

Order of Worship for Holy Eucharist Rite II

First Sunday of Advent

November 28, 2021



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Feeding the Hungry + Welcoming the Stranger

Being Transformed by God

Welcome to this morning's worship!

Thank you for joining us today. To fully participate in the service, please use this bulletin, the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP), and the blue Hymnal to follow along in worship. The words in bold are spoken by you, the people of God gathered for worship. If you would like to learn more about St. Andrew's, please fill out a visitor's card so we can warmly welcome you.

Prelude

Savior of the Nations, Come!

arr. Robert Powell

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Reader We light this candle as a symbol of God's Love.

May the Word sent from God show us the way to Salvation.

All ***O Come, O Come Emmanuel.***

Advent Candle Blessing (sung by choir)

Barbara Wallace and Alice Carpenter

The first Advent candle is the candle born of Love.

In his love and mercy he saves us.

And when he calls us to the feast his banner over us is peace.

Our hope and salvation sent down from above, the first Advent candle is Love.

The Word of God

Opening Hymn (*Please stand as you are able.*)

O come, O come, Emmanuel (vv. 1 & 2)

Hymnal 56

The Opening Acclamation

BCP p. 355

The Collect for Purity

Trisagion

Hymnal S-101

The Collect

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.*

The Children's Procession (*Children pre-K-5th grade are invited to a children's ministry time.*)

This Little Light of Mine

LEVAS 221

The First Reading (*Please be seated.*)

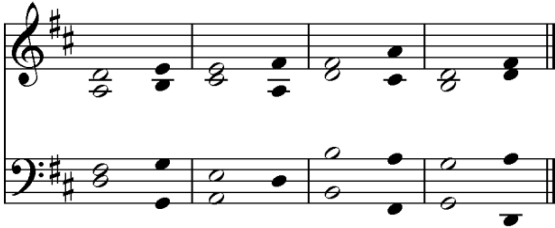
Jeremiah 33:14–16

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 25:1–9 (*sung by all*)

Anglican Chant by Jerome Meacham



- 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 compassion and / love, *
for they are from ever- / lasting.
- 6 Remember not the sins of my youth and my trans- / gressions; *
remember me according to your love
and for the sake of your goodness, O / LORD.
- 7 Gracious and upright is the / LORD; *
therefore he teaches sinners in his / way.
- 8 He guides the humble in doing / right *
and teaches his way to the / lowly.
- *9 All the paths of the LORD are love and / faithfulness *
to those who keep his covenant and his / testimonies.

The Holy Gospel (*standing*) Luke 21:25–36
The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon (*seated*) The Rev. Barbara Cooke

The Nicene Creed (*standing*) BCP p. 358

The Prayers of the People – Form IV (*standing or kneeling*) BCP p. 388

The Confession and Absolution BCP p. 360

The Peace

Announcements

The Holy Communion

The Offertory
Savior of the Nations, Come! arr. Georgiann H. Toole
text: Hymnal 54

The Doxology Hymnal 380, v. 3

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B BCP p. 367

Sanctus Hymnal S–124

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

This is God's table and all are welcome here. You may come to the altar rail to receive a blessing if you do not want to receive Communion; please place your arms across your chest in the form of an "X" or cross to indicate that you would like to receive a blessing.

Fraction Anthem

My flesh is food indeed Hymnal S–169

Communion Music

Watchman, tell us of the night Hymnal 640

On Jordan's banks the Baptist's cry Hymnal 76

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP p. 365

Advent Blessing

May the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from 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.*

Closing Hymn

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Hymnal 616

The Dismissal

BCP p. 366

Postlude

Crucifer: Lindy Taylor

Verger: Dana Gaspar

Readers: Glenn Strohl, Craig Taylor

Lighting the Advent Candle: The Sambola Family

Ushers: Tim Fleming, Mark Kaley (c), Charles Kelshaw, Linda Van Ormer, Mike Van Ormer

The flowers at the altar today are given to the glory of God by Ann Herman
in loving memory of her parents, Margaret and Carl Herman.

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Calendar Notes

Daily Advent Devotional Available as Booklet and Online

How can we practice patience as we wait the coming of Christ and new life this season? *Living Well Through Advent* is a daily devotional with the theme “Practicing Patience With All Your Heart, Soul, Strength, and Mind.” Copies of the booklet are available in the narthex today. You may also sign up for daily email devotions at <https://www.livingcompass.org/advent>.

Deck the Halls is this Saturday, December 4th

Please share the news of our Holiday Festival and Market fundraiser for Missions and Outreach with your friends. You may place orders online for wreaths, poinsettias, and more.

St. Andrew’s Advent Event is December 5th (after church) * Note – New Date! *

Please join us as we make Advent wreaths and welcome St. Nicholas! Advent wreaths are a traditional and beautiful way to mark the weeks of Advent and celebrate the light of Christ. We will provide all the necessary materials, including the wreath form, greenery, and candles. Please let us know if you can come by emailing Anna Taylor at annataylor02@gmail.com.

We Pray For

Those on our parish prayer list: Mary Stalter, Ella Janssen, Norma Bullock, Moira Ermentrout, Bruce Adkins, Charles and Rebecca Goodrum, Dee Dee Fulton, Judy Stancil, Maria Wilmoth, Barbara Sherer, Leslie, Johnetta Shablack, Dorothy Cook, Jenna Cottrill, Jimmye Olivey, Karen Hall, Don Lowe, Jamie Smith, Larry Phillips, Paula Pile, Sandra Witherspoon, Val Swan, Dick Montgomery, Mike, Jeff Cummer, Linda Shablack, Scott Lee, Dale Brinley, Libby Eberhard, Charles Kelshaw, Camille, Poppy and her parents, Jim and Ali Ostridge, Patrick and Margaret Miller, Page Davies, Julie Jennings, Nancy Brown, Barbara Van Cleve, Frank and Sandy Tatem, Gia Yunker, Karen Moth, Amanda, Ann Hardin, Debbie M., Jacqui Butcher, Doug Sanecki, John and Gisela Smith, Galen Hill, Mary Lou Strohl, Heather, Rob James, Ed Morea, Glenn Strohl, Cindy Shane, Jean Phelps, Jeanette Lowe, Sally Brannan, Leslie Ehrlich, Megan Bailey, David Heflin, Dave Sellers, Amos Fisher, Elaine Williams, Eleanor Baker, Mike Patterson

Those serving in our military: Wes Durham, Tom Stauffer, Paul Zeigler, Stephen Johnson, Benjamin Phillips, Kenneth Gearhart, Alex Reyes, Raymond Harrison, Catharyn Nosek

Birthdays: Susan Brannan, Lane Brown, Mary Ann Hanna, Ann Herman, Steven Loch, Ryan Revell, Lois Simon

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