



ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

First Sunday of Advent December 2, 2018

Prelude *Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland*

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Processional Hymn 61 “Sleepers, wake! A voice astounds us”

Wachet auf

Blessing of the Advent Wreath

Celebrant Blessed are you, Sovereign Lord, God of our ancestors: to you be praise and glory for ever! You called the patriarchs to live by the light of faith and to journey in the hope of your promised fulfilment. May we be obedient to your call and be ready and watchful to receive your Christ, a lamp to our feet and a light to our path; for you are our light and our salvation.

People Blessed be God for ever.

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355

Trisagion S102 (front section of hymnal)

Alexander Archangelsky (1846-1924)

Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One, have mercy upon us.

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Collect of the Day

Celebrant Together we pray.

People Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

First Lesson: Jeremiah 33:14-16

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David;

and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 25:1-9

Rickard Clark

The congregation is encouraged to sing the psalm.



1 To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul;
my God, I put my trust in you; *
let me not be humiliated,
nor let my enemies triumph over me.

2 Let none who look to you be put to shame; *
let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.

3 Show me your ways, O LORD, *
and teach me your paths.

4 Lead me in your truth and teach me, *
for you are the God of my salvation;
in you have I trusted all the day long.

- 5 Remember, O LORD, your com¹passion and¹love, *
for¹they are from¹ever¹lasting.
- 6 Remember not the sins of my youth and¹my trans¹gressions; *
remember me according to your love,
and for the¹sake of your¹goodness, O¹LORD.
- 7 Gracious and¹upright is the¹LORD; *
therefore he teaches¹sinner¹s in his¹way.
- 8 He guides the humble in¹doing¹right *
and teaches his¹wäy¹ to the¹lowly.
- 9 All the paths of the LORD are¹love and¹faithfulness *
to those who keep his¹covenant¹ and his¹testimonies.
- 10 For your¹Name's sake, O¹LORD, *
forgive my¹sin, for¹it is¹great.
- 11 Who are they who¹fear the¹LORD? *
he will teach them the¹way that¹they should¹choose.
- 12 They shall¹dwell in pros¹perity, *
and their¹offspring shall in¹herit the¹land.

Second Lesson: 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith. Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our

way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints..

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 640 "Watchman, tell us of the night"

Aberystwyth

Gospel: Luke 21:25-36

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

Then he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things

taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away."

"Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People

*After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy.
The People reply, Hear our prayer.*

Confession

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Peace

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Anthem *Adam lay ybounden*

Philip Ledger (1937-2012)

*Adam lay ybounden,
Bounden in a bond;
Four thousand winter
Thought he not too long.*

*And all was for an apple,
An apple that he took,
As clerkës finden written
In their book.*

*Ne had the apple taken been,
The apple taken been,
Ne had never Our Lady
A-been heavenly queen.*

*Blessed be the time
That apple taken was.
Therefore we moun singen
Deo gratias!*

Doxology Hymn 380 v. 3 “Praise God from whom all blessings flow”

Old 100th

Eucharistic Prayer A

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Sanctus S 127

Calvin Hampton

Fraction Anthem S 151

David Hurd

Breaking of the Bread

Ushers will direct the congregation to communion stations, starting from the rear of the church and moving forward. Gluten-free wafers are available. All are welcome to receive communion.

Communion Anthem *Jacob’s Ladder*

Negro Spiritual arr. Clarence Boyer (1935-2009)

*We are climbing Jacob’s ladder (3x)
Brothers, sisters, all.*

*If you love Him, why not serve Him?
(3x)...*

Every round goes higher, higher (3x)...

Every round goes higher, higher (2x)...

Sinner, do you love your Jesus? (3x)...

Soldier of the cross.

*Lord, let me walk close by your side;
I’ll be your sheep, you’ll be my guide.*

Sinner, do you love my Jesus? (2x)

Soldier of the cross.

*Lord, light me up and let me stand,
and I will stay at your command.*

If you love Him, why not serve Him? (2x)

Soldier of the cross.

Communion Hymn 53 “Once he came in blessing”

Gottes Sohn ist kommen

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 496 "How bright appears the morning star"

Wie schön leuchtet

Dismissal

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude *Basse de Trompette*

Nicolas Lebègue (1631-1702)

**Please join us for coffee hour after the 10am service today,
hosted by Maureen Cary.**



Flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the lives of

Leigh & Louisa J. Gelser, Elsie Johnston Millet,
Gertrude Haynes Nesbitt, and Gloria Johnston Wiggin.

Serving St. Andrew's this week

Altar Guild D.D. Alexander, Margaret Blackwell, Elsie Deane,
Zebby Dubé, Heidi Harper, Sarah Harris, Ann Johnson, Margarethe Kulke,
Paige Manning, Liz Parsons, Jenny Sawyer, and Cynthia Scott
Flower Guild Frances Antonelli and Ann Johnson

Serving at 8am

Lay Reader/Chalice Bearer Paul Criswell
Usher Nancy Kohl & Bob Ware

Serving at 10am

Acolytes Isabella MacKinnon, Emma Barry, Elizabeth Martin,
Ella McAdams, and Emily Breedis
Chalice Bearers Al Bornemann, David Hamlin, Jeanne Johnsen, and Suzy Littlefield
Greeters Connie & Peter Barnes
Lay Readers Randy Parker, Karen Pekowitz, and Nora Tracy Phillips
Ushers Carter Houghton, Frank Hunnewell, Bob Prensner, Terri Rawson,
Kris Vanin, and Michael Vanin

Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Parishes of the Alewife Deanery
Church of Our Saviour, Arlington
St. John's Church, Arlington
Order of St. Anne & Bethany House of Prayer, Arlington
Standing Committee
Brotherhood of St. Gregory



About The Readings

From *Preparing for Sunday* http://standrewswellesley.org/worship_reading.html

Jeremiah 33:14-16 In 626 BCE, God's call came to a young priest, Jeremiah. Reluctant to take up his mission, Jeremiah often criticized his task, his performance and occasionally God. But he remained faithful to his commission and trusted in God's plan to renew the people after judgment. In today's reading, the prophet communicates God's promise of healing and restoration. The promise concerns God's gift of a deliverer, a Messiah, from the line of David. This king's reign will be characterized by justice and a right relationship with God, unlike the reign of King Zedekiah, Judah's last king.

Psalms 25:1-9 Psalm 25 is a personal lament. Fear of the Lord compels the psalmist to acknowledge that God alone can make him into a person of true righteousness (v. 9) and so enjoy "the friendship of the Lord" (v. 14).

1 Thessalonians 3:9-13 Paul's stay in Thessalonika was relatively brief, and after he left, the new converts faced the hostility of their neighbors. Paul's concern for the Thessalonians' welfare led him to send Timothy back to visit (3:2).

Timothy's encouraging report about their faithfulness (3:6) occasioned Paul's letter to them. Written from Corinth about AD 51, it is the earliest writing of the New Testament. Paul expresses joy at the news of the Thessalonians' perseverance and reiterates his continuing care for their spiritual growth. They are lacking, not in the faith that makes one a Christian, but in the teaching needed for further growth in sanctification. Paul instructs them about the moral implications of their faith (4:1-12) and the meaning of the second coming (4:13-5:11).

Luke 21:25-36 In response to the disciples' questions about the end-time, Jesus offers an imaginative picture of the cosmic changes that will signal his triumphant return for the final transformation of the earth. The reference to the coming of the Son of Man "in a cloud" (v. 27) links Jesus' anticipated second coming to his transfiguration and ascension. The redemption announced by Anna (2:36-38) is drawing near. In verses 34-36, Jesus warns his disciples of those habits that

can effectively prevent readiness. Overindulgence and worldly cares (v. 34) can so dull the spirit that the Lord's return will seem more of a trap than a sign of hope. Watchfulness must be

accompanied by prayer so that the disciple can endure the cataclysm of the last days and find comfort in the Lord's presence.



Notices & Announcements

Newcomers and visitors: We extend a warm welcome to those who are new in our community. Please fill out one of the welcome cards in the narthex (foyer) and hand it to a greeter for a fuller welcome!

Sunday Parking on Denton Road

We received a letter from one of our Denton Road neighbors complaining that a parishioner had parked partially blocking their driveway two Sundays ago. We have also had a number of calls about this since the beginning of the year. *Please be very careful that you do not obstruct the driveways of our neighbors.* We wish to maintain good relations with our neighbors and to extend to them the courtesy we would expect from others parking in our own roads. Thanks for your help with this!

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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Advent Taizé-style Service

Please join us **today, December 2, from 5:45 to 6:30pm** in our main sanctuary for silence, chanting, and flickering candles in Advent. This service is shaped by the worship of the

monastic Christian community in Taizé, France (www.taize.fr), and is offered instead of our regular 5pm service that evening. All are welcome. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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Christmas Pageant Signups

All children and youth are invited to join in the Christmas pageant. Auditions and rehearsals are as follows:

- **Sunday, December 2, 11:15am:**
Auditions for speaking roles
- **Sunday, December 9, 11:15am:** Rehearsal for speaking roles
- **Saturday, December 15, 9:40am to 12pm:**
Rehearsal for all participants
- **Sunday, December 16, 9am:** Participants gather for 10am pageant!

— Amanda Kern

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Advent Lessons & Carols

All are invited to our annual Advent Lessons & Carols Service on **Sunday, December 9, at 5pm**: a candlelight reception will follow. — Wardie Mannix

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5pm Christmas Eve Intergenerational Choir Signup

We are looking for people and families, big and small, all ages, all music levels, to be part of the 5pm Christmas Eve Intergenerational Choir. This choir is an opportunity to make your Christmas Eve at St. Andrew's even more special by singing in the choir with your family and friends! Please sign up with Amanda or Wardie. Important dates to remember:

- **Sunday, December 23, 11:30am to 1:30pm**: Choir rehearsal in the sanctuary. Pizza after rehearsal!
 - **Monday, December 24, 4pm**: Meet in the choir room for warm-ups and a final rehearsal. Sing at the **5pm** service.
— Amanda Kern
- amanda@standrewswellesley.org

Christmas Memorial Flowers

We hope that you will contribute to our Christmas worship by offering flowers *in memory of*, or *in thanksgiving for*, people you love. Please use the form you received by email or regular mail—extra forms are in the narthex—to *submit* or *resubmit* your names by **Monday, December 3**. Contribution amounts are at your discretion and made payable to St. Andrew's Church, with "Christmas Flowers" in the memo line.

Please leave your paperwork in the "Flower Memorial" box in the volunteer room, or in the plate. Thank you. — Margarethe Kulke

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B-READY Program Cooking

On **Sunday, December 2**, join us in the parish hall kitchen as we prepare a meal for St. Stephen's B-READY program. The hungry kids come to church about 3pm and are very happy when they have a hot meal to tide them over while they work on homework and enrichment activities. We meet in the kitchen **right after the 10am service** and are usually done by 1:30pm. Please email me if you can help. — Cam McCormick

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Confirmation Prep & Youth Group

Confirmation prep and youth group will next meet **Sunday, December 2**, with eighth-grade confirmation prep from **5 to 6:30pm** and high school youth group from **6:45 to 8pm**. All youth are welcome.

— Rev. Catherine Healy

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Advent Wreath Making

Join us **Sunday, December 2, after the 10am service** in the parish hall to help us transform our greens into beautiful Advent wreaths. Wreath frames and candles will be available for purchase, or feel free to bring your own! — Christine Beach

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9am Christian Learning

Join us on **Sunday, December 9**, when our Adrian Robbins-Cole, speaks on *Archbishop Williams: Being a Disciple of Forgiveness*. On **Sunday, December 16**, spiritual directors from The Bethany House of Prayer will lead us in a forgiveness meditation. Join us in **Room 2 at 9am**. All are welcome.

— Rev. Margaret K. Schwarzer

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Music Committee

The music committee was formed after the last parish survey to support and strengthen our music ministry. We welcome your feedback on our music program! Committee members Wendy Barry, Peter Lull, Karen Pekowitz, Cynthia Scott, Barbara Shellito, and Margaret Zusky meet with Adrian and Wardie on a regular basis and consider all suggestions. Please share your thoughts with one of the committee members or contact worship@standrewswellesley.org.

Mitten Tree

The St. Andrew's mitten tree is in the parish hall. This is a long-standing outreach ministry. Please bring new hats, gloves, and mittens for those in need this winter.

— Heidi Harper

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Little Angels' Gift Shop

Children are invited to do their Christmas shopping at the Little Angels' Gift Shop! The parishioner-run shop sells 25-cent gifts and offers a gift-wrapping station. It will run on **Friday, December 7, from 6pm to 7pm in**

Room 2, and is followed by Family Cookies & Carols. Pizza will be served in the parish hall during this time.

— Rev. Catherine Healy

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Family Cookies & Carols

All ages are invited to share treats and sing Christmas songs on **Friday, December 7, from 7pm to 8pm in the parish hall**. Bring cookies to share! — Rev. Catherine Healy

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First Aid Kits

We have first aid kits in all the church school classroom and both kitchens. We also have a large first aid kit in the acolytes changing room. If you are in need of emergency medicine, you should of course call 911, but feel free to use the first aid kits for minor cuts and scrapes as needed.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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Alternative Gift Fair

St. Andrew's will hold our annual holiday Alternative Gift Fair on **Sunday, December 9, after the 10am service**. The fair benefits our outreach partners and offers the opportunity to support many ministries and give a gift that keeps on giving. — Heidi Harper

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Bible Circle: Isaiah

Bible Circle will meet on the morning of **Tuesday, December 11, at 10:30am in the Harvey Room** and the evening of **Wednesday, December 12 from 7 to 8pm in Room 2**. Our topic is the book of Isaiah, one of the most important prophetic books in Judaism and Christianity. In it, the prophet calls God's people to lead a life of service and honor. At our December meeting, we will read and discuss Chapters 8 through 9:7. All are welcome. Please bring your Bible (we have new Oxford Annotated Bibles to share). — Margarethe Kulke

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Book Circle

Book Circle will meet on **Thursday, December 13, at 7pm in the Harvey Room** to discuss *I Heard the Owl Call My Name*, a novel by Margaret Craven. Please join us for lively conversation, perspective, and friendship. — Betsy Millane

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Youth Group Alumni Night

On **Sunday, December 16, from 6:45 to 8pm**, recent high school grads (2016–2018) are invited to drop by the parish hall and join the current youth group members for a Christmas party! — Catherine Healy

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Blue Christmas Service

Sometimes Advent and Christmas are full of joy and satisfaction; in other years, we find ourselves in the midst of loss, illness, or disappointment. If you, or someone you care

about, has had a hard year, and you are longing to make room for the Spirit of God in a time of struggle or loss, please join us on **Wednesday, December 19, from 6:30pm to 7:15pm in the Children's Chapel**. We will rest in the promise of Christ, remembering that even in times of sorrow, God's love and grace can find us and support us. All are welcome. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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Collecting Coats for Kids and Adults

As the cold weather sets in, there are thousands of people in our area who are without a warm winter coat. Gently used warm coats of all sizes—infant through adult XXL—are accepted. Donated coats will be cleaned free of charge by Anton's Cleaners and then distributed through the Coats for Kids Distribution Partners network. This collection will continue **through December 31**. Please check your closets and drop your unwanted coats in the collection box in the office corridor. — Joanna Horobin

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Online Giving Available

Electronic giving is offered on our website under the GIVE tab to make pledge payments (one-time or recurring) and special contributions (e.g., memorial flowers, outreach). Creating a profile only takes a moment, and you can make changes to your donations as well as view and print your donation history. We hope you will take advantage of this convenient feature on our website.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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Christmas Eve 5pm Service

Babysitting will be available during the **5pm** service on **Monday, December 24**, in Kids' Place. Feel free to drop your children for all, or part of the service. — Susan Jackson

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Support El Hogar with Amazon Shopping

If you are using Amazon for some of your Christmas shopping, please consider going through the El Hogar website first:

www.elhogar.org/amazon. El Hogar receives up to 12% of your total, at no extra charge to you! Thanks! — Becky Taylor

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Parish Photo Release

We recognize that safety and privacy are of primary concern to members of our congregation. After researching best practices and reaching out to our national church, the communications committee developed a policy *not to identify anyone by name in website photos* in the fall of 2013. We also agree to publish the following release language in registration forms, The CALL, service leaflets, annual reports, and any future publications. This language is as follows:

Occasionally, we may take photographs or videos of St. Andrew's-related activities. By appearing at and/or participating in any such

activities, you are aware that you may appear in such pictures and agree to let us use such images in related communications (including print and web usage), and you agree to release St. Andrew's from any liability, damages, or claims whatsoever that might arise from such use. This notice also applies to any members of your family appearing and/or participating in such church activities. Our policy is that we will not identify anyone by name on website photos.

For any questions or more information about photos and usage please contact the vestryperson for communications

— Peter Lull • peter_lull@verizon.net

Join the Parish Babysitter, Tutor, or Odd Job Lists

Put your skills to work! To join the parish babysitter, tutor, or odd job lists, contact Rev. Catherine Healy

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Need a Babysitter, Tutor, Pet Sitter or Odd Job-Doer?

Hire a teen or young adult from St. Andrew's. You can get the list in church or from Rev. Catherine Healy

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Gratitude

Holiday Dinners for St. Stephen's

We have been so grateful over the years for the enthusiasm of all of the people who have helped and this year is no exception, especially with so many people at St. Stephen's needing help. Our church provided 85 turkey dinners with all the fixings. We thank all who went out of their way to help. This included picking up vegetables and turkeys from Restaurant Depot and the fixings from Roche Brothers, as well as delivering the bags into Boston. On Sunday morning, Jane Andrews, Zebby Dubé, Bob Harrington, and Carol & Joe Jankowski, came early, doubled bagged, and set out in the hall the 85 bags to be filled with fixings. After the 10am service, a great crew showed up to fill the bags and load them into the cars to take them into town. This year as drivers we had Jane Andrews, Victor Calcaterra, Heidi Harper, and Bob Harrington. Thank you all for your help this year and in years past. — Jill & Jack Whiting

Turkey Trot, Water Table, and Photographer

A big *Thank You* to the 72 members of Team St. Andrew's and the terrific water table volunteers who showed up on one of the coldest Thanksgiving Days on record. The volunteers were fabulous in raising runners' spirits as we ran, jogged, or walked by. Kudos, also, to every trotter who ran in the cold. We won the Biggest Team Trophy for the third year in a row and raised money for food pantries and cancer research! A big *Thank You* also goes to Peter Lull who fearlessly braved the cold and snapped pictures of the members of our team who showed up at 7:50am for the group photo, and took more photos during the race. Well done St. Andrew's—it was a great day for the "frozen chosen."

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Staff

The clergy are always available to assist you. Please email or call the clergy if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited. Also, please let us know of names that should be added to our prayer list. Our prayers and concerns are with all those in need.

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Weekly Calendar

- The **Holy Eucharist** is celebrated on Sundays at 8am, 10am and 5pm. The **Holy Eucharist** is also celebrated every Wednesday at 7:30am—we offer healing prayer at this service; **Silent Contemplative Prayer** is also offered weekdays at 8:45am, unless otherwise noted.
- **Senior Choir** rehearsal is on Thursdays at 7:30pm, and Sundays at 9am; **Junior Choir** rehearsal is on Sundays at 9am.
- **Parish Office** hours are Monday through Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday, 9am to 12pm.
- **12-Step Programs** Al-Anon, Tuesdays, 7:30pm; Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am; Sober Sisters, Saturdays, 10:30am.

Sunday, December 2

See service schedule above

9am Coffee Hour for 8am Worshipers

9:45pm Kids' Place, Church School,
Rite-13

11:15am Christmas Pageant
Auditions

11:30am B-READY Lunch Prep

11:30am Advent Wreath Making

5pm Confirmation Prep

NO 5pm Holy Eucharist

5:45pm Taizé-style Service

6:45pm High School Youth Group

Wednesday, December 5

5:30pm Communications Meeting

7:30pm Mens' Book Club

Thursday, December 6

9:45am Church School Committee

Friday, December 7

6pm Little Angles' Gift Shop

7pm Family Cookies & Carols

Saturday, December 8

8am Mens' Bible Study

10am Senior Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, December 9

9am Christian Learning

9:45pm Kids' Place, Church School,
Rite-13

11:15am Christmas Pageant
Auditions

11:30am Alternative Gift Fair

11:30am Firearm Safety Task Force

3:30pm Senior Choir Rehearsal

5pm Advent Lessons & Carols



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