

SAINT JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

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The Fourth Sunday in Advent

December 18, 2022 - 11:15 a.m. 2019 BCP

Hymnal

Green Prayer Book

- Prelude "Prelude on 'Stuttgart'"* Paul Bryan
- 56 *Processional v. 1-4 "O come, O come, Emmanuel"* Veni Emmanuel
- The Opening Acclamation (*Stand*) 123
- Celebrant Surely the Lord is coming soon.
- People Amen. Come Lord Jesus!*
- The Collect of Purity (*Stand*)
- The Summary of the Law (*Stand*)
- S-91 *Kyrie Eleison* Healey Willan
- The Collect of the Day (*Kneel*)
- THE WORD OF GOD** (*Sit*)
- Please see the insert for the Collect of the Day and readings of Holy Scripture
- 66 *Seq. Hymn (V. 1-3,4) "Come, thou long expected Jesus"* Stuttgart
- Reading of the Holy Gospel (*Stand*)
- Sermon The Rev. Randall Foster
- The Nicene Creed (*Stand*) 127
- The Prayers of the People (*Kneel*) 128
- The Confession of sin and Absolution (*Kneel*) 130
- Sharing of the Peace of Jesus Christ (*Stand*)
- Announcements (*Sit*)
- Offertory "The angel Gabriel from Heaven came"* Gabriel's message
- 380 v.3 *The Great Doxology*
- THE HOLY COMMUNION** 132
- S-114 *The Sanctus and Benedictus* (*Stand*) Healey Willan
- The Prayer of Consecration (*Kneel*)
- The Lord's Prayer (*Kneel*) 134
- The Prayer of Humble Access (*Kneel*) 135
- S-158 *Agnus Dei* (*Kneel*) Healey Willan
- 318 *Comm. Hymn "Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face"* Nyack
- Post Communion Prayer (*Kneel*) 137
- 640 *Recess. Hymn "Watchman, tell us of the night"* Aberystwyth
- Postlude "Postlude on 'Aberystwyth'"* Gordon Young

WELCOME TO SAINT JOHN'S

We are blessed that you have joined us in our worship of Jesus Christ. At Saint John's we worship in the Anglican Tradition; fostering a place where forgiveness, conversion and spiritual renewal can evolve; enabling Christian formation to help us grow that our life may be consecrated to God's work. We pray that you have found us faithful in our witness of His Love and you will make Saint John's your spiritual home.

Receiving Holy Communion

All visitors who have been baptized with water, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and who have been admitted to Communion in their own church are welcome to share the Holy Eucharist. We are all called to repent of our sins and to approach the Holy Communion as an expression of the Real Presence of Jesus Christ. When you come forward to receive the Holy Body and the Precious Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, please approach the Altar Rail in prayer. Cross your right hand over your left that the sacred Host may be laid in the palm of your right hand. When the Chalice is offered, help guide it (if necessary) to your lips. When your communion is complete, pause to give thanks before returning to your seat. If you are not receiving Communion today, you are most welcome to come to the Altar Rail for a blessing; simply cross your arms over your heart.

Ladies wearing lipstick, please remember to blot your lips before coming forward for Communion if you desire to receive directly from the chalice. (If you generally receive by intinction, of course, this is not necessary.) Thank you!

— St. John's Altar Guild

If you receive Holy Communion by Intinction

If you make your communion by intinction (which is dipping the Host in Consecrated Wine), our Bishop asks that you retain the Host in the palm of your hand after receiving it and the priest, deacon or lay minister will touch it to the Wine and place it on your tongue.

A Private Prayer before receiving Holy Communion

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, by the will of the Father and the work of the Holy Spirit Your death brought life to the world. By Your Holy Body and Blood free me from all my sins and from every evil. Keep me faithful to Your teaching, and never let me be parted from You. Amen.

A Private Prayer after receiving Holy Communion

Lord Jesus Christ, may I receive these precious gifts in purity of heart. May Your Body and Blood bring me healing and strength, now and for ever. Amen.

WHO'S SERVING NEXT WEEK (DECEMBER 24-25)

Saturday 4:00 PM – Christmas Eve

ACOLYTE: Lucas Smith, OPEN

CHALICE: Tom Ward, OPEN

CRUCIFER: Jason Merritt

PRAYERS: Tiffany Gildner

READER: Kendall Smith

Saturday 11:00 PM - Christmas Eve

ACOLYTES: Michael Leaseburg, Ben Leaseburg

CHALICE: Tom Ward, OPEN

CRUCIFER: Donnie Muennink

PRAYERS: Monty Muennink

READER: Bill Kendall

Sunday 10:00 AM - Christmas Day

CHALICE: Andrew Martin

READER: Andrew Martin

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR CHRIST AND HIS CHURCH!
**If you would like to see the schedule for future weeks, copies of the ROTA
are available in the parish office.**

*if you are unable to serve, please request a sub
as soon as possible. Thanks!*

WHO'S SERVING THIS WEEK (DECEMBER 18)

Sunday 8:00 AM – 1928 BCP

ALTAR SERVER AND CHALICE: Clifford Bronson

Sunday 9:00 AM - 2019 BCP

ACOLYTES: David Leaseburg, Caroline Wilcox

ALTAR SERVERS: Don Lange,
Andrew Clark

PRAYERS: Andrew Clark

READER: Rebekah Craig

USHERS: Patrick Wells, Bill Kendall

Sunday 10:15 AM

COFFEE HOUR: Don and Diane Lange

Sunday 11:15 AM - 2019 BCP

ACOLYTES: Lucas Smith, Mallorie Merritt

ALTAR SERVERS: Donnie Muennink,
Sarah Stringer

PRAYERS: Dorian Johnson

READER: Monty Muennink

USHERS: Steve Sparks, Marty Smith

VESTRY: Bob Hampton, Kendall Smith

Sunday 5:00 PM - Lessons & Carols

Bettie Bosworth
Paul Dirksmeyer
Bob Hampton
Bill Kendall
Diane McCusker
Jason Merritt
Monty Muennink
Becca Stupfel
Trish Williamson

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