

Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 22, 2019
Holy Eucharist – Rite Two

Prelude: “How Brightly Shines the Morning Star” (J.S. Bach)
“Besancon” (French Carol, Arr. Charles Callahan)

ENTRANCE RITE

- ***Hymn #66**Come, Thou Long-expected Jesus
- *The Opening AscriptionBCP p. 355
- *The Collect for Purity.....BCP p. 355
- * **Gloria in Excelsis** (Sung, Hymnal #S 280).....BCP p. 356
- *Salutation and Collect of the Day.....BCP p. 357

LITURGY OF THE WORD

- The First Reading: Isaiah 7:10-16
Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18
- The Second Reading: Romans 1:1-7
- ***Hymn #56** (v. 1,2,7,8).....O Come, O Come Emmanuel
- *The Holy Gospel: Matthew 1:18-25
The Sermon:Fr. Matt Ryan
- *The Nicene Creed.....BCP p. 358
- * The Prayers of the People, Form III.....BCP p. 387
Confession and Absolution.....BCP p. 360
- *The Peace
Announcements

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

- *Offertory Anthem...An Advent Acclamation (Thornhill/Arr. Nordmeyer)
- ***The Doxology**.....(Hymn #380 verse 3)
- *Eucharistic Prayer C.....BCP p. 369
- ***Sanctus** (Sung, Hymnal #S125).....BCP p. 371
The Lord’s Prayer.....BCP p. 364

Agnus Dei #C 117

(All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacraments
of Christ’s Body and Blood at this altar.)

- Communion Hymn #324**.....Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence
- Post Communion Prayer.....BCP pg.366
- The Blessing
- ***Hymn #72**.....Hark! The Glad Sound

Postlude: “Lift Up Your Heads Ye Mighty Gates” (Arr. Ruth E. Schram)

*PLEASE STAND C- COME CELEBRATE HYMNAL X-RED FOLDER
(**Bold print indicates Congregational Singing**)

Announcements

The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Marjorie Miller Hayes, Jack M. Miller, Harry C. Miller and Robert A. Miller by Jack & Sis Miller.

This morning’s reader is Gloria McIsaac.

The coffee-hour following the service is being hosted by the People of Emmanuel. Please join us in sharing this time of fellowship.

Our service next Sunday will be will be Holy Eucharist with Fr. Brian Reid as Celebrant.

Emmanuel is collecting calendars for the Seamen’s Institute of New York & New Jersey. Please bring any unwanted 2020 calendars you may have to the Parish Hall.

On the Calendar:

December 22nd: Children’s Christmas Pageant and a visit from Santa!

December 22nd: Caroling! Meet at the Parish Hall at 5:30 pm.

Reception to follow at the Holjencin residence.

December 24th: Christmas Eve Service beginning at 9:00 pm

January 19th: Annual Parish Meeting.

The following Vestry Members are up for election for a Three Year Term:

Dave Reed	Kaitlyn Parslow
John Rogers	Tawnie Williams

If you are interested in serving on our Vestry, please contact Fr. Matt Ryan.

Poinsettia envelopes are available in the narthex and sacristy. If your memorial is the same as last year, you don’t need to list all the names, but please add new ones to the list. Please turn in envelopes today.

Prayer Requests:

Our thoughts and prayers are with: Anne Anderson, Carolyn Blose, Pastor Em Burdick, Paula Crider, Amelia Cummings, Joe Cunningham, Julie, Greg, and Spencer Fitzpatrick, John Fowler and his extended family, David Gelnett, Fr. Robert and Karen Gildersleeve, Margaret Harris, Luna Johnson, Eileen Lupro, Blaine Manginell, Donna Markum, Valerie and Jackie Marshall, Ken Moyer, Keith Nadji, Judy Nichols, Thelma Pahel, Fr. Brian Reid, Barb Ryan, Laurie Scoggins, Joan Beaton Scott, Michael Wennin, Josh Williams, Zach Williams, Barb Yothers and Tom Yothers.

Those in the Armed Forces: Keith Topolski, Ryan Peneguy and Eirik Guloien.

Please refer Prayer Requests or changes thereof to Fr. Matt Ryan by e-mail: mattwryan@yahoo.com

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An Advent Acclamation

Roger Thornhill/ Stacey Nordmeyer

Look to the light, prepare the way.
Turn from the night, embrace the day.
Let all creation praise with singing;
Set ev'ry bell in heaven ringing.
Raise ev'ry candle, shine the news;
Christ, the Light, is coming soon!

Look to the dawn, prepare your heart.
Waken your song, let worship start.
This is a day of celebration;
Join in the music of jubilation.
(Rejoice, and Sing! Sing! Sing!)
Raise ev'ry candle, shine the news;
Christ, the Light, is coming soon!

Look to the star that gilds the East,
Golden of heart and burning with peace.
See now the torch is rising yonder,
Lifting our hearts with glorious wonder.
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Prepare the way!