

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

The Second Sunday of Advent December 8, 2024 | 8:45am

The people's responses are in bold.

OPENING VOLUNTARY Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme (Sleepers Awake), BWV 645

I.S. Bach

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Please stand, as you are able.

THE LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

Grant us Lord, the lamp of charity which never fails, that it may burn in us and shed its light on those around us, and that by its brightness, we may have a vision of that holy city, where dwells the true and never-failing Light, Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN • 66 Come, thou long expected Jesus

STUTTGART

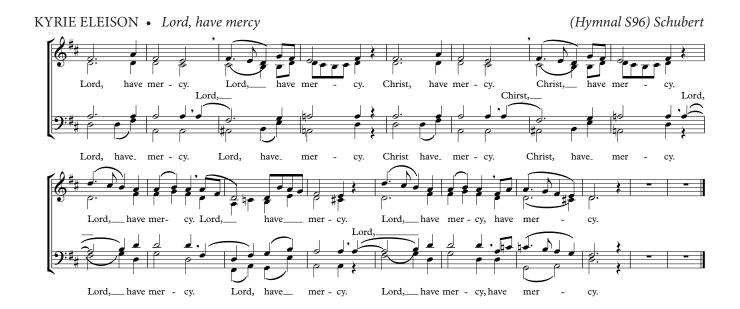
OPENING ACCLAMATION

The Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p.355

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

And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

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.**



COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP, p. 211

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray.

Merciful God, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

THE LESSON Philippians 1:3-11

I thank my God every time I remember you, constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. It is right for me to think this way about all of you, because you hold me in your heart, for all of you share in God's grace with me, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. For God is my witness, how I long for all of you with the compassion of Christ Jesus. And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight to help you to determine what is best, so that in the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CANTICLE 16 Chanted by the choir.

Tone VIII

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel;

he has come to his people and set them free.

He has raised up for us a might savior,

born of the house of his servant David.

Through his holy prophets he promised of old,

that he would save us from our enemies,

from the hands of all who hate us.

He promised to show mercy to our fathers

and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham,

to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

Free to worship him without fear,

holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,

for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,

To give his people knowledge of salvation

by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God

the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death,

and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Please stand, as you are able.

Children in Grades K-4 process to Johnson Hall for Kids Chapel, returning at the Peace.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 3:1-6

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

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah,

"The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:

'Prepare the way of the Lord,
 make his paths straight.

Every valley shall be filled,
 and every mountain and hill shall be made low,
and the crooked shall be made straight,
 and the rough ways made smooth;
and all flesh shall see the salvation of God."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON The Rev. Margery Kennelly

Please stand, as you are able.

THE NICENE CREED BCP, p. 358

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.

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. We especially pray for the Archbishop of Canterbury; Sean, the Presiding Bishop; John, our Bishop; and persecuted Christians throughout the world.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. We especially pray for Joe, our President; Bill, our Governor; Freddie, our Mayor; and the members of our parish in the armed forces serving our country, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world. We also pray for our enemies and those who wish us harm; those affected by the violence and suffering in Israel, the Middle East, and Ukraine; and all who are threatened for their religious beliefs.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours and grant that we may serve Christ in them and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles and bring them the joy of your salvation. We especially pray for Reba Barker, Lucius Burch, Bob Daggett, Ruth Hagerty, Rick Hart, Mary Jackson, Susan Narramore, Acra Samuels, David Smith, Noel Sullivan, and Trish Thomas.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

The celebrant prays the concluding Collect, and the people respond **Amen.**

Please kneel, as you are able.

CONFESSION OF SIN BCP, p. 360

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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.

THE ABSOLUTION BCP, p. 360

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.**

Please stand, as you are able.

THE PEACE BCP, p. 360

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Please be seated.

THE OFFERTORY

Comfort, comfort ye my people

David Ashley White

Comfort, comfort ye my people, speak ye peace, thus saith our God; comfort those who sit in darkness mourning 'neath their sorrows' load. Speak ye to Jerusalem of the peace that waits for them; tell her that her sins I cover, and her warfare now is over.

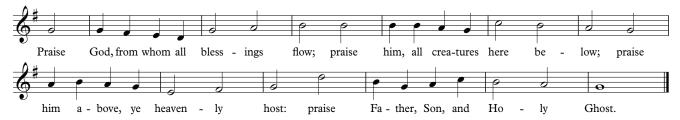
Hark, the voice of one that crieth in the desert far and near, calling us to new repentence since the kingdom now is here.

O that warning cry obey! Now prepare for God away; let the valleys rise to meet him and the hills bow down to greet him.

Make ye straight what long was crooked, make the rougher places plain; let your hearts be true and humble, as befits his holy reign. For the glory of the Lord now o'er earth is shed abroad; and all flesh shall see the token that the word is never broken.

AT THE PRESENTATION The Doxology

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP, p. 367

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

The celebrant says a Proper Preface.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory.

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

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

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 & THE FRACTION ANTHEM

BCP, p. 364

Christ our Passover

(Hymnal S156) Near



The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Notes on Receiving Communion All baptized Christians are invited to receive the sacrament, regardless of age or denomination. Those who have not been baptized are welcome to a blessing—indicate your desire for a blessing by crossing your arms over your chest. If desired, you may intinct (dip) your wafer at the altar rail or have the LEM intinct it for you. Gluten-free wafers are available at the side station.

After receiving communion, a Prayer Minister is available in the front right corner of the Nave to pray with you for intercessions, thanksgivings, or other petitions.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

If ye love me Thomas Tallis

If ye love me, keep my commandments, And I will pray the Father And he shall give you another comforter, That he may abide with you forever, That he may abide with you forever, Even the spirit of truth.

Please kneel, as you are able.

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, p. 365

Let us pray.

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.

THE BLESSING BCP, p. 366

Please stand, as you are able.

CLOSING HYMN • 657 Love divine, all loves excelling

Hyfrydol

THE DISMISSAL BCP, p. 366

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CLOSING VOLUNTARY Toccata in B minor

Eugene Gigout

WORSHIP NOTES

Clergy The Rev. Colin Ambrose, celebrant; the Rev. Margery Kennelly, preacher; the Rev. Jason Terhune; and the Ven. Dr. Martin Odidi Verger Frank Puryear

Acolytes Bennett Sullivan, Stewart Clay, Morgan Ainsley Uden, and Luca Hood

Advent Wreath The Johnson Family: Katie, Bill, Mary Francis, and Kingslea

Lector Bryan Essary

Lay Eucharistic Ministers Walter Choate, Kim Baker, Tom Gormley, and Greg Wilber

Greeters Jane & Joe Andrews and De Dawkins

The Advent Greens in the Nave are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for their children and family by Mr. & Mrs. Wentworth Caldwell, Jr.

The flowers on the altar in the Jane Tompkins Weeks Chapel are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Diane Ward Gray by her family.

The aumbry candle in the Nave is given to the Glory of God and in memory of Mary Margaret Moore by her sons, Arthur and Robert Schwartz.

The aumbry candle in the Jane Tompkins Weeks Chapel is given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of John Hayworth by the Fitzgibbons, the Harringtons, the Masons, and the Walkers.

MUSIC NOTES

Reflecting on today's Gospel reading, *Comfort, comfort ye my people* is a well-known Advent hymn found our hymnal (hymn 67), and in our offertory anthem today, it is playfully set to music by contemporary American composer David Ashley White (b.1944). The original hymn tune is quite rhythmic and jubilant, and White develops these characteristics even further. Not only does whole anthem move through different time signatures, the sopranos and altos sing a different, yet complementary line to that of the tenors and basses. When all four part comes together, it creates a sharp and crisp effect. Though at first, it may seem as if the anthem *If ye love me* by Thomas Tallis is out of season, it does reflect the message of today's reading from Philippians. The beautifully subtle harmonic movement expresses the text in fluid motion. This work is arguably the most well-known anthem by this Tallis, who has a versatile range of styles and stands out for his simplicity and refined craftsmanship.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

In your prayers this week, please pray for the following:

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Archbishop of Canterbury, and the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan.

In the Episcopal Church, we pray for Sean, the Presiding Bishop.

In the Diocese of Tennessee, we pray for John, our Bishop, and Christ Church Cathedral in Nashville.

In our community, we pray for West End Synagogue.

In our parish, we pray for St. George's Choir; our Nashville Fellows, Abby, Sarah Beth, Parker, and Joe; and our organ scholar, Kateri.

SUNDAY SCHOOL September 8 - December 8 at 10:05am

ADULTS

The Art of Faithful Reading - Hampton Hall
The Rule of Life - Johnson Hall
Building Habits of Faith as a Family - Dandridge Hall
Seniors & Grandparents Forum - Room 218
Learning About Effective Prayer - Room 202
Ethics, Theology & Conversation - Conference Room

YOUTH

Sermon on the Mount (9th-12th Grade) - Akers Hall Confirmation (8th Grade) - Youth Confirmation Room The Gospel Project (7th Grade) - Room 219

CHILDREN

Grow Kids (Pre-K 3s & 4s) - Room 112 Grow Kids (Pre-K 5s & Kindergarten) - Rooms 114 The Gospel Project (1st Grade) - Room 223 The Gospel Project (2nd Grade) - Room 206 The Gospel Project (3rd Grade) - Room 203 The Gospel Project (4th Grade) - Room 205 The Gospel Project (5th & 6th Grade) - Room 204

TODAY! Lessons & Carols The Service of Nine Lessons & Carols proclaims the joy and wonder of the Advent season with Scripture readings, carols, and hymns featuring all three of our choirs. Join us tonight at 5:30pm for an organ prelude of seasonal carols before the 6:00pm service. This is a well-attended favorite, so please arrive early, and join us for a reception afterward.

St. Luke's Toy Drive Today is last day to bring your new, unwrapped toy for St. Luke's Community House. Your donation ensures that families with limited means don't have to choose between rent and food or a gift for their children during the holidays.

Men's Canoe Adventure – Interest Meeting With Colin Ambrose and David Barr joining the journey, this men's fellowship adventure in Utah offers a unique opportunity to strengthen bonds and create lasting memories amidst nature's beauty. Mark your calendars for our trip from September 8 to 14, 2025. Attend our interest meeting on Wednesday, December 11 from 7:00-7:45am in Johnson Hall to learn more. Details are found at stgeorgesnashville.org/men.

Mission Day We are gearing up for Christmas with our next Mission Day! On Saturday, December 14, volunteer teams will meet at the church before dispersing around the city to support our partners and share Christmas joy in all sorts of ways. From delivering Christmas gifts to singing carols, every task will make a meaningful difference in the lives of our fellow Nashvillians. New this season: wheelchair ramp construction and food delivery. Volunteer spots are limited—sign up online at stgeorgesnashville.org/outreach.

Christmas Flower Offering Each year, church members are invited to make a special Christmas flower offering in memory or in honor of a loved one. Please make your offering no later than Sunday, December 15 for your loved ones to be included in the Christmas bulletins. Donate using flower envelopes in the pews or online at stgeorgesnashville. org/news.

Clergy Cocoa Bar As we savor the beautiful Advent season, we know there's a cultural push toward busyness. Take a moment to slow down on Sunday mornings by joining the clergy in for fellowship over steaming mugs of cocoa or coffee. They'll be decked out and ready to serve you on Sundays, December 15 and 22 at 10:05am in Hampton Hall.

Silent Night: A Service of Remembrance, Hope, and Healing This service of prayer on Sunday, December 15 makes space for those seeking God's healing as we look forward to this holiday season. We welcome anyone at this service, but especially those who find the holidays a challenging time of year. We invite you to join us at 6:00pm for this unique worship service.

Compline Stemming from monastic practice, Compline is the last service of the day before bedtime. This brief and beautiful service is set in a darkened church and sung by a small men's choir. Come on Wednesday, December 18, at 9:15pm in the Nave and remain as long as you wish after the service in this quiet space, departing in silence.

Prime Time Luncheon Our annual festive Christmas luncheon and sing-a-long returns on Thursday, December 19 at 11:30am in Hampton Hall. Invite your friends to learn about and sing some of our favorite Advent and Christmas carols. Make your reservation for \$12 buffet luncheon by Monday, November 18 to 615-385-2150 x 262 or online at stgeorgesnashville.org.

Christmas Eve at Room in the Inn This Christmas Eve, our winter shelter will be open to 12 men from Room in the Inn We invite you to join us in offering hospitality to them through a warm meal and Christian love on this special night. Details and a link to sign up can be found at stgeorgesnashville.org/riti.

Christmas Eve Services NEW! 10:00am; 3:00pm; 5:30pm; and 10:00pm with 9:30pm Choral Prelude. Our new 10:00am morning service on Christmas Eve will be a delight for children and children-at-heart. With a children's homily, festive brass music, and familiar carols, your hearts will be filled with Christmas joy. (You might even leave with a sweet treat from St. Nicholas!) Information about all services can be found online at stgeorgesnashville.org/christmas.

Recycle Your Tree with PTM Our partners at Preston Taylor Ministries are gearing up for their annual Christmas Tree Pick Up. For a small donation, volunteers will collect your tree directly from your curb or driveway and recycle it through Metro Nashville' citywide program. Slots fill up quickly, so act fast. Reserve your spot at prestontaylorministries.org.

2024 Giving Statements Thank you for your continued support of St. George's! Giving statements for 2024 were mailed recently; please check your statement to make sure it is correct. If you have questions or would like to discuss your giving, please contact Catherine Beemer, director of parish giving, at 615-385-2150 x244 or Catherine.beemer@stgeorgesnashville.org. You also can access your giving information anytime at onrealm.org/StGeorges.



Thank you for joining us! Thanks to all those who already have made pledges to the 2025 Annual Campaign for St. George's! By investing in our parish, you are helping to determine how

we continue to care for this community and each other. It's not too late to pledge, either via Realm, online or by completing a pledge card and dropping it in an offering plate. Please consider a pledge for 2025 so that our ministries remain strong for the coming year. Thank you. Questions? Contact Catherine Beemer, Director of Parish Giving, at catherine.beemer@stgeorgesnashville.org.



"Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you." (Ephesians 4:32)

This week's reflection is from Henry Ambrose: Ephesians 4:32 is an easy verse to skim over, especially for teenagers who – largely – have been raised in the church...To us, I think that this verse should be a reminder to approach every interaction as Jesus would.

Invitation: Can you think of anyone who is consistently kind to others? Does it sometimes feel as though being kind requires a lot of self-discipline? What are ways we as the Church can show kindness in the world?

Read more online at stgeorgesnashville.org/friendship.



THANK YOU FOR JOINING US!



We are grateful to all those who have pledged to St. George's for the coming year. Our parish relies on your annual support to maintain and grow our ministries for our 4,300 members and community. You are helping to determine our way forward in 2025 with your pledges. Thank you for your generosity!

It's not too late to pledge! Visit our website or simply contact Catherine Beemer, Director of Parish Giving, at catherine. beemer@stgeorgesnashville.org or visit stgeorgesnashville.org/annual-campaign to make your pledge today.

*This list reflects pledges received as of noon on Thursday, December 5.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14



- Christmas Store & Gardening
 @ Harvest Hands Community
 Development
- Adopt-a-Senior Gift Pick Up

 @ St. Luke's Community House
- Prepare & Deliver Food Boxes

 @ The Branch of Nashville
- Build Ramps & Declutter
 @ Westminster Home Connection
- Christmas Caroling

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Christmas Eve

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10:00 AM NEW! Holy Eucharist (Rite II) with children's

homily and festive brass music

3:00 PM* Holy Eucharist (Rite II) with children's homily

and St. George's Choir

5:30 PM* Holy Eucharist (Rite II) with St. George's Choir

and the Choristers of St. George's

9:30 PM Choral Prelude featuring Christmas music

from Holst and Vaughan Williams

10:00 PM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) with St. George's Choir

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Christmas Day

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) with Christmas hymns

29 DEC

1st Sunday after Christmas

7:30 AM Holy Eucharist in the Nave (Rite I) 9:00 PM The Table in Legacy Hall

10:00 PM Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

5:00 PM Evening Prayer & Holy Eucharist (Rite II) in the Chapel

 Nursery & Childcare available for 8-week-old infants — Kindergartners

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7:30, 8:45, and 11:00am | Holy Eucharist
9:00am | The Table
5:00pm | Evening Prayer & Holy Eucharist

WEEKDAY SERVICES (CHAPEL) 7:00am Monday - Saturday | Daily Worship 10:00am Wednesday | Healing Prayer

