

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL  
ORDER OF WORSHIP



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

DECEMBER 6, 2015  
8:30 a.m.

900 Broadway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203  
615.255.7729  
christcathedral.org

Cathedral Parish of the  
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

*Proclaim. Seek. Serve.*



## To Visitors

*Welcome! We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer, which is the red book located in the rack on the back of the pew in front of you. The Hymnal is the blue book. Anyone sitting near you will be happy to answer questions about worship at Christ Church Cathedral and opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. Please complete a Visitor's Card and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. You may also visit our website, [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org), to learn more about the Cathedral. Thank you for visiting!*

## HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite II

Voluntary – Chorale prelude on *Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland*, BWV 659  
Savior of the nations, come

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)

### A Penitential Order

HYMN 76 – On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry

*Winchester New*

OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP*, p. 351)

THE DECALOGUE (*BCP*, p. 350)

CONFESSION OF SIN (*BCP*, p. 352)

TRISAGION S 102

*sung three times by all*

*after Archangelsky*

COLLECT OF THE DAY

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.*

FIRST LESSON – Baruch 5:1-9

Take off the garment of your sorrow and affliction, O Jerusalem,  
and put on forever the beauty of the glory from God.

Put on the robe of the righteousness that comes from God;  
put on your head the diadem of the glory of the Everlasting;  
for God will show your splendor everywhere under heaven.

For God will give you evermore the name,  
"Righteous Peace, Godly Glory."

Arise, O Jerusalem, stand upon the height;  
look toward the east,

and see your children gathered from west and east  
at the word of the Holy One,  
rejoicing that God has remembered them.

For they went out from you on foot,  
led away by their enemies;

but God will bring them back to you,  
carried in glory, as on a royal throne.

For God has ordered that every high mountain and the everlasting hills be made low  
and the valleys filled up, to make level ground,  
so that Israel may walk safely in the glory of God.

The woods and every fragrant tree  
have shaded Israel at God's command.

For God will lead Israel with joy,  
in the light of his glory,  
with the mercy and righteousness that come from him.

CANTICLE 16: THE SONG OF ZECHARIAH (Luke 1:68-79)

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 mighty 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.  
  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \*  
    as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

SECOND 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 GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 3:1-6

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.’”

SERMON – The Right Reverend John C. Bauerschmidt

*A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED (*BCP, p. 358*)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, Form IV (*BCP, p. 388*)

THE WELCOMING OF THE BAPTIZED

THE PEACE

## **The Holy Communion**

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM

Comfort, comfort ye my people

Melody - Claude Goudimel  
arr. Michael Velting

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 repentance since the kingdom now is here.  
Oh, 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.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*Eucharistic Prayer B, p. 367*)

Sanctus S 129

Robert Powell

The Lord's Prayer (*BCP, p. 364*)

Agnus Dei S 161

*New Plainsong*

*Please follow the direction of the ushers in order to receive Communion.  
Those who wish to receive the Laying on of Hands and Anointing  
may proceed to the chapel after receiving Communion.*

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

*Please join in the singing of the Communion hymn.*

Hymn 54 - Savior of the nations, come!

*Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland*

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 365*)

BLESSING

HYMN 75 – There’s a voice in the wilderness crying

*Ascension*

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY – Chorale prelude on *Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland* BWV 661  
Savior of the nations, come

Johann Sebastian Bach

ACOLYTES – Molly Edwards, Shelby Edwards, Cade MacMillan, Connor Edwards

ALTAR GUILD – Hosanna Banks, Kathy Morton, Elise McMillan, Terri Scott, Sandra Merritt, Bebe Harton

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER – Arnold Malcolm

FLOWER GUILD – Mary Cook, Peggy Warner

GREETERS – Lyle McLevain, Laura Dossett

HEALING PRAYER – Geoffrey Fleming

LECTORS – Hannah Lavey, Bill Walker

SACRISTAN – John Coleman

USHERS – Teddie Clark, Don Dawson

WAYFARER – Walker Willse

### PRAYERS

**Today we pray for** *Will Chappell, Roberta LaBour, Leigh MacMillan, David Paul Cotton, Linda, Clayton Reeve, Gwyn Turner, Philip Guenzer, Isabell Flynn, Gay Alvarez, Linda Booth, Stacey Nickle, Valerie Middleton, Dot Benneyworth, Beth Allen, Eleanor Dew, and Christopher Theodosiou.* **We pray also for those who have died,** especially Dorothy Tinsley Massey, mother of Scott Massey, and Victor Emeliantsev, brother of Christine Adamczyk.

**Nashville Food Project** (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) brings people together to grow, cook, and share nourishing food, with the goals of cultivating community and alleviating hunger in our city.

### FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

Hearing assistance devices are available at the reception desk for use during worship. It is recommended that you bring your own earphones or ear buds for personal comfort.

### CATHEDRAL TOURS

Tours are available to parishioners and visitors following the closing organ voluntary on Sunday mornings. Please join a guide at the front of the Church near the lectern.

**ADULT CLASSES TODAY, DECEMBER 6**

**9:45-10:45 A.M.**

**Adult Classes:**

**Dean's Forum**

Led by The Rt. Rev. John C. Bauerschmidt

**Centering Prayer**

*Centering Prayer and Inner Awakening*, by Cynthia Bourgeault

Led by Arlene Wilson (Cathedral Annex Building)

**Faith & Family Matters**

Everyone is invited to attend the Dean's Forum.

**Sitting with Scripture: Lectionary Readings for Listening Ears**

Led by Ben Curtis, Lyonel Gilmer, Keith Meador, and Rod Murray (Room 4, Undercroft)

**Sunday Book Study**

Everyone is invited to attend the Dean's Forum.

**ADULT CLASSES NEXT SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13**

**9:45-10:45 A.M.**

**Adult Classes:**

**Dean's Forum**

Will not meet on December 13. Everyone is invited to attend the Alternative Gift Market in the Parish Hall.

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**Sunday Book Study**

*Jesus for President*, by Shane Claiborne

Led by David Long (Cathedral Annex Building)

**SERMON NOTES:**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CHRISTMAS PAGEANT AND COMMUNITY SUPPER TODAY, DECEMBER 6, 5:00 P.M.

Calling all wise men and women, shepherds, angels, barnyard animals and musicians! Everyone is invited to attend this sweet and impromptu production that celebrates the birth of Jesus. The pageant will begin at 5:00 p.m., with dinner to follow at 5:30 p.m. for those with reservations.



## EYC SWEET SHOP AND CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT

Today the Youth of Christ Church Cathedral will be selling Christmas ornaments as a year-end fundraiser. Come find the EYC Sweet Shop in the Wheeler Room before the Liturgies or during the Coffee Minute. All proceeds help to support and further the youth ministry program.



## ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF LESSONS & CAROLS Sunday, December 13, 4:00 p.m.



### Sung by the Cathedral Choir and Senior Choristers

Directed by Canon Dr. Michael Velting, Organist and Choirmaster  
Michael Gebhart, Assistant Organist & Choirmaster, organ

*Childcare provided.*

*A reception will follow.*

Christ Church Cathedral - 2015  
Alternative Christmas Gift Market  
In Honor of Lauren McCathren



**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13**

**9:45 A.M.-1:00 P.M.**

**PARISH HALL**

Redefine Christmas this year  
Give a gift of Love  
Make a donation to a local or global charity  
in honor of family and friends.

**MAKE A CHOICE • MAKE A CHANGE • MAKE A DIFFERENCE**  
**MAKE THIS CHRISTMAS MORE MEANINGFUL!**

Participate in this year's Alternative Christmas Gift Market.

**Order online through December 16**  
**at [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org)**

Note: We accept debit and credit cards.

Please contact

Melanie Leader at [melleader@comcast.net](mailto:melleader@comcast.net) or 615.429.8483

Claire Evans at [evans.claire@gmail.com](mailto:evans.claire@gmail.com), or 615.554.8382 for more information.

If you would like to volunteer, contact  
Susie Ries at [susiewries@gmail.com](mailto:susiewries@gmail.com)

## JOIN THE CATHEDRAL'S FOURTH ANNUAL JESSE TREE VISITS

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19**  
**1:00 P.M.**



The Cathedral will deliver Jesse trees to ill or infirm members of the parish. This is a wonderful way to share the love of Christ with members of our parish family who have been unable to come to the Cathedral to worship. Please consider gathering your family or a group of friends and come to the Cathedral on Saturday, December 19, at 1 p.m. for refreshments and hymn singing before being sent out to make your visit. If you would like to make a visit to a parishioner or have a family member who would like to receive a Jesse tree, please contact the Reverend Canon Gene Manning at [gmanning@christcathedral.org](mailto:gmanning@christcathedral.org).

## Earwave Productions and Christ Church Cathedral proudly present the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual NASHVILLE UNLIMITED CHRISTMAS CONCERT

A Benefit for Room In The Inn  
**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15**  
**7:00 p.m.**

Seating is first come, first served  
Suggested minimum donation: \$20.

*Come share the spirit...*



## NIGHT OF LIGHT A Liturgy of Hope and Healing

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16**  
**6:30 P.M.**

As the Church anticipates the birth of the Christ child and the world rushes through the "holiday" season, sadness and grief often come calling. Memories and losses, past and present, may become overwhelming. This time of year with all of its busyness is difficult to maneuver, even in the best of times, but for those who are heavy of heart it is ever more painful. On Wednesday, December 16, we shall gather in the Nave for the *Night of Light* Liturgy to acknowledge the suffering of God's people and the coming of the One true Light into the world to guide us through the darkness. This time of worship will include scripture readings, prayers, silence, the celebration of the Holy Eucharist, music, and the lighting of candles. Please plan to attend this Liturgy as we offer our hearts to God and as we wait, hope, and heal. For more information, please contact the Reverend Canon Gene Manning, [gmanning@christcathedral.org](mailto:gmanning@christcathedral.org).

## ICON WRITING WORKSHOP JANUARY 25-29

Writing icons is an ancient contemplative, spiritual practice dating back to the early Christian church. Create an icon in this week-long workshop led by iconographer Teresa Harrison. \$495 includes all materials and lunch. Registration deadline is December 20. Contact Susan Dupont, [susan.dupont@gmail.com](mailto:susan.dupont@gmail.com) or 615-828-1948.

TO SUPPORT THE MINISTRIES AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, GO TO [christcathedral.org/give](http://christcathedral.org/give).



**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** The Wednesday Bible Study is continuing this week, at 11 a.m. in the Wheeler Room. The focus will be the apocalyptic literature found in Holy Scripture. We will look at Ezekiel, Daniel, Mark 13 and the Revelation to John. Please join us for this lively time of conversation and study.

**SCRIPTURE, SAINTS AND SONG:** Scripture, Saints, and Song will meet on Thursday, December 10, from 4:15 to 4:45 p.m. in the Nave. Ages 3 years old to 3rd grade.

**CHURCH IN THE YARD (CITY): TODAY, DECEMBER 6, 2:00 P.M.** Every first Sunday of the month at 2 p.m., Christ Church Cathedral serves a meal to the hungry at the Church of the Holy Trinity (615 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. S.). You are invited to come and assist in this servant ministry. For more information, please contact Anna Masi at [annamasi01@gmail.com](mailto:annamasi01@gmail.com).

**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS AND MUSIC:** If you would like to give a gift for flowers in the Chancel or music to celebrate Christmas in memory of or in thanksgiving for family or friends, please send a check to the Cathedral in an envelope marked Christmas Flowers, c/o Peggy Tucker. or Christmas Music c/o Michael Velting. For questions about flowers, contact Peggy Tucker at [ptucker@christcathedral.org](mailto:ptucker@christcathedral.org). For questions about music, contact Michael Velting at [mvelting@christcathedral.org](mailto:mvelting@christcathedral.org) or Michael Gebhart at [mgebhart@christcathedral.org](mailto:mgebhart@christcathedral.org). **The deadline for inclusion in the Christmas Order of Worship is Monday, December 7.**

**JOURNEY IN FAITH** Wednesdays, Cathedral Annex Building, 6 p.m. *For All Newcomers and Inquirers:* Are you interested in baptism, confirmation, or simply learning more about being a Christian in the Episcopal Church? Are you coming to Christ Church Cathedral from another tradition or from another Episcopal Church? *Journey in Faith is for you!*

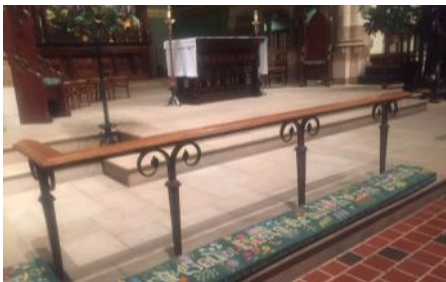
## NEW ALTAR RAIL

Given to the Glory of God and in Memory of  
Anne Nichols Caldwell

A new altar rail, placed at the front of the newly designed chancel space, was given by Wentworth Caldwell and family in memory of his mother, Anne Nichols Caldwell. She was born in El Paso, Colorado, and married James E. Caldwell, Jr. in El Paso in 1899. Mrs. Caldwell died in Nashville on September 28, 1963.

The iron design was inspired by the altar rail at the Speyer Cathedral in Germany. Wood from the original 1894 altar rail was used in fabrication of the new altar rail by Herndon & Merry Ornamental Metalwork of Nashville in 1992.

*By Fletch Coke, Cathedral Archivist*



*The Cathedral Archives have assembled a detailed report of all gifts, memorials, and bequests from 1831 through 2014. This material was produced through research of the vestry minutes, church bulletins, newsletters, and the annual reports of Christ Church Cathedral and Davidson County will records. For more information, go to [archives.christcathedral.org](http://archives.christcathedral.org) or refer to the Book of Remembrance in the Wheeler Room.*

## EVERY MEMBER CANVASS 2016

*"Where there is no vision, the people perish."*

*Proverbs 29:18*

The 2016 Every Member Canvass has received \$1,389,327 so far, which is 66% of our goal of \$2.1 million. 55% of pledging households have increased their pledge. Many thanks to all who have pledged. If you have not yet recorded a pledge, please consider giving of your first fruits as a visible sign of thanksgiving and praise. Please pledge online at [christcathedral.org/give](http://christcathedral.org/give) or mail your pledge card to the Cathedral business office at 900 Broadway, Nashville 37203. Every gift, large and small, contributes to the building up of the Kingdom of God at Christ Church Cathedral. Pledge today!

## SUGGESTIONS FOR CATHEDRAL VESTRY MEMBERS

The election of the Christ Church Cathedral Vestry class of 2019 will begin at the end of January. The Vestry Nominating Committee is presently seeking suggestions of Cathedral parishioners who might serve well on the Vestry. Suggested individuals must be at least 18 years old and confirmed members of Christ Church Cathedral. Members of the retiring class of the Vestry, including Chris Hansen, Scott Hoffman, Anna Grimes Noser, Marian Ott, and Pete Stringer, are ineligible, as are members of the previous class, including Lawrence Blank-Cook, Susan Hudson, Kristine LaLonde, Paul Myers, and Daniel Schafer. Please give prayerful thought to suggesting fellow parishioners who might serve the Cathedral well as Vestry members and forward the names to **Chris Hansen at [christinashansen@comcast.net](mailto:christinashansen@comcast.net)**. **The deadline for suggesting individuals is today.** The Vestry Nominating Committee will then finalize a slate of 10 nominees, according to the approved Vestry Election Procedures, "two nominees for each vacancy on the Vestry, bearing in mind the age and gender distribution of the parish."

## WINTER SYMPOSIUM

January 15-17

**"What If Jesus Meant What He Said"**

Featuring Shane Claiborne

Using biographical stories to animate Biblical truths, Shane Claiborne will offer his version of God's revolution. A revolution that is gentle and magnetic, and big enough to set both the oppressed and the oppressors free.



**Friday, January 15, 2016**

Reception 5:30, Dinner 6:00, Program 7:00 - 8:30

**Saturday, January 16, 2016**

Lecture 9:00 - 12:00

Reservations are required by January 11.

Please go to <http://goo.gl/qnNT7B> for reservations.

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**DETAILS COMING SOON!**

## CATHEDRAL ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

February 26-28, 2016 at Montgomery Bell State Park

**HAVE YOU REMEMBERED CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL IN YOUR WILL?**

## Advent 2015 at the Cathedral

### Sunday, November 29, 2015

7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45-10:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### First Sunday of Advent

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Advent Event (No Church School classes)  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Breaking Bread @6

### Thursday, December 3, 2015

6:15 p.m.

### Christ Church Cathedral Hockey Night

Meet in the A parking lot and walk to the Bridgestone Arena. Call 615-255.7729 for ticket information.

### Friday, December 4, 2015

7:00 p.m.

### Diocesan Youth Nightwatch

### Saturday, December 5, 2015

6:30 p.m.

### Downtown Caroling

Contact Josh Rich at [Joshua.a.rich@me.com](mailto:Joshua.a.rich@me.com) to sign up.

### Sunday, December 6, 2015

7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45-10:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
5:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### Second Sunday of Advent

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Welcoming of the Baptized—Bishop Bauerschmidt)  
Christian Education  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Welcoming of the Baptized—Bishop Bauerschmidt)  
Christmas Pageant and Community Supper  
Breaking Bread @6

### Sunday, December 13, 2015

7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45-10:45 a.m.  
9:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
4:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### Third Sunday of Advent

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Christian Education  
Alternative Christmas Gift Market  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Annual Festival of Lessons & Carols  
Breaking Bread@ 6

### Tuesday, December 15, 2015

7:00 p.m.

### Nashville Unlimited

Benefit Concert for Room In The Inn  
Suggested donation \$20

### Wednesday, December 16, 2015

6:30 p.m.

### A Night of Light

*A Liturgy of Hope and Healing*

### Saturday, December 19, 2015

1:00 p.m.

### Saint Thomas, Apostle and Evangelist

Jesse Tree Fellowship Time and Visits

### Sunday, December 20, 2015

7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45-10:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### Fourth Sunday in Advent

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Christian Education  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Breaking Bread @6

## 2015-2016 Christmastide at the Cathedral

### Thursday, December 24, 2015

7:15 a.m.  
12:15 p.m.  
4:00 p.m.  
11:00 p.m.

### Eve of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

Morning Prayer  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Childcare provided)  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Childcare provided)  
Solemn Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Music begins at 10:15 p.m.)

### Friday, December 25, 2015

10:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.

### The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Blessing of the Children

### Sunday, December 27, 2015

7:00 a.m.  
10:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### First Sunday after Christmas Day

Holy Eucharist, Rite I, with Carols  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II, with Carols  
Breaking Bread @6

### Monday, December 28, 2015

12:15 p.m.

### The Holy Innocents

Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Tuesday, December 29, 2015

12:15 p.m.

### 5th Day of Christmas

Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Wednesday, December 30, 2015

12:15 p.m.

### 6th Day of Christmas

Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Thursday, January 31, 2015

12:15 p.m.

### 7th Day of Christmas

Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Friday, January 1, 2016

12:15 p.m.

### The Holy Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ

Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Sunday, January 3, 2016

7:00 a.m.  
10:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### Second Sunday after Christmas

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
Breaking Bread @6

### Monday, January 4, 2016

7:15 a.m.  
12:15 p.m.

### 11th Day of Christmas

Morning Prayer  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

### Tuesday, January 5, 2016

7:15 a.m.  
12:15 p.m.

### 12th Day of Christmas

Morning Prayer  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Chapel)

Cathedral offices will be closed December 25 and January 1.

The Cathedral will be open Saturday, December 26, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

The Cathedral offices will be open Monday, December 28; Tuesday, December 29; Wednesday, December 30; and Thursday, December 31 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer (except December 28 through January 1)

No breakfast will be served on December 27.

Regular office hours will resume on Monday, January 4, 2016.

Regular Liturgies and Christian Education will resume on Sunday, January 10, 2016.

# CALENDAR

## SUNDAY, December 6

### *Advent 2*

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute  
5:00 p.m. – Christmas Pageant & Supper  
6:00 p.m. – Breaking Bread Liturgy

## MONDAY, December 7

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

## TUESDAY, December 8

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting  
5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer

## Wednesday, December 9

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
8:30 a.m. – EfM  
11:00 a.m. – Bible Study  
4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers  
6:00 p.m. – Journey In Faith

## THURSDAY, December 10

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer  
4:15-4:45 p.m. – Scripture, Saints, and Song  
5:30 p.m. – Room In The Inn  
7:00-9:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

## FRIDAY, December 11

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

## SATURDAY, December 12

10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

## SUNDAY, December 13

### *Advent III*

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
9:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Alternative Gift Market  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer  
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute  
4:00 p.m. – Festival of Lessons & Carols  
6:00 p.m. – Breaking Bread Liturgy

## FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

### 8:30 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

#### CELEBRANT & PREACHER

The Right Reverend John C. Bauerschmidt, *Bishop of Tennessee*

#### ASSISTING

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

The Reverend William Mostert

BJ Heyboer, *Seminarian*

Melinda Balser, *Seminarian*

#### MUSICIANS

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, *Organist and Choirmaster*

Michael Gebhart, *Assistant Organist and Choirmaster*

The Cathedral Choristers

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## CATHEDRAL VESTRY

### 2016

Chris Hansen  
Scott Hoffman (Senior Warden)  
Anna Grimes Noser (Clerk)  
Marian Ott  
Pete Stringer (Junior Warden)

### 2017

Don Dawson  
Donald McKenzie  
Jon Stanley  
Monica Urness  
Ellen Wright

### 2018

David Berndt  
Sam Bessey  
Trey Caroland  
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Arnold Malcolm

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