

# CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

## ORDER OF WORSHIP



### SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

#### A SOLEMN CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

DECEMBER 9, 2018  
11:00 a.m.

900 Broadway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203  
615.255.7729  
[christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org)

Cathedral Parish of the  
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

*Proclaim. Seek. Serve.*





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.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

CANTICLE 16 (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. **Refrain**  
 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. **Refrain**  
 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. **Refrain**  
 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. **Refrain**  
 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. **Refrain**

THE NEW TESTAMENT 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.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

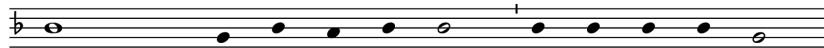
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 444 – Blessed be the God of Israel

*Thornbury*

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 3:1-6

*Gospeller*



The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je - sus Christ ac - cord - ing to Luke.

*People*



Glo - ry 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.’”

*Gospeller*



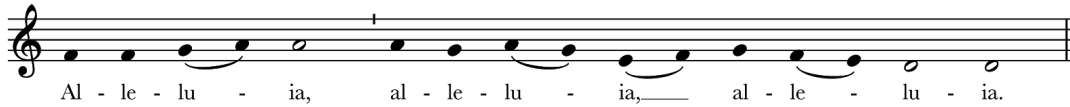
The Gos - pel of the Lord.

*People*



Praise to you, Lord Christ.

ALLELUIA VERSE



*Prepare the way of the Lord; make his paths straight; and all flesh shall see the salvation of our God.*  
*Luke 3:4-6*

THE SERMON – The Right Reverend John C. Bauerschmidt  
*A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

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

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM I (*BCP, p. 383*)

*Lector* Let us pray to the Lord.  
*People* **Lord, have mercy.**

THE WELCOMING OF BAPTIZED CHRISTIANS (*See insert*)

THE PEACE

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM

Advent Carol

*Veni, O Sapientiae*  
arr. William Bausano  
(b. 1950)

O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel,  
that mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! O Israel! To thee shall come Emmanuel!

O come, O come, free thine own from Satan's tyranny.  
From hell, O save, and give them victory o'er the grave.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! O Israel! To thee shall come Emmanuel!

O come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer our spirits by thine advent here.  
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night, and death's dark shadows put to flight.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! O Israel! To thee shall come Emmanuel!

O come, O come, thou Lord of Might, who to thy tribes on Sinai's height  
in ancient times didst give the law, in cloud and majesty, and awe.  
Rejoice! Rejoice! O Israel! To thee shall come Emmanuel!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*BCP, p. 367 B*)

Sursum Corda

*Celebrant* *People*  
The Lord be with you. And also with you.

*Celebrant* *People*  
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

*Celebrant*  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*  
It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Sanctus S 124

*New Plainsong*

David Hurd

The Lord's Prayer

*Sung by all*

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed be thy Name,  
thy king - dom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our dai - ly bread.  
And for - give us our tres - pas - ses, as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us.  
And lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us from e - vil.  
For thine is the king - dom, and the power, and the glo - ry,  
for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

The Breaking of the Bread (*BCP, p. 364*)

Agnus Dei S 161

*New Plainsong*

David Hurd

*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

Anthem

People, look East

*Besançon Carol Tune*  
arr. Barry Ferguson  
(b. 1951)

People, look East, the time is near  
of the crowning of the year.  
Make your house fair as you are able,  
trim the hearth and set the table.  
People, look East and sing today:  
Love the Guest is on the way.

Furrows, be glad, though earth is bare,  
one more seed is planted there.  
Give up your strength the seed to nourish,  
that in course the flower may flourish.  
People, look East and sing today:  
Love the Rose is on the way.

Stars, keep the watch, when night is dim  
one more light the bowl shall brim,  
shining beyond the frosty weather,  
bright as sun and moon together.  
People, look East and sing today:  
Love the Star is on the way.

Angels, announce to man and beast  
him who cometh from the East.  
Set every peak and valley humming  
with the Word, the Lord is coming.  
People, look East and sing today:  
Love the Lord is on the way.

*Eleanor Farjeon*

*Please join in singing the Communion hymn.*

Hymn 75 – There's a voice in the wilderness crying

*Ascension*

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 365*)

BLESSING

HYMN 65 – Prepare the way, O Zion

*Bereden väg för Herran*

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY

Chorale prelude on *Savior of the nations, come* (BWV 661)

Johann Sebastian Bach



ACOLYTES – Andrew Farrer, Paige Treybig, Ivy Treybig  
ALTAR GUILD – Hosanna Banks, Elise McMillan, Susan Canon, Susan Standbrook, Dede Clements  
DECALOGUE LECTOR – Poni Jelleh  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER – Brian Jackson  
EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR – Tameron Hedge  
FLOWER GUILD – Alicia Gurley, Katrina Farrer  
HEALING PRAYER – Susan Hudson  
LECTORS – Roger Moore, Bob Allen, Gary Smith  
SACRISTAN – Kris Moore  
THURIFER – Dan Smith  
USHERS – John Bridges (Head Usher), Ginny McCoy, Roland Schneller, Cynthia Tyler  
VERGER – Win Bassett  
WAYFARER – Ed Miller

### PRAYERS

**Today we pray for** Katheryn Stevens, Wes Green, Anna Russell Friedman, Susan Dupont, Jack Bridges, Linda Cotton, Ryan, Melvin, and Anne Moore.

**We pray also for those who have died, especially** Karen Ellison, sister-in-law of Peggy Tucker, and aunt of Andrea Tucker.

**This week we also pray for Magdalene Ministries**, providing residential support for women with a history of prostitution and addiction. Residents at Magdalene run a cottage industry known as Thistle Farms.

## SERMON NOTES:

## SERMON NOTES:

FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2018  
II:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

CELEBRANT AND PREACHER

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

DEACON

The Venerable Roger Saterstrom, *Archdeacon*

ASSISTING

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

The Reverend Matthew W. Lewis, *Assistant to the Rector*

MUSICIANS

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, *Organist and Choirmaster*

Joseph O'Berry, *Assistant Organist and Choirmaster*

The Cathedral Choir

Names and contact information for the Cathedral staff  
may be found at [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org)

CATHEDRAL VESTRY

**2019**

Tameron Hedge  
Roger Moore (Senior Warden)  
David Morton  
Caroline Rossini (Junior Warden)  
Katy Sheesley

**2020**

Catherine Clark  
Charlie Cook III  
Mary Herbert Kelly  
Gibson Prichard  
Anna Rodriguez Masi

**2021**

Win Bassett  
Wyeth Burgess  
Becca Ingle  
Ken King (Clerk)  
Trone Sawyer

Dale Maxfield (Treasurer)

**FOLLOW US**

[info@christcathedral.org](mailto:info@christcathedral.org) | [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org) | [youth.christcathedral.org](http://youth.christcathedral.org)  
ChristCathedralNashville (Facebook) | @christcathedral (Twitter) | @christcathedralnashville (Instagram)  
ChristCathedralNash (YouTube)

*A Center for the Community of the Cross of Nails*

*Printed on recycled paper*