

All Saints' Episcopal Church

4 Advent

THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Sunday, December 19, 2021 ♦ 11:15 a.m.

Welcome Home!

Welcome to worship at All Saints'. If this is your first time with us, we invite you to complete a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate. Our website provides current information and access to our digital content: allsaintsatlanta.org. This bulletin contains all you need to join us in worship, everyone is welcome to receive communion at God's table, and the clergy are happy to speak with you at any time. We are delighted you're here – welcome home!



Prelude | “Veni, Veni, Emmanuel”

Leo Sowerby (1895–1968)

The people stand as the bell tolls.

Opening Acclamation |

<i>Celebrant</i>	Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
<i>People</i>	And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

“My soul magnifies the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices
in God my Savior.”

— Luke 1:39–45, 46–55

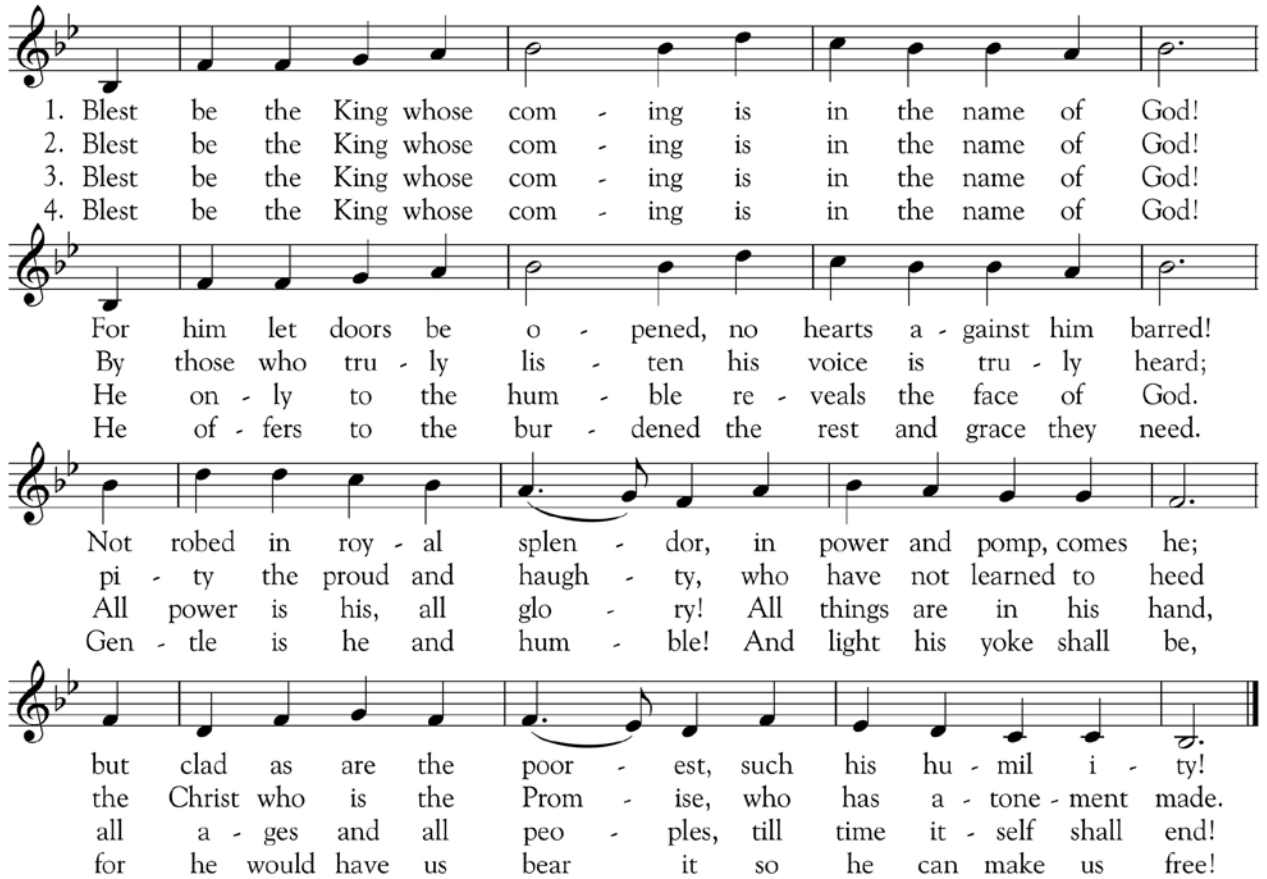


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"Blest be the King whose coming"

Valet will ich dir geben



1. Blest be the King whose coming is in the name of God!

2. Blest be the King whose coming is in the name of God!

3. Blest be the King whose coming is in the name of God!

4. Blest be the King whose coming is in the name of God!

For him let doors be o - pened, no hearts a - gainst him barred!

By those who tru - ly lis - ten his voice is tru - ly heard;

He on - ly to the hum - ble re - veals the face of God.

He of - fers to the bur - dened the rest and grace they need.

Not robed in roy - al splen - dor, in power and pomp, comes he;

pi - ty the proud and haugh - ty, who have not learned to heed

All power is his, all glo - ry! All things are in his hand,

Gen - tle is he and hum - ble! And light his yoke shall be,

but clad as are the poor - est, such his hu - mil i - ty!

the Christ who is the Prom - ise, who has a - tone - ment made.

all a - ges and all peo - ples, till time it - self shall end!

for he would have us bear it so he can make us free!

Collect for Purity |

Celebrant Praying together,

Celebrant and people

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly
love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie eleison | Sung by the choir.

Communion Service in F Major

Harold Darke (1888–1976)

Kyrie eleison.
Christe eleison.
Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.



Collect of the Day |

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Purify our conscience, Almighty God, by your daily visitation, that your Son Jesus Christ, at his coming, may find in us a mansion prepared for himself; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The people are seated.

The First Lesson | Micah 5:2–5a

You, O Bethlehem of Ephrathah,
who are one of the little clans of Judah,

from you shall come forth for me
one who is to rule in Israel,

whose origin is from of old,
from ancient days.

Therefore he shall give them up until the time
when she who is in labor has brought forth;

then the rest of his kindred shall return
to the people of Israel.

And he shall stand and feed his flock
in the strength of the Lord,
in the majesty of the name of the Lord his God.

And they shall live secure,
for now he shall be great
to the ends of the earth;
and he shall be the one of peace.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Canticle 15 | Isaiah 12:2–6, The Song of Mary

Larry King (1932–1990)

The people remain seated.

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;

my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

For he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.

From this day all generations shall call me blessed.

The Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.

He has mercy on those who fear him in ev'ry generation.

He has shown the strength of his arm;

he has scattered the proud in their conceit.

He has cast down the mighty from their thrones,
and has lifted up the lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things,

and the rich he has sent away empty.

He has come to the help of his servant, Israel,

for he has remembered his promise of mercy,

the promise he made to our fathers,

to Abraham and his children forever.

The Second Lesson | Hebrews 10:5–10

When Christ came into the world, he said,
 “Sacrifices and offerings you have not desired,
 but a body you have prepared for me;
 in burnt offerings and sin offerings
 you have taken no pleasure.
 Then I said, ‘See, God, I have come to do
 your will, O God’
 (in the scroll of the book it is written of me).”

Reader The word of the Lord.
 People Thanks be to God.

When he said above, “You have neither desired
 nor taken pleasure in sacrifices and offerings
 and burnt offerings and sin offerings” (these
 are offered according to the law), then he
 added, “See, I have come to do your will.”
 He abolishes the first in order to establish
 the second. And it is by God’s will that we
 have been sanctified through the offering
 of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

Sequence Hymn | 268

The people stand.

“Ye who claim the faith of Jesus”

Julion

Introduction/Interlude



1. Ye who claim the faith of Je - sus, sing the
 2. Bless - ed were the chos - sen peo - ple out of
 3. There - fore let all faith - ful peo - ple sing the
 4. “Mag - ni - fy, my soul, God’s great - ness; in my

won - ders that were done when the love of God the
 whom the Lord did come; bless - ed was the land of
 hon - or of her name; let the Church, in her fore -
 Sa - vior I re - joice; all the a - ges call me

Fa - ther o - ver sin the vic - tory won, when he
 pro - mise fa - shioned for his earth - ly home; but more
 sha - dowed, part in her thanks - giv - ing claim; what Christ’s
 bless - ed, in his praise I lift my voice; he has

made the Vir - gin Ma - ry mo - ther of his on - ly Son.
 bless - ed far the mo - ther, she who bore him in her womb.
 mo - ther sang in glad - ness let Christ’s peo - ple sing the same:
 cast down all the might - y and the low - ly are his choice.”

Conclusion




The Gospel | Luke 1:39–45, 46–55

Gospeler The holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth.

When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord."

And Mary said,
"My soul magnifies the Lord,
and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,
for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant.
Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

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

for the Mighty One has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.
His mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.
He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.
He has brought down the powerful
from their thrones,
and lifted up the lowly;
he has filled the hungry with good things,
and sent the rich away empty.
He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,
according to the promise he made
to our ancestors,
to Abraham and to his descendants forever."

Sermon | *The people are seated at the preacher's invitation.*

The Rev. Dr. Andrew K. Barnett

A period of silent prayer follows the sermon.

The Nicene Creed |

The people stand.

Celebrant Let us affirm our faith using the words of the Nicene Creed.

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.

Prayers of the People |

Intercessor Trusting in God, let us pray, “O come, O come, Emmanuel; be our hope
and our salvation.”

God our hope, usher in your reign of justice and righteousness. May all the world
know your peace and safety.

O come, O come, Emmanuel;

People Be our hope and our salvation.

Intercessor God our hope, under your reign divisions are overcome, unity restored: bring
the people of this world together in a spirit of love and respect. In the Anglican
Communion, we pray for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean, in our
Diocese we pray for the people and clergy of Trinity Church in Columbus, and
in our parish, we give thanks for the sextons who prepare a place for us to worship,
learn, and break bread together. We ask God’s blessing on their good and holy work.
O come, O come, Emmanuel;

People Be our hope and our salvation.

Intercessor God our hope, remember your compassion and love. Heal and restore the sick and
the suffering, the anxious and the grieving. I ask your prayers for those who are sick.
(*The names of those who are ill will be read aloud.*) Are there others in need of prayer?
O come, O come, Emmanuel;

People Be our hope and our salvation.



Intercessor God our hope, keep us blameless before you that we may meet the coming of our Lord Jesus with joy. May we, and all who have died, rise to life immortal with all your saints. I ask your prayers for those who have died. (*The names of those who have died will be read aloud.*) Are there others who have died?
O come, O come, Emmanuel;

People Be our hope and our salvation.

Celebrant Hasten, O God, the coming of your kingdom; and grant that we your servants, who now live by faith, may with joy behold your Son at his coming in glorious majesty; even Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution |

The people stand or kneel for the confession.

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant 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.**

Celebrant

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.**

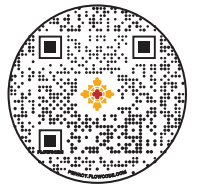
Peace | *Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The people exchange a sign of God's peace, and are seated.

Announcements |

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Blessing of the Poinsettias |

Almighty God, you fill all things with your word and your life. You commanded the Earth to bring forth its beauty in due season, and you gave it to the care of humankind for our joy and sustenance. Bless these poinsettias to be sent out as signs of your love and care for those who cannot be here with us. Fill the hearts of those who offer them and those who will receive them with love for you and for one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem |

“E’en so Lord Jesus, quickly come”
Peace be to you and grace from him
Who freed us from our sins,
Who loved us all and shed his blood
That we might saved be.
Sing holy, holy to our Lord,
The Lord, almighty God,
Who was and is and is to come.
Sing holy, holy, Lord!

Paul Manz (1919–2009)
Rejoice in heaven, all ye that dwell therein.
Rejoice on earth, ye saints below,
For Christ is coming soon,
For Christ is coming soon!
E’en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come,
And night shall be no more.
They need no light nor lamp nor sun
For Christ will be their all!

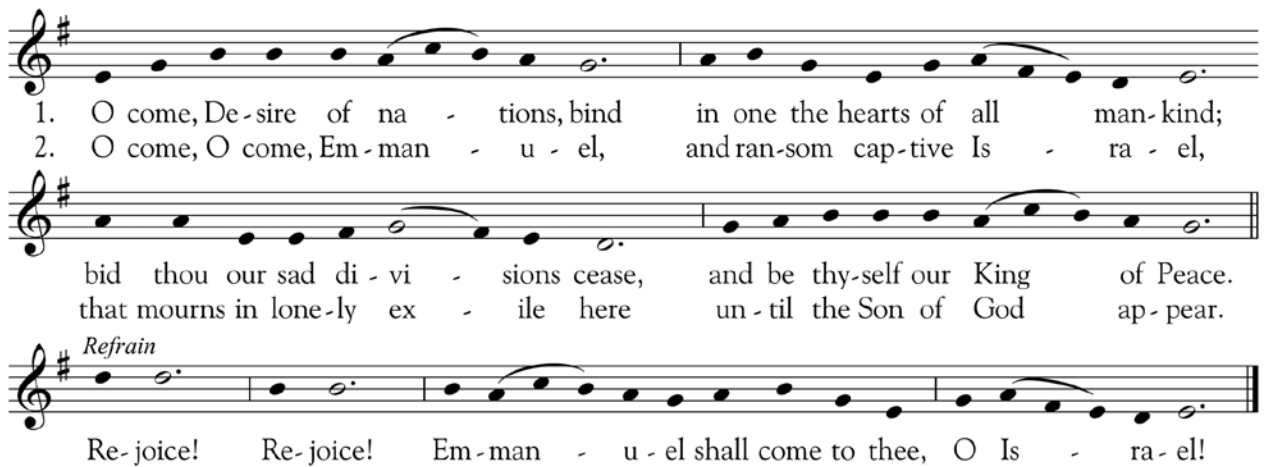
Words: *Revelation 22:5*, adapted by Ruth Manz

Presentation Hymn | 56

The people stand.

“O come, O come, Emmanuel”

Veni, veni, Emmanuel



1. O come, De-sire of na-tions, bind in one the hearts of all man-kind;
2. O come, O come, Em-man-u-el, and ran-som cap-tive Is-ra-el,
bid thou our sad di-vi-sions cease, and be thy-self our King of Peace.
that mourns in lone-ly ex-ile here un-til the Son of God ap-pear.
Refrain
Re-joice! Re-joice! Em-man-u-el shall come to thee, O Is-ra-el!



The musical notation is presented in three staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The lyrics are written below the notes, with 'Celebrant' and 'People' labels above the respective parts.

Staff 1:
Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* And al - so with you.

Staff 2:
Celebrant Lift up your hearts. *People* We lift them to the Lord.

Staff 3:
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

People By your will they were created and have their being.

Celebrant From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

People Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Celebrant Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

People By his blood, he reconciled us.
By his wounds, we are healed.

Celebrant And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
 heaven 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 Celebrant continues

And so, we who have been redeemed by Christ, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

Celebrant and People

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Celebrant

Lord God of our forebears: God of Abraham and Sarah, Isaac and Rebecca, Jacob, Rachel, and Leah; God of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us.

Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Celebrant and People

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Celebrant

Accept these prayers and praises, O God, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,



The Lord's Prayer |

Celebrant and People

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread |

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Whoever you are, wherever you are on your journey,
you are welcome at this table.

The people are seated.

Fraction Anthem | Agnus Dei

Communion Service in F Major

Harold Darke (1888–1976)

Sung by the choir.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.

Communion Motet |

Ave Maria

Jacques Arcadelt (c. 1507–1568)

*Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum;
benedicta tu in mulieribus,
et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Jesus.*

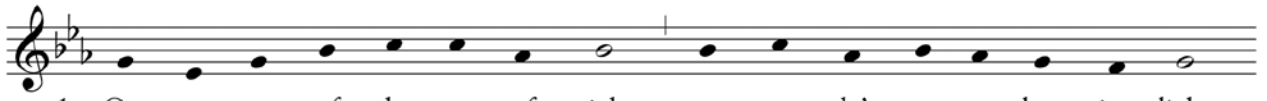
*Sancta Maria, Mater Dei,
ora pro nobis peccatoribus,
nunc et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.*

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee;
blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

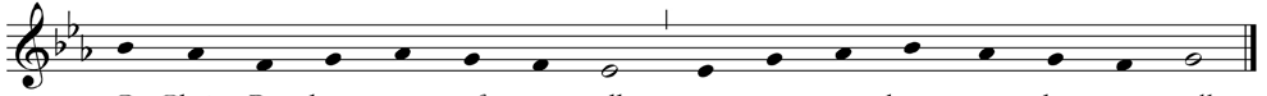
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Words: Luke 1:28, 41

"Creator of the stars of night"

Conditor alme siderum

1. Cre - a - tor of the stars of night, your peo - ple's e - ver - last - ing light,
2. In sor - row that the an - cient curse should doom to death a u - ni - verse,
3. When this old world drew on toward night, you came; but not in splen - dor bright,
4. At your great Name, O Je - sus, now all knees must bend, all hearts must bow:
5. Come in your ho - ly might, we pray, re - deem us for e - ter - nal day;
6. To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, and God the Spi - rit, Three in One,



O Christ, Re - deem - er of us all, we pray you hear us when we call.
 you came, O Sa - vior to set free your own in glo - rious li - ber - ty.
 not as a mon - arch, but the child of Ma - ry, blame - less mo - ther mild.
 all things on earth with one ac - cord, like those in heaven, shall call you Lord.
 de - fend us while we dwell be - low from all as - saults of our dread foe.
 praise, hon - or, might, and glo - ry be from age to age e - ter - nal - ly.

Communion Hymn |

"Wait for the Lord"

Taizé

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near. Wait for the Lord; be strong; take heart!

Post Communion Prayer |

*The people stand.**Celebrant* Let us pray.*Celebrant and People*

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing | *Celebrant*

Christ the son of Righteousness shine upon you, scatter the darkness from before your path, and make you ready to meet him when he comes in glory; and the blessing of God almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be upon you this day and forevermore. Amen.



"Tell out my soul"

Woodlands

1. Tell out, my soul, the great-ness of the Lord!
 2. Tell out, my soul, the great-ness of his Name!
 3. Tell out, my soul, the great-ness of his might:
 4. Tell out, my soul, the glo-ries of his word!

Un-num-bered bles-sings give my spi-rit voice;
 Make known his might the deeds his arm has done;
 Powers and do-minions lay their glo-ry by;
 Firm is his prom-ise, and his mer-cy sure.

ten-der to me the pro-mise of his word;
 his mer-cy sure, from age to age the same;
 Proud hearts and stub-born wills are put to flight,
 Tell out, my soul, the great-ness of the Lord

in God my Sa-vior shall my heart re-joice.
 his ho-ly name, the Lord the Might-y One.
 the hun-gry fed, the hum-ble lift-ed high.
 to chil-dren's chil-dren and for ev-er more.

Dismissal | *Celebrant* We wait for a new Heaven and a new Earth.
People Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

Voluntary | "O come, O come, Emmanuel"

Evelyn Simpson-Curenton (b. 1953)



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Nancy Yates

Flower Guild

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Music for Sunday, December 19, 2021

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In Our Prayers

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean.

In our diocese, we pray for Trinity Church in Columbus.

In our parish cycle of prayer, we give thanks for All Saints' sextons.

Thanksgiving and Memorials

The sanctuary candle is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Jane Wheeler by the St. Luke Chapter.

The church Advent wreath is given in loving memory of Bess Vaughn Clark and Francis G. Clark, Sr.,
by Francis Clark, Jr. and James Roper.

The altar flowers today are given to the glory of God
and in memory of her father Edwin E. McMorries and her sister Cynthia D. Loftus by Missi McMorries.

Announcements

We want you to have the Most Up-to-Date Information

Things are changing quickly during this pandemic. For the most current announcements
on upcoming events, service opportunities, and worship services, please visit
allsaintsatlanta.org/news-and-publications.

To keep up with all that is happening each Sunday at All Saints' please visit
allsaintsatlanta.org/worship-life-events/this-sunday.



Prayer List

Those who are ill |

Micki Brown
David Cassel, *father of Erin Cassel Idnani*
Virgil Lacy, *friend of All Saints'*
Evelyn Redic, *aunt of Maurice Reddick*
William McCord "Mac" Thigpen,
first cousin to Anne Higdon and friend of Bruce Garner
All who are suffering from COVID-19

Those to have surgery |

Suzanne Cassel, *mother of Erin Cassel Idnani*
Narney Raulston, *mother of Cissa Rassel*

Those recovering from illness or surgery |

Corey and Kayla Rice,
husband and daughter of Natosha Reid Rice

Those who have died |

Thomas J. Kelly, Jr., *father of Kevin B. Kelly*
Charles McDonald, *father of Mark McDonald*
Leigh Ann Mooring, *friend of Christina Waide and family*
Gladys Rustay, *friend of Suzanne Wakefield*
All those who have died as a result of the tornadoes
and storms this week
All who have died from COVID-19

New babies |

John Alexander Corey, *son of Laura Dickey Corey*
and Jack Corey, *grandson of Jeannette*
Dickey
Hayden Waynebell, *nephew of Katie Armbruster*

Birthdays this Week

Sun | Dec 19

Harper Mac Connell
Julia French
Chuck Lord
Robert Sewell
Kate Stradtman
Elizabeth Taylor

Mon | Dec 20

Salome Folk
Jane Johnson
Anna Kate Jones
Charlotte Reid
Jim Van Buren
Albert Way

Tues | Dec 21

Harrison Armentrout
Staci Fox
Rick Fritz
Doug Holladay
Holly Isserstedt
Noah Johnson
Jamie Kennedy
Tim McClain
Jan Traynor
Paddy Warren
Mary Leake Way

Wed | Dec 22

Stan Bokoski
Barksdale Collins
Jeanne Crass
Wils Davis
Nick Mauriello
Chanel Moura
Toni Myers
Marian Proper
Sam Tucker
Alex Western
Holly York

Thur | Dec 23

Alex Fleming
Nathaniel Knox Bell
Wyatt McNearney
Amanda Smith

Fri | Dec 24

David Begley
Jeff Borja
Martha Allayne Douglas
Charlie Henn
Jason Mabry
Anna B Purcell
Chris Willett
Christine Williams

Sat | Dec 25

Holly Book
Marie-Louise Muhumuza
George Redwine



Caroling, Cookies and Cocoa!



Wednesday, December 22
5:00-6:00 p.m., North Avenue
MARTA Station, Kennedy Courtyard



Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24

1:00 p.m. ♦ A Festival
of Nine Lessons and Carols

3:00 p.m. ♦ A Festival
Worship with Children's Choirs

5:00 p.m. ♦ A Festival
Worship with Youth Choirs

7:00 and 10:00 p.m. ♦
Holy Eucharist Rite II

Christmas Day, Saturday, December 25

10:00 a.m. ♦
Holy Eucharist Rite II

Join us for worship this Christmas.



Holiday Schedules and Closures:

Christmas Day Worship Service:

On Christmas morning, join us at 10:00 a.m. for a peaceful service of Holy Eucharist (communion) with a sermon and Christmas carols, accompanied by organ music. This service will be in-person only (it will not be livestreamed) and the nursery will be closed.

1 Christmas Worship Service:

On Sunday, December 26, we will combine the 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. worship services into one 10:00 a.m. service. This service will be in-person only (it will not be livestreamed) and the nursery will be closed. We will also have services in the chapel at 8:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Church Office Closures:

The church office will be closed on Monday, December 27 through Friday, December 31; however, we will be able to accept year-end donations at the business office on Wednesday, December 29, Thursday, December 30, and Friday, December 31 (until noon). We will also be closed on Monday, January 3 in observance of the New Year's holiday.

In the event of a pastoral emergency, please call 404-881-0835 and the message you hear will direct you to the clergy on call.



Practicing the Way of Love

We will strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being.

Faith and Forgiveness: For those who seek to believe, but have been given a reason not to, with Nikki Toombs

Sundays, December 5, 12, and 19 in the Shaffer Room

The Promise of a Guaranteed Income to Address Racial Inequity, with Amir Farokhi

Sunday, December 19 in P307

How the Bible Came to Be: A History, with Dr. Ryan Bonfiglio

Sundays, December 5, 12, and 19 in Ross Room

For more information,
please contact the Rev. Dr. Andrew K. Barnett at
abarnett@allsaintsatlanta.org.



A Donation to the Absalom Jones Center for Racial Healing

Are you ready to give up driving or turn in your current car? Our All Saints' friend and partner, the Absalom Jones Center for Racial Healing, needs a car and is seeking our help. Please notify the Center if you or someone you know can donate one. Contact Dr. Catherine Meeks or her assistant, Sandra Tarver at 404–601–5335, or email cmeeks@episcopalatlanta.org.

Find out more about the Center at <https://www.centerforracialhealing.org>.



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Our Sunday Worship Schedule

IN THE CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II
5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

ONLINE

11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

For information on viewing our online worship services, please visit us at
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Christmas Eve

1:00 p.m.* | A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols
3:00 p.m.* | A Festival Worship with Children's Choirs
5:00 p.m. | A Festival Worship with Youth Choirs
7:00 p.m.* and 10:00 p.m. | Holy Eucharist Rite II

**Livestreamed services*

Christmas Day

10:00 a.m. | Holy Eucharist Rite II

