

The Lighting of the Advent Wreath



Priest: Our help is in the
Name of the Lord.
People: Who hath made
heaven and earth.

Priest: Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to prepare the
paths of thine Only-begotten Son: that we may worthily
serve thee with hearts purified by His coming: Who livest
and reignest with God the Father in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Micah 5:2-4

But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among
the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth
unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have
been from of old, from everlasting.

Therefore will he give them up, until the time that she which
travaileth hath brought forth: then the remnant of his
brethren shall return unto the children of Israel.

And he shall stand and feed in the strength of the LORD, in
the majesty of the name of the LORD his God; and they
shall abide: for now shall he be great unto the ends of the
earth.

Priest: O King of all nations, Jesus Christ, only joy of
every heart, come and save thy people. *Amen.*

¶ Now are the candles lit

Priest: The Lord be with you.
People: And with thy spirit.
Priest: Let us bless the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.



THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

5 DECEMBER 2021

10:30 AM SUNG MATTINS

11:00 AM HOLY COMMUNION



The Rev. Fr. Daniel S. Trout, *Rector*

Mr. C. Lance Davis, CAGO, *Music Minister*

The Most Rev. Mark Haverland, Ph.D., *Bishop Ordinary*

Joseph McRoy, *Senior Warden*; Barbara Z., *Junior Warden*; Rebecca Blair, *Treasurer*; Roberta Hannibal, *Secretary*; Beverly Roberts, *Editor*; Lucy Whitehorne, Barbara Cope, *Vestrymen*

Welcome to St. Luke Church, especially if you are a newcomer or visitor. Children of all ages are fully welcome in each liturgy. If you are a visitor, please sign the Guest Book located in the Narthex and fill out a Visitor Card. Newcomer packets are also available upon request. Please refer to the *Book of Common Prayer* (beginning on pg. 67) and the *Hymnal* throughout the Mass. We ask that you please keep prayerful silence in the church both before and after the liturgy. Silence is golden, but especially in church!

SUNG MATTINS

¶ The following page numbers relate to “The Daily Office Noted” booklet, unless otherwise stated. The liturgy begins on page 2 of the booklet. Please observe all postures as noted in that booklet.

¶ Please stand as the bells are rung.

Opening Sentence	BCP 5
Opening Versicles	DON 2
Invitatory & Venite, <i>Tone 2</i>	DON 3
Psalm 25, <i>Tone 2</i>	BCP 369
Lesson	<i>Isa. 55</i>
<i>Benedictus</i>	DON 15
Creed & Preces	DON 17
Collects & Closing Versicles	DON 21
Lighting of the Advent Wreath	<i>later in this service paper</i>

SUNG MASS

¶ Please stand during the Hymn.

Processional Hymn	Hymn board
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¶ Please kneel during the Introit.

Introit
O people of Sion, behold, the Lord is nigh at hand to redeem the nations: and in the gladness of your heart the Lord shall cause his glorious voice to be heard. Hear, O thou Shepherd of Israel: thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep. *Gloria Patri.*

Collect for Purity	BCP 67
Summary of the Law	BCP 69
Kyrie, <i>Merbecke</i> (Nine-fold)	Hymnal #701
Collect(s) of the Day	BCP 92

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Forum with Archbishop Haverland & Vestry Meeting

Today, after the 11:00 am Sung Mass, immediately following coffee hour in the parish hall for all wardens, officers, and members of the vestry. Everyone is invited to attend, to ask questions of the Archbishop and to observe during the meeting portion.

Pledge Cards & Offering Envelopes

Pledge cards (in the narthex and in the parish hall) for 2022 are being accepted today to help the Finance Committee prepare next year's parish budget. After prayerful consideration, please try to turn in no later than Thursday, December 10th. Thank you!

Midweek Scripture Study

Our Advent Study "The Coming of Christ in the Minor Prophets" continues this Wednesday, December 8th, following the 6:30 p.m. Mass for the Conception BVM. Copies of the second lesson are available in the narthex and on Faithlife. Through Wednesday, December 22nd. Everyone is welcome to attend and to join us for dinner!

Annual Parish Meeting & Potluck—DECEMBER 12

Everyone is welcome; parishioners are requested to attend for voting. Please contact Joe McRoy if you wish to participate virtually. Don't forget to bring your favorite dish to enjoy during the potluck. Thank you!

New Mass Setting Practice

Beginning at Epiphany, we will be introducing a new sung setting of the Mass Ordinary, the *Missa de Angelis*. We will have rehearsals to familiarize parishioners with this setting beginning next Sunday, 12 December at 10:00 AM, and continuing the three weeks following. We encourage all who are interested in learning the setting to attend.

UPCOMING SERVICE & STUDY SCHEDULE

- Tuesday, December 7: **Sung Mattins** and breakfast at 8:30 AM.
- Wednesday, December 8: CONCEPTION BVM. **Sung Mass** at 6:30 PM; followed by Supper & Study.
- Thursday, December 9: **Low Mass** at 11:30 AM.
- Sunday, December 12: ADVENT III. **Low Mass** at 9:00 AM. **Sung Mattins** at 10:30 AM. **Sung Mass** at 11:00 AM.

PRAYER LIST

Jim, Sam, Laura, Juliet & child, Maddy & child, Levine, Dorothy, Beverly, Tom, Peggy, Julia, Lynn, Leslie, William, Ernie, Ruth, Kristi, James, John, Amy, Lamar, Penny, Hope, Marsha, Stephanie, Becky, Norah, Kevin, Elizabeth, Michael, Robin, Ronnie, Michi, Steven, Bryan, Jacquie, Lecia, Diann, Donna, Jonathan, Kathie, Alex, Carol, Nancy, Jeremy, Marie, Rich, Tommy, Grace, Beth, Judy, Craig, Mark, Matthew, Ricie, Amber, Susan, Nick. **RIP:** Robert.

Communion Hymn

Comfort, comfort, ye my people



1 Com - fort, com - fort ye my peo - ple, speak ye peace, thus
 2 Hark, the voice of one that cri - eth in the des - ert
 3 Make ye straight what long was crook - ed, make the rough - er



saith our God; com - fort those who sit in dark - ness
 far and near, call - ing us to new re - pent - ance
 pla - ces plain; let your hearts be true and hum - ble,



mourn - ing 'neath their sor - rows' load. Speak ye to Je -
 since the king - dom now is here. Oh, that warn - ing
 as be - fits his ho - ly reign. For the glo - ry



ru - sa - lem of the peace that waits for them;
 cry o - bey! Now pre - pare for God a way;
 of the Lord now o'er earth is shed a - broad;



tell her that her sins I cov - er,
 let the val - leys rise to meet him
 and all flesh shall see the to - ken



and her war - fare now is o - ver.
 and the hills bow down to greet him.
 that the word is nev - er bro - ken.

Words: Johann G. Olearius (1611-1684); tr. Catherine Winkworth (1827-1878), alt. Music: *Psalm 42*, melody and bass Claude Goudimel (1514-1572); harm. *Hymnal 1982*

¶ **Please be seated.**

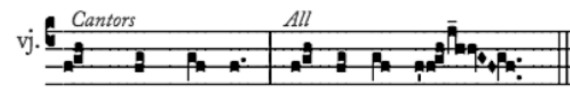
The Epistle

BCP 92

¶ **Please stand for the Gradual and Hymn.**

Gradual & Alleluia

Out of Sion hath God appeared: in perfect beauty. Gather my saints together unto me: those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice.



I was glad when they said unto me: we will go into the house of the Lord.
 ALLELUIA.

AL- LE- LU- IA. Al - le - lu - ia.

Sequence Hymn

Behold! with great and awful pomp



1. Be - hold! with great and aw - ful pomp— the fear - some
 2. Blush - es of blood the moon de - face;— the sun, as
 3. Hor - rors and ter - rors all ap - pall;— They quake, they
 4. Now are we giv'n th'ap - point - ed time:— To Christ for



Judge pre - pares to come; the an - gel sounds his dread - ful
 dark as sack - cloth, turns; mens' mor - tal hearts wax cold with
 shriek, they cry, they call: "Ye rocks and moun - tains on us
 mer - cy let us fly. O, turn, re - pent, and trust in



trump,— and lo! A - wakes the gen - 'ral doom. And Na - ture,
 dread:— the fright - ed dead, quick - ened, a - rise; Stirred up from
 fall;"— But rocks and moun - tains flee a - way. Ye will - ful,
 him,— And thou shalt sure - ly ne - ver die. O God, pre -



in such wild a - maze, her dis - sol - u - tion now she mourns.
 their se - pul - chral beds, lift - ing a - new their ghost - ly eyes.
 wan - ton, heed - less fools, the Day of Wrath hath now come nigh!
 pare us for that day, help us to watch, to wait, and pray.

The Gospel

Nicene Creed, *Credo III*, *Missa de Angelis*

BCP 93

Pew booklet

¶ Please stand for the Offertory Sentence and Hymn.

Offertory Sentence

Wilt thou not turn again, O God, and quicken us, that thy people may rejoice in thee: shew us thy mercy, O Lord, and grant us thy salvation.

Offertory Hymn

Hymn Board

Orate Fratres

℣. Pray, brethren, that this my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the Father almighty.

℟. *May the Lord receive the sacrifice at thy hands for the praise and glory of his name, both to our benefit, and that of all his holy Church.*

¶ Please kneel.

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church

BCP 74

General Confession & Comfortable Words

BCP 75

Sursum Corda and Preface

Hymnal #734

Sanctus et Benedictus, *Merbecke*

Hymnal #704

The Canon of the Mass

BCP 80

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal #722

¶ The Priest intones the words "Our Father," and we join at "who art in heaven".

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
 be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
 dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
 as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
 us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
 from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
 and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

The Pax Domini
Prayer of Humble Access

BCP 82

Agnus Dei, *Merbecke*

Hymnal #706

Ecce Agnus Dei

℣. Behold the Lamb of God. Behold Him that taketh away the sins of the world.

℟. *Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof; but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed. (Said thrice)*

The Holy Communion

¶ Any baptized Christian who is a regular communicant in the Anglican, Orthodox, or Roman Catholic traditions is invited to receive the Blessed Sacrament. If you are unable or do not wish to receive the Holy Communion, you may approach with your arms crossed over your chest, and the priest will extend you a blessing. Whilst in your pew, please remain in quiet prayer.

Communion Sentence

Arise, O Jerusalem, and stand on high, and behold the joy that cometh unto thee from thy God.

¶ Please kneel for the hymn.

Communion Hymn, *Comfort, comfort, ye my people*

Following page

Communion Thanksgiving

BCP 83

Post-Communion Collect

Dismissal and Blessing

¶ Please stand for the Last Gospel and final Hymn.

The Last Gospel

Hymn at the Retiring Procession

Hymn Board

¶ During the Organ Voluntary, you may kneel or be seated. We ask that you remain in quiet prayer, and suggest that you make your Communion Thanksgiving at this time. Suitable devotions may be found on pg. 100ff of *St. Augustine's Prayer Book*, and at the bottom of this page. Please wait until arriving in the Parish Hall before carrying on conversations with others. Thank you for your assistance as we strive to make St. Luke's a place of prayer, reverence, and peace.

Announcements, Parish Notices, and Special Occasion Blessings