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# WELCOME TO ST. MARK'S

**Sunday, December 4, 2022**

Second Sunday of Advent

**Holy Eucharist, Rite II**

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## Liturgy of the Word

Processional Hymn	H 59 - <i>Hark A Thrilling Voice Is Sounding, v. 1-3</i>
Acclamation	BCP 355
Opening Anthem	H S-96 - <i>Lord, have mercy upon us</i>
Collect of the Day	<i>See insert</i>
First Lesson	Isaiah 11:1-10
Psalm	Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19; <i>See insert</i>
Second Lesson	Romans 15:4-13
Sequence Hymn	H 65 - <i>Prepare The Way O Zion</i>
Gospel	Matthew 3:1-12
Sermon	The Rev. Canon Allison Reid
The Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People	BCP 388, Form IV
Confession of Sin	BCP 359
The Peace	BCP 360
Blessings & Announcements	

*We gather at the altar  
in communion  
Not as  
rich or poor  
White or Black  
gay or straight  
conservative or liberal  
this or that type of Christian  
But as  
wounded people in search of God.*

## The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn	SB 130 - <i>Spirit Song</i>
Presentation of Alms	H 380 - <i>Doxology (v3)</i>
Eucharistic Prayer D	BCP 372
Sanctus	SB 130 - <i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Fraction Anthem	H S-161 - <i>Lamb of God</i>
Communion Hymn	SB 18 - <i>Come To The Water</i>
Post Communion Prayer	BCP 365
Blessing	
Recessional Hymn	SB 110 - <i>Glorify Thy Name</i>
Dismissal	BCP 366



**Welcome!** We're glad you're here. Please introduce yourself and stay for coffee and refreshments. Everyone needs a spiritual home, and we hope Saint Mark's will be yours.

## Prayers of the People - Special Intentions

A Prayer for St. Mark's

**Lord, we offer St. Mark's Episcopal Church to you. We are your people; this is your church. We come to you seeking your guidance, your purpose, and your vision. Align our will with yours, so that we will be willing to do whatever it takes to carry out your plan. We ask you to break through in new ways in our church. Pour out your Holy Spirit on us, giving us the vision, boldness, and confidence to do all that you call us to do. AMEN.**

## Events at St. Mark's

### REGULAR EVENTS

Sunday School	Sunday, 9 AM
The Holy Eucharist	Sunday, 10 AM
Spanish Worship	Sunday, 6 PM
Narcotics Anonymous	Wed & Fri, 7 PM
AA Meditation Group	Saturday 9:30 AM
Bible Study	Thursday, 7 PM
Food Pantry	Last Saturday
Care Kits	First Sunday
Vestry Meeting	Third Sunday

### UPCOMING

Advent Book Study	Sun, Nov 27-Dec 18 9 AM
"A Very Merry Christmas"	
Silent Auction	Friday, Dec 2

## LEADERSHIP TEAM 2022

### Clergy


The Rt. Rev. Shannon Rogers Duckworth, Bishop  
The Rev. Canon Allison C. Reid, Priest in Charge  
The Rev. Benjamín Sánchez, Missioner for Latino Ministry

### Staff

Greg Tanner, Music Director  
Mary Gardner, Christian Education  
Donna Hurley, Parish Administrator  
Paul Griffith, Verger  
Matthew Nettles, Acolyte

### Vestry

Maureen Theriot, Sr. Warden (2022)  
Gene Nettles, Jr. Warden (2022)  
Patricia Dixon (2023)  
Fred McCulloch (2023)  
Andrew Nettles (2023)  
Janet Fowler (2024)  
Katie Martin (2024)  
Mary Gardner (2025)  
Marie Giardina (2025)

**Love God. Love Your Neighbor.**  
**Change the World.**   
**The Episcopal Church Welcomes You.**