*      **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**The Sermon**

**The Reverend Nicholas Neubauer**

**The Creed**

*All stand.*

**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.

With the Father and the Son he 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

*All remain standing.*

I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. Prepare your hearts for his arrival, praying, “Fill the valleys, make low the hills; *come, great Redeemer, come.*”

Merciful God, increase our love to overflowing. Make your Church pure and blameless that we may greet with joy the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*Silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

Merciful God, we long for the light of hope to break into our world, to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, to guide us into the way of peace.

*Silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

Merciful God, give us grace to heed the warnings of those calling us to be better stewards of your creation. We thank you for all you have made, especially those things that sustain and better our lives.

*Silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

Merciful God, you lead us with joy; you delight in our joy. You clothe us in beauty. We give you thanks for your tender care.

*Invite the congregation to add their thanksgivings, followed by silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

Merciful God, you remember your children. You do not leave us in sorrow or affliction. Crown your children with glory; clothe them with righteousness.

*Invite the congregation to add their petitions, followed by silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

Merciful God, you have raised up for us salvation through your Son. Keep us, with all your saints, in the eternal life of Christ.

*Silence*

Fill the valleys, make low the hills;

***Come, great Redeemer, come.***

## **Confession of Sin**

*The Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

*Minister and People*

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

*The Priest stands and says*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

*All stand.*

*Celebrant*      The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People*        **And also with you.**

*Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

**Birthdays, Anniversaries, Celebrations,  
and Other Prayer Requests**

Watch over your servants, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up when they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Jessica Gonzales Dec 5, Nancy Halpin Dec 5**

**Don Johns Dec 5, Margo Scruggs Dec 5**

**David Haile Dec 7, Agustin Mancilla Dec 7**

**Marilyn Robinson Dec 8**

**Announcements**

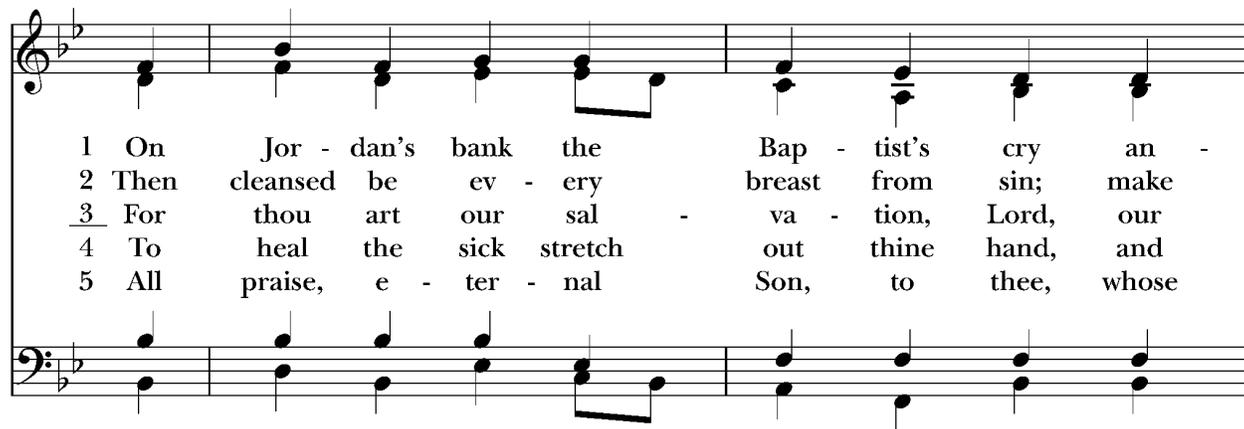
# The Holy Communion

## Offertory Sentence

*The Celebrant says*

Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

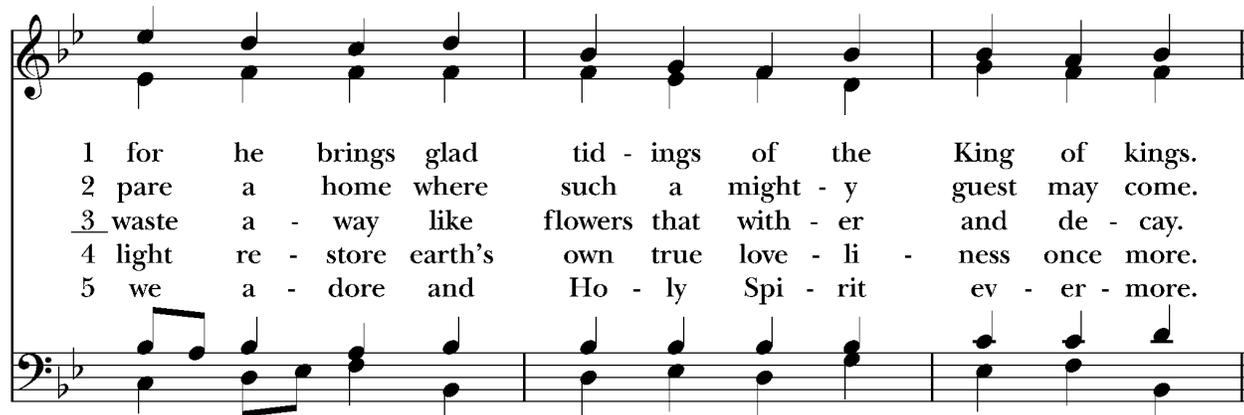
## Offertory Hymn *On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry (Winchester New)*



1 On Jor - dan's bank the Bap - tist's cry an -  
2 Then cleansed be ev - ery breast from sin; make  
3 For thou art our sal - va - tion, Lord, our  
4 To heal the sick stretch out thine hand, and  
5 All praise, e - ter - nal Son, to thee, whose



1 noun - ces that the Lord is nigh; a - wake and heark - en,  
2 straight the way for God with - in, and let each heart pre -  
3 re - fuge, and our great re - ward; with - out thy grace we  
4 bid the fall - en sin - ner stand; shine forth, and let thy  
5 ad - vent doth thy peo - ple free; whom with the Fa - ther



1 for he brings glad tid - ings of the King of kings.  
2 pare a home where such a might - y guest may come.  
3 waste a - way like flowers that with - er and de - cay.  
4 light re - store earth's own true love - li - ness once more.  
5 we a - dore and Ho - ly Spi - rit ev - er - more.

## The Great Thanksgiving

*The People remain standing.*

*Celebrant*      The Lord be with you.

*People*            **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*      Lift up your hearts.

*People*            **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant*      Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*            **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

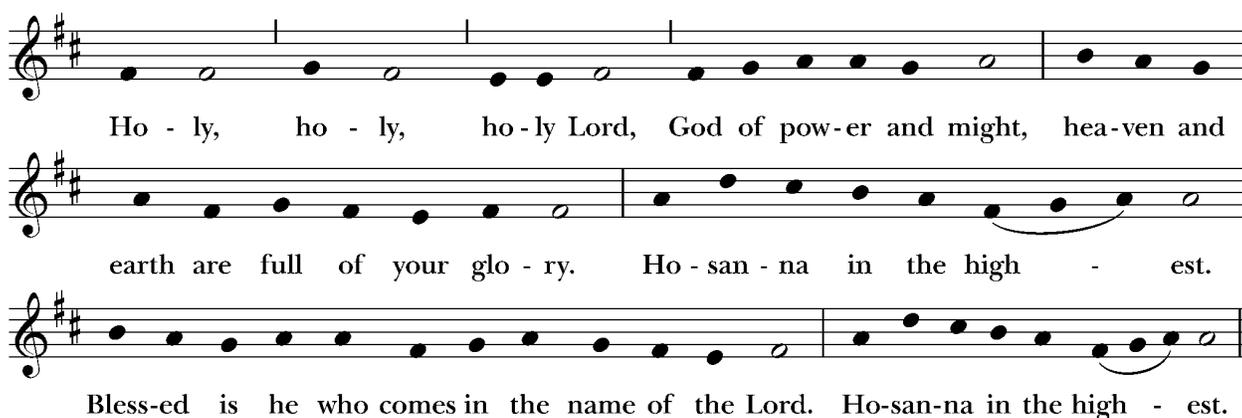
*Facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## *Celebrant and People*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, hea - ven and  
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*The People stand or kneel.*

*The Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People*

**We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;**

*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

**The Lord's Prayer**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

*People and Celebrant*

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.**

For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.

## The Breaking of the Bread

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,  
you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

*The Celebrant says*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.*

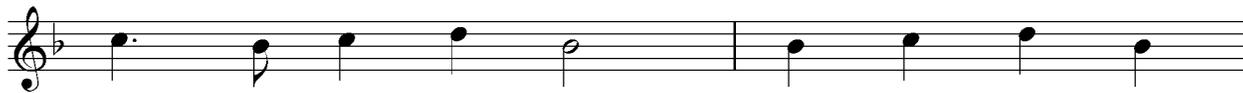
*The Bread and the Cup are given to the communicants with these words*

The Body (Blood) of our Lord Jesus Christ keep you in everlasting life.  
[Amen.]

## Communion Hymn *Savior of the nations, come* (*Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland*) (H 54)



1 Sa - vior of the na - tions, come! Vir - gin's  
2 Won - drous birth! Oh, won - drous child of the  
3 Thus on earth the Word ap - pears, grac - ing  
4 Come, O Fa - ther's sav - ing Son, who o'er



Son, make here your home. Mar - vel now, both  
Vir - gin un - de - filed! Might - y God and  
his cre - a - ted spheres; hence to death and  
sin the vic - tory won. Bound - less shall your



heaven and earth, that the Lord chose such a birth.  
Ma - ry's son, ea - ger now his race to run!  
hell de - scends, then the heaven - ly throne a - scends.  
king - dom be; grant that we its glo - ries see.

## Post-Communion Prayer

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

Loving God,

we give you thanks

for restoring us in your image

and nourishing us with spiritual food

in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood.

Now send us forth

a people, forgiven, healed, renewed;

that we may proclaim your love to the world

and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

*Celebrant:* And now, united with those who are not able to receive the Blessed Sacrament and have joined us virtually, in solidarity with them we pray this prayer together.

*Celebrant and people*

**God of infinite mercy, we thank you for Jesus our Savior,  
our true Mother who feeds us and gives us eternal life.**

**Though our sisters and brothers joining us virtually  
cannot receive these gifts of bread and wine,  
we thank you that all of us have received  
the sacrament of Christ's presence, the forgiveness of sins,  
and all other benefits of Christ's passion.**

**Grant that we may continue for ever in the Risen Life of our Savior,  
who with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, now and  
for ever. Amen.**

## **Blessing**

*The Priest blesses the people, saying*

May the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness  
before your path and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, The Son and  
the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

*Amen.*

# Post-Communion Hymn *Prepare the way, O Zion (Bereden väg för Herran)* (H 65)



1 Pre - pare the way, O Zi - on, your Christ is draw - ing near!  
2 He brings God's rule, O Zi - on; he comes from heaven a - bove.  
3 Fling wide your gates, O Zi - on; your Sa - vior's rule em - brace.



Let ev - ery hill and val - ley a lev - el way ap - pear.  
His rule is peace and free - dom, and jus - tice, truth, and love.  
His tid - ings of sal - va - tion pro - claim in ev - ery place.



Greet One who comes in glo - ry, fore - told in sa - cred sto - ry.  
Lift high your praise re - sound - ing, for grace and joy a - bound - ing.  
All lands will bow be - fore him, their voic - es will a - dore him.



Oh, blest is Christ that came in God's most ho - ly name.

## Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

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## Lord, Hear Our Prayer...

- Jimmy Bailey & Peggy Foskolos
- Ellen Baker (John McClenahan's daughter-in-law)
- Elsie Pilgrim
- Agatha Ramirez
- Guadalupe Roso
- Frank St. Jean
- Marianne Thompson – Comfort during cancer treatment
- Nancy Halpin – ongoing cancer treatments
- Eva West (MS)
- James & Pamela (cancer)
- Linda Lemoine – Health, liver problems
- Melanie Whittall – Procedure to reduce blood thickness
- Virginia Engfer – Fr Michael's Mother
- Thomas – Margaret Foskolos nephew
- Sam Fratto – Diagnosed with Parkinson's
- Ken Stepuchin (Tiffany Lacombe's father)– peace and comfort during cancer treatment
- Mel Brooks (Father of Christin Brooks) – Health problems
- Carlos Julio Ramirez
- John Almodiel (Healing & Wisdom)
- Marilyn Bender (Painful nerve condition)
- Rick Hopper (Major Stroke)
- Chris Stanley - pain & kidney Transplant
- Andy King – Dialysis
- Ron Lemoine (Diabetic Macular Degeneration)
- Maria Stiva – 3 Brain Tumors
- Mary Chichester – Tests for cancer (Linda Lemoine's sister)
- Fr. Jamie & Donna – Safe Travels
- Donna Bruno – Diagnosed with MS, Linda L's Sister
- Marilyn Fratto – healing
- Donna Bruno – MS (Daughter of Ron & Linda Lemoine)
- Michelle Villegus (Healing)
- David Embree – Gall Bladder & Pancreatic Tumor
- Julie Mills
- Kim Badgley- Lump in lung & back issues
- Ollie Young – (Fall Recovery)
- Antonio Castillo -- cancer
- Eugenia Wilson - ongoing health issues
- Preston Young – Liver disease, Margo Scruggs brother
- Josserand Sorice, John Bruno – Pandemic job loss
- DeVonna Ponthieu – chemo after Colon Cancer surgery

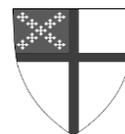
## Our Military Families



- Kurt Roberts (Debbie Roberts' son)
- Sean O'Rourke (Dwayne Kurr's son)
- Chuck Oehler
- Fr. Michael Engfer Family
- Andrew and Yvonne Teigeler
- Jesus Mancilla USAF (Son of Augustine & Olga)
- Kate Davidson (Maggie's Sister)
- William & Amanda Suttcliffe in England
- Lucas Doyle (Grandson of Jackie Doyle)
- Nicholas & Holly Santoro
- Rommel Soriano USAF (Son of Edith & Frank St. Jean)
- Sarah Sampas & Family USAF Chaplain

## Our Ministers and Partner Ministries

- Vestry
- Street Teens



**The  
Episcopal  
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*The Rt. Reverend James  
E. Waggoner, Jr.,  
Assisting Bishop*

**WAYS TO LIVE WITH FAITH FILLED GENEROSITY...**

<p><b>Volunteer to Serve</b></p>	<p>There are several great ministry opportunities to be involved with from Altar Guild to cleaning to helping maintain our building and grounds. If you have some time and talents you would like to donate, please see one of our Clergy or Vestry members.</p>
<p><b>Food Donations</b></p>	<p>We are collecting food donations for our parish families and families known by us. We have given out food to dozens of families. Someone is at the office Monday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you would like to drop off your offering or food donations, please call before stopping by. We also make weekly deliveries to Street Teens. Thank you for your generous support!</p>
<p><b>Bill Pay With Your Bank</b></p>	<p>You can set up a regular check from your bank to be sent bi-weekly or monthly. This is free! Ask your bank or one of our staff if you need help.</p>
<p><b>Pay With Tithe.ly App</b></p>	<p>Tithe.ly is a safe, secure and recommended by our national Church. It is a way to do one-time or regular giving. You can use a debit or credit card or pay directly from your bank. You can access Tithe.ly at <a href="https://bit.ly/SaintsDonate">https://bit.ly/SaintsDonate</a></p> 
<p><b>Use Envelopes for Cash or Checks</b></p>	<p>There are envelopes available to “Give” (White = English and Blue = Español). Please be sure to put your first and last name on the envelope so that you can receive tax credit and so that we can thank you at the end of the year. Also, please be clear about what you are donating to; whether your regular giving or for something special like flowers, Camp Galilee, or Sunday School, for example.</p>

## **Announcements and Upcoming Events**

- December 8            7pm Funeral Service for Agatha Ramirez
- December 9            9am Just One Project Food Distribution  
6pm Vestry Meeting
- December 12           11am-6pm Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast
- December 18           9am Clean-up and Greening of the Church for  
Christmas
- December 22           6pm Posadas

### **Christmas Services**

- December 24           5 pm Family Service  
7pm Spanish Language Service  
11pm Traditional Midnight Mass  
(There will be no service on Christmas Day.)
- December 26           9:30 am Carols and Lessons with Eucharist

**Annual Meeting** – The Annual Meeting will be on January 16<sup>th</sup>. There will be some openings for new vestry members. If you are interested on helping guide the parish, consider serving. Talk to Don Johns or any vestry member if you are interested.

**Prayer List** Call the office to be added to the prayer list. If you see a name on the prayer list that doesn't need to be there, let us know that also. Thanx

**Recycling** The church has no means of recycling the paper we generate for Sunday Services. Please take your bulletin with you and recycle it at home. If you would like to make it your ministry to help manage the recycling for the church, please let Deacon Karl know or call the office.

**Gift Shop/Thrift Store** We are looking for volunteers to help with the gift shop. We would like to open it a couple days during the week to serve the neighborhood. We are also looking for gently used donations.

**Christmas Flowers** Cards are in the pews to donate for Christmas Flowers.

**Galilee Patio Stone** In memory of Agatha Ramirez, we are raising money to purchase a patio stone at Camp Galilee in her name. You may donate through Tithely, <https://bit.ly/SaintsDonate> or by using the QR code with your phone's camera. The Funeral Service for Agatha will be December 8 at 7pm at All Saints'.



## Next Week

### Lessons

Zephaniah 3:14-20

Canticle 9: The First Song of Isaiah

Philippians 4:4-7

Luke 3:7-18

### Serving

Lector Will Rydell

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