

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

PRELUDE

The congregation is asked to remain prayerfully silent during the prelude.

PRELUDE

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN** The King Shall Come **Hymn #73**

***OPENING ACCLAMATION** BCP 355

***TRISAGION** **Hymn #S-100**

***THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON **Jeremiah 33:14-16**

PSALM **Psalm 25:1-9, BCP 614**

SECOND LESSON **1 Thessalonians 3:9-13**

***SEQUENCE HYMN** LO! HE COMES WITH CLOUDS DESCENDING **Hymn #58**

***THE HOLY GOSPEL** **LUKE 21:25-36**

THE SERMON *Father Daniel*

***THE NICENE CREED** BCP 358

***THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE-FORM 5** BCP 389

Please pray for: Henry, Sandy H, Jacki V, Sharon, Kevin, Carol, Sarah, Garry, Linda, Edna, Stephanie, Marianne, Adele, Sandy, Sarah, Ron and Peach, Gary and Jane (Please pray for this list today and throughout the week.)

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS BCP 360

***THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE**

ANNOUNCEMENTS, BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

OFFERTORY AND *DOXOLOGY **HYMN #380, VS 3**

**Signifies times to stand, if able.*

Celebrant: All things come of Thee, O Lord
People: *And of Thine own have we given Thee*

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING RITE II: Eucharistic Prayer B** BCP 367

***HOLY, HOLY, HOLY** **S-130**

THE LORD'S PRAYER BCP 364

FRACTION ANTHEM

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN WATCHMAN TELL US OF THE NIGHT **Hymn #640**

(All baptized persons are welcome at the Lord's Table for communion.)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION BCP 365

***THE BLESSING**

***RECESSIONAL HYMN** HAIL TO THE LORD'S ANOINTED **Hymn #616**

***DISMISSAL**

If you seek prayer for someone or something and wish them to be included on our prayer list, please Contact Esther Camm at Sarahnicole151@yahoo.com

Christmas Eve choir! One night only, so here's your chance to join your voice with others for the anthem. Let Mark know if you are interested. Practices will be tucked in around our other activities on the Sundays of Advent

Upcoming events:

NEXT WEEK: DECEMBER 8, 10:00 AM, HOLY EUCHARIST WITH FR. DANIEL

Upcoming events:

December 2, Knitting Group, 4:00 PM, Parish House, 4:00 PM final hat count due!!

December 3, Men's Night Out, 6:00 PM, East of Texas 907 S Broad St, Winston Salem

December 8, Annual Mtg, following the service during Coffee Hour, Vestry Election

December 12, Staying Alive, 1:00 PM, Parish House, Dirty Santa gift game and cookie exchange

December 15, Hanging of the Greens, grab a snack and a cup of coffee and meet in the church 30 minutes after the service ends to help decorate for Christmas.

December 17, Ladies Who Lunch, 11:45 AM, Chop House, you must RSVP by Dec 15th to Toni R.

December 22, Open Door Shelter feeding, menu sign up sheet is above the Coffee Hour table. Food should arrive at the shelter at 4:30 or bring to the church service that morning.

December 24, Christmas Eve Service, 4:00 PM, musical program begins at 3:30 PM

Angel Tree! Please return your wrapped gifts (with the gift tags firmly attached on both sides) by next Sunday, December 8th. Gifts will be blessed during the service.

Handicapped accessible restrooms are located in the Parish House

PASTORAL NEEDS THE OFFICE IS OPEN ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND THURSDAY FROM 9:00-12:00 PM. FATHER DANIEL IS USUALLY IN THE OFFICE ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. IT IS HELPFUL FOR OUR FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS IF YOU CALL THE OFFICE (336-869-5311) AHEAD OF YOUR VISIT AND LET THEM KNOW YOU ARE COMING. IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES, FATHER'S CELL PHONE NUMBER IS 512-410-9413 AND HIS EMAIL IS Vicar@st-christopher.org

THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

LECTORS: SUSAN PABON AND JEAN LAUTEN

ACOLYTE: RAY NORMAN

LEMS: SUSAN PABON AND CYNTHIA WATTS

ORGANIST: MARK HILL **KEYBOARD:** JIM AUGSBURGER **PIANO:** JOAN RAUCH

ALTAR GUILD: MELTA GIBBS, JENNY NILES-OREFICE, JEAN LAUTEN

COFFEE HOUR: WILL AND ESTHER CAMM

VESTRY

FRED WATTS, SENIOR WARDEN

KEN KEISER, JUNIOR WARDEN

JIM AUGSBURGER

MELTA GIBBS

SUSAN PABON

JOAN RAUCH

BOB BRYANT, TREASURER

SARAH LAWRENCE, CLERK



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