



ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
The Fourth Sunday of Advent
December 19, 2021

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR

The Fourth Sunday of Advent

PRELUDE

Maria zart — Gentle Mary
Arnolt Schlick (c1455–after 1521)

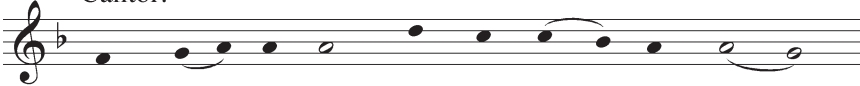
Savior of the nations, come
Nicolas Bruhns (1665–1697)

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

INTROIT FOR THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT


Rorate celi
chant, adapt. Stratman

Cantor:



Rain down on us, hea - vens from on high;
Ro - ra - te *cæ - li de - su - per,*

ALL:



you clouds, pour forth the Just One.
et nu - bes plu - ant Ius - tum.

SPRINKLING RITE

Asperges me
Mode VII, adapt. Stratman



O wash me, Lord.

OPENING PRAYER (COLLECT)

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

Micah 5:1-4a

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 80
Michel Guimont (b. 1952)



Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

SECOND READING

Hebrews 10:5-10

ALLELUIA

New Plainsong Mass
David Hurd (b. 1950)



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL READING

Luke 1:39-45

HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

[ALL BOW]

and by the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

[ALL STAND UPRIGHT]

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
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.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Jacques Berthier (1923–1994)



The Liturgy of the Eucharist

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

(10:00)

Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners
now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Ave Maria

Jacob Handl (1550–1591)

(Sunday evening)

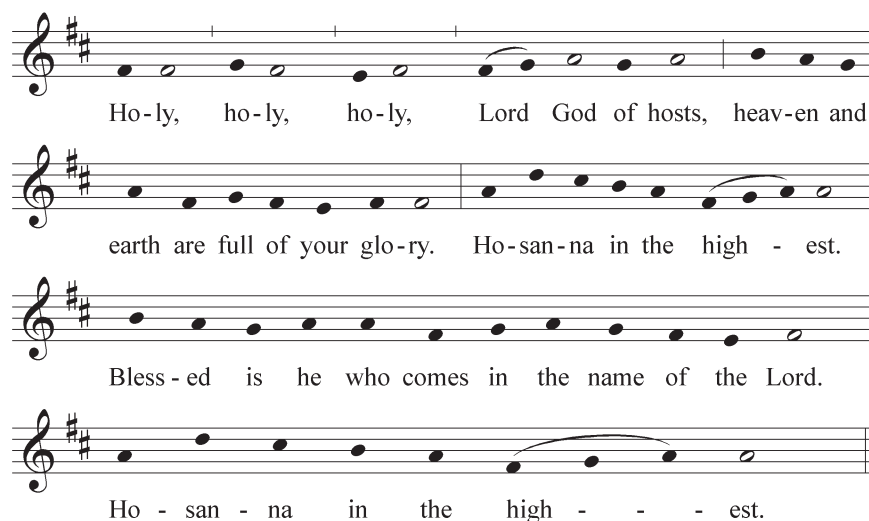
Come, thou Redeemer of the earth

Barry Rose (b. 1934)

SANCTUS

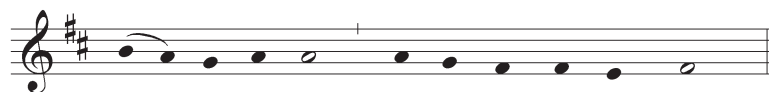
New Plainsong Mass

David Hurd





We pro-claim your death, O Lord, and pro-fess your



Res - ur - rec-tion un - til you come a - gain.

AMEN

David Hurd



A - men, A - men, A - men.

LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

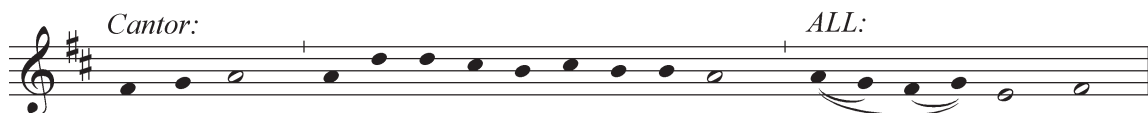
David Hurd



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Please kneel following the Lamb of God and remain kneeling until it is time for your row to go forward for Holy Communion.

COMMUNION

Ecce virgo concipiet

Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and his name shall be called Emmanuel.

chant, Mode I

(10:00)

Gabriel's Message

Basque Carol, arr. Stephen Paulus (1949–2014)

The angel Gabriel from heaven came, His wings as drifted snow, his eyes as flame.

"All hail!" said he, "thou lowly maiden Mary,

Most highly favored lady." Gloria!

"For known a blessed Mother thou shalt be, All generations laud and honor thee,

Thy Son shall be Emmanuel, by seers foretold.

Most highly favored lady." Gloria!

The gentle Mary meekly bowed her head, "To me be as it pleaseth God," she said,

"My soul shall laud and magnify His holy name."

Most highly favored lady. Gloria!

(Sunday Evening)

Magnificat anima mea

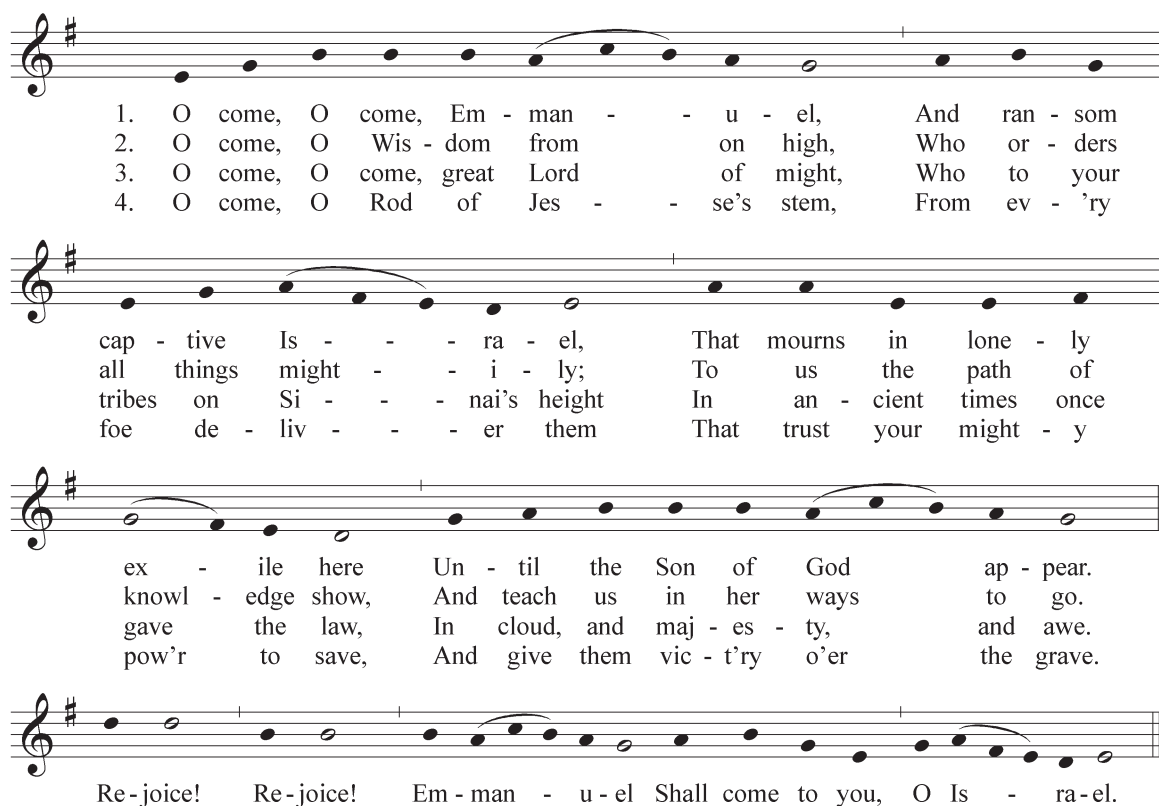
TON ROYALE

Upon returning to your place after Holy Communion, **please kneel or be seated.**

Low-gluten hosts are distributed at the credence table near the presider's chair.

HYMN OF PRAISE

O come, O come Emmanuel
VENI EMMANUEL



1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And ran - som
 2. O come, O Wis - dom from on high, Who or - ders
 3. O come, O come, great Lord of might, Who to your
 4. O come, O Rod of Jes - se's stem, From ev - 'ry

cap - tive Is - - - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly
 all things might - - i - ly; To us the path of
 tribes on Si - - - nai's height In an - cient times once
 foe de - liv - - - er them That trust your might - y

ex - ile here Un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
 knowl - edge show, And teach us in her ways to go.
 gave the law, In cloud, and maj - es - ty, and awe.
 pow'r to save, And give them vic - t'ry o'er the grave.

Re-joice! Re-joice! Em - man - u - el Shall come to you, O Is - ra - el.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

PROCESSION

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend Paul D. Etienne, Archbishop of Seattle

PASTOR

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Reverend Alex Pablo

IN RESIDENCE

Reverend David A. Brant

PASTORAL ASSISTANT for ADMINISTRATION

Lawrence N. Brouse (206-382-4280)

FAITH FORMATION

John Marquez, Interim Director of RCIA (206-654-4640)

John Simpson, Faith Formation (206-654-4658)

Andrew Casad, Children's Faith Formation (206-274-3108)

Jennifer Wong, Faith Mentors & Faith Friends (206-619-0816)

Theresa Van de Ven, Administrative Assistant (206-219-5822)

LITURGY

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Nancy Granger, Parish Mental Health Nurse (206-382-4269)

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Patrick Suhrbier, Senior Immigrant Legal Services

Sayuko Setvik, Tutoring Coordinator

Laura Murton, Immigration Legal Coordinator

Erica de Klerk, Refugee Welcome Coordinator

Marina Ortiz, Immigrant Legal Services Assistant

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Maria Laughlin, Director (206-382-4284)

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YOUTH MINISTRY

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Bev Mauser, Louise Mennella, Wedding Coordinators

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Tang Nguyen, Facilities Supervisor (206-264-2087)

Alan Frasher, Michelle Lazo, Lino Nillas

CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS

MASS

Sundays 8:00am - 10:00am - 12 Noon - 5:30pm

Weekdays 8:00am (M, T, W, Th, F, S) & 12:10pm (M, W, F)

Saturdays 8:00am & "Vigil" 5:30pm

VESPERS and BENEDICTION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sundays at 4:00pm

CONFESSIONS/SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays, 8:30am-9:30am (following 8:00am Mass) and by appointment

BAPTISM Communal celebrations are held monthly. A preparation program for parents and godparents is required. Contact Theresa Van de Ven for information, 206-219-5822.

MARRIAGE Registered parishioners may begin the scheduling process up to 14 months in advance. Contact Margaret Lynch, 206-382-4288 or mlynch@stjames-cathedral.org.

ANointing of the SICK In case of serious illness, impending surgery, or advanced age, please call the parish office. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick should not be delayed until the person is unconscious or in imminent danger of death. Call the parish office for information.

FUNERALS for parishioners, contact Corinna Laughlin, 206-264-2086

CATHEDRAL COLUMBARIUM Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm.

After-hours Emergency answering service for parishioners: 206-467-3049

804 Ninth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104

Telephone: 206-622-3559 FAX: 206-622-5303

Website: www.stjames-cathedral.org

WELCOME, VISITORS! *If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese.*

The Fourth Sunday of Advent December 19, 2021

ON THE COVER *Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled.* Our Lady of Seattle (detail). Cathedral Chapel.

NATIONAL HOMELESS PERSONS' MEMORIAL DAY VIGIL Tuesday, December 21, 4:21pm at Seattle City Hall Plaza (4th and James). So far in 2021, 170 homeless people have died outside, in public or by violence. This represents a shattering record. Come together on the Winter Solstice, the longest night of the year, designated by the National Coalition for the Homeless as "National Homeless Persons' Memorial Day." Stand in vigil on the steps of Seattle City Hall to remember all of the year's deaths.

CATHEDRAL DEDICATION ANNIVERSARY

Wednesday, December 22 marks 114 years since St. James Cathedral was dedicated in 1907, and 27 years since it was rededicated in 1994. We will celebrate this anniversary with a special Mass on Tuesday, December 21 at 5:30pm, with the procession and lighting of the dedication candles. On Wednesday, December 22, Archbishop Etienne will join us for the 12:10pm Mass during which we will formally bless and dedicate the Cathedral Columbarium.

CHRISTMAS MASSES The celebration of Christmas begins with the Vigil Mass of Christmas at 5:30pm on Friday, December 24, and continues with the Mass during the Night—Carol Service at 9:00pm, Mass at 10:00pm. The Masses of Christmas Day on Saturday, December 25 will be 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 Noon, and 5:30pm. Solemn Vespers of Christmas will be at 4:00pm on Christmas Day. *Socially distanced seating is available for the Masses of Christmas Day ONLY; no distanced seating is available at Masses of Christmas Eve.* Information, Caroline Okello, cokello@stjames-cathedral.org.

HOLY FAMILY SUNDAY Next Sunday, December 26, we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. Masses will be at 8:00am, 10:00am, and 12 Noon, as usual, with Vespers at 4:00pm. The Cathedral will close following Vespers. **PLEASE NOTE: There will be no 5:30pm evening Mass on Sunday, December 26.**

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY The Parish Office will be closed for the holiday on Friday, December 24 and Monday, December 27. The Cathedral Kitchen will be open and serving as usual on December 24 and 27.

PARISH REMEMBRANCE *Throughout the year, because we are the Cathedral Church, we remember in prayer at Mass and Vespers each of the parishes and missions of the Archdiocese of Seattle on a Sunday near their feast day.* This week we pray for the parishes of St. Stephen the Martyr in Renton, Prince of Peace Mission in Belfair, and St. Mary in Anacortes and Marysville.

BECOMING CATHOLIC How do I become Catholic? What must I do? How do I get started? There will be a Zoom meeting on Wednesday, January 5, 2022, at 7pm to answer these questions and talk about the process of becoming Catholic. *Information*, John Marquez, 206-654-4640, jmarquez@stjames-cathedral.org.

WELCOME BACK is an invitation to take another look at the Catholic Church for those who, for one reason or another, have been away. If you yourself – or someone you know – is disillusioned, longing for community, or hungry for something more, Welcome Back might be just the right place to safely express these concerns. A new six week series will begin Thursday, January 20. *Information*, John Simpson, 206-654-4658 or jsimpson@stjames-cathedral.org.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL THANKS YOU for your donations to the special collection taken for SVdP on the third Sunday of the month. Without your support, we could not provide material aid to residents of St James parish who call the SVdP Helpline (206-767-6449 or apply online at <https://svdpseattle.org/get-help/online-help-request-form/>). Whether you drop a single dollar bill or many dollars into the SVdP collection basket, mail us a check, or donate to SVdP at the St James website online, know that you are assisting our neighbors in need. Each time we visit one of those neighbors, we have the privilege of accepting their deep gratitude for your help. Thank you! *Information*, Jo Ann Wiesner, 206-291-4012 or wiesnerjo@gmail.com

ADVENT GIVING TREE AND SOCK DRIVE Thank you to all who participated in this year's Advent Giving Tree, through your gifts and your prayers. Because of your generosity, hundreds of children, young people and families will have reason to rejoice this Christmas! The annual "Warm Hearts and Soles" Advent Sock Drive continues until the end of the year. Our Goal: 2,022 pairs of socks for homeless men. Socks may be dropped off in the Cathedral Chapel or Bookstore or shipped to the Parish Office. *Information*, Patrick Barredo, 206-382-4515 or pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org. Thank you!

HEALTHY BODY, HEALTHY MIND, HEALTHY PLANET Save the date! Thursday, January 20 from 7-8pm via Zoom. Are you looking to make a positive change in the New Year? If you would like to learn about practical, effective ways to enhance your health and the health of the planet, come join our "Healthy Body, Healthy Mind, Healthy Planet" program. *Information*, Blake Steller, blsteller@gmail.com.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR CAREGIVERS OF ADULT CHILDREN WITH MENTAL ILLNESS Caring for a loved one with mental illness can be a draining experience. Connecting with others who are experiencing a similar situation can be very helpful. Mindful Alternative Family Support Group has been meeting at St. James under the leadership of Terry Proctor for over 7 years. Terry and his wife are parents of an adult son who lives with a serious mental health condition. The group meets monthly on Zoom, on the last Saturday at 2:30pm. *Information*, Terry Proctor, mindfulalternative@gmail.com.

AS WE ENTER THE HOLIDAY SEASON, it is a good time to remember all those for whom depression, anxiety and other mental health challenges make this season difficult. If you or a loved one would like to access mental health and spiritual support, consider attending NAMI's Spiritual Support Group for those who use spirituality in their journey to mental health recovery. The group is open to both individuals living with a mental illness and their family members. This group is facilitated by husband-wife team, Joe and Janie Stevens, who have personal experience with mental illness. This group has been ongoing at St. Brendan's Parish in Bothell for many years and is now accessible online. 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 7-8:30pm. *Information*, Joe Stevens, stevensfmly@msn.com.

VOLUNTEER TUTORS FOR IMMIGRANTS Do you have a few hours each week to help an immigrant learn English? No prior tutoring or teaching experience necessary. All tutoring is currently done remotely. Immigrant Assistance staff provide ongoing support. *Information*, Sayuko Setvik, ssetvik@stjames-cathedral.org.

VOLUNTEER SOMALI INTERPRETER NEEDED Do you speak Somali or know someone who does? Immigrant Assistance is seeking a Somali speaker who can help with communication between staff, tutors, and students. *Information*, Sayuko Setvik, ssetvik@stjames-cathedral.org.

FAITH FRIENDS Do you know a child or teen age 7-18 with physical, cognitive and/or intellectual disabilities? Faith Friends begins in January 2022 and will be a unique blend of our Faith Mentor, Children's Faith Formation program, and an inclusion ministry. *Information*, faithfriends@stjames-cathedral.org or <https://stjames-faithfriends.weebly.com>.

TEEN, YOUNG ADULT AND ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FAITH FRIENDS MINISTRY The program's goal is to give children and teens ages 7-18 with physical, cognitive and intellectual disabilities access to the parish community, social events, and faith formation. Perhaps the most unique aspect of the Faith Friends program is the Faith Peer program. Faith Peers are teens and young adults who have chosen to live out their discipleship and share some of their personal time in dedication and service to the goals of the program. Adult volunteers are needed for the Adult Leadership team. Training for Faith Mentors, Faith Peers and Adult Leadership is ongoing. *Information*, faithfriends@stjames-cathedral.org or <https://stjames-faithfriends.weebly.com>.

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL ON SOCIAL MEDIA Be sure to follow the Cathedral on social media for up-to-date information about ongoing events in the life of the Cathedral! On Instagram: [@stjamescathedral](https://www.instagram.com/stjamescathedral). On Facebook and Twitter: [@stjamesseattle](https://www.facebook.com/stjamesseattle). The Cathedral has a podcast as well! Search "St. James Cathedral, Seattle" on Apple podcasts or visit <https://stjamescathedral.simplecast.com>. And of course, you can always visit www.stjames-cathedral.org for up to date information on Cathedral happenings, or to sign up for our weekly e-bulletin.

Christmas Masses 2021

at ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL



Friday, December 24, 2021

5:30pm *

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD—VIGIL MASS

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan,
Presider & Homilist

9:00pm CAROL SERVICE

10:00pm *

**THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD—
MASS DURING THE NIGHT**

The Most Reverend Paul D. Etienne,
Archbishop of Seattle, Presider & Homilist

Saturday, December 25, 2021

8:00am *

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Father Ryan, Presider & Homilist

10:00am *

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Father Ryan, Presider & Homilist

Saturday, December 25, 2021, continued

12 Noon

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Father Ryan, Presider & Homilist

4:00pm

SOLEMN VESPERS OF CHRISTMAS

Father Ryan, Presider

5:30pm

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Father Ryan, Presider & Homilist

Sunday, December 26, 2021

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH

8:00am *

10:00am *

12 Noon

4:00pm

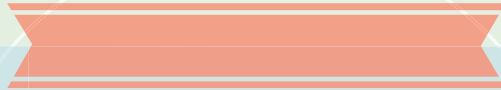
SOLEMN VESPERS

*Please note that there will be no 5:30pm Mass on
Sunday, December 26.*

Masses to be livestreamed are marked with *. Socially distanced seating is available at all Masses of Christmas Day. No special seating is possible for the Christmas Eve Masses.
For socially distanced seating, contact Caroline Okello, cokello@stjames-cathedral.org

Walking the Labyrinth for Peace

Pray for Peace in the New Year
Friday, December 31, 2021



Labyrinth Open | 1:30 - 3:30 pm
St. Mary-on-the-Lake Outdoor Labyrinth

Prayer Service | 3:30-4:00 pm
Peace and Spirituality Center

Warm up after walking with hot cider and
cookies in the Peace and Spirituality Center.

Families with children welcome.



The Peace and Spirituality
Center requires that all guests
who attend in-person events be fully
vaccinated for COVID-19 and wear a
mask when not eating or drinking.

Thank you!





New Year's Eve *Gala Concert*

Friday, December 31 at 11:00 PM

the voices of the
Cathedral Cantorei
with **Baroque Chamber Orchestra**
in a concert of music by

Vivaldi
& *Corelli*

The New Year's Eve concert is back! Celebrate with the music of Baroque composers Antonio Vivaldi and Arcangelo Corelli. The beauty and power of the voices of the St. James Cathedral Cantorei join chamber orchestra in Vivaldi's Magnificat and Gloria, and the orchestral strings sparkle in Corelli's Christmas Concerto. \$30 suggested donation (\$15 students & seniors) or pay what you can. Purchase of tickets in advance offers prime seating within a reserved section.

For more info, contact the Cathedral music office:
musicooffice@stjames-cathedral.org or 206-382-4874.