

Worship at
NATIVITY
CATHEDRAL

The Second Sunday of Advent



4 December 2022
8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

*Our Mission:
to know Christ, to make Christ known,
to serve all people according to Christ's example.*

At the heart of our Advent preparation stands John the Baptist, who calls us to repent and make a new beginning. As the darkness increases we turn toward the approaching light of Christ. For Christians he is the root of Jesse, the righteous judge who welcomes all, especially the poor and meek of the earth. We wait with hope for that day when the wolf will dwell with the lamb, and there will be no more hurt or destruction. From the Lord's table we are sent in the spirit of John the Baptist to proclaim that in Christ the kingdom of God has come near.



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We welcome all of you this day to Nativity Cathedral. If you would like more information about our life and our mission, we encourage you to fill out a visitor card found in your pew or please check us out and request more information.

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May God's Spirit rest upon you this day and every day!

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Parking in the lower lot is reserved for handicap only – Access the elevator at the double doors there. Parking is available in the upper lot, in the New Street Garage at 324 S. New Street, at the Fourth and Wyandotte lot **until 1:00 PM**, and on street along Fourth Street and in the 400 block of Wyandotte Street.

Childcare is available for infants and small children during the 10:45 AM service. An Usher will be happy to direct you to the Nursery on the lower level.

Gathering

The Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Hymn in Procession (10:45 a.m.) Hymnal 59

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Kyrie eleison (10:45 a.m.) Hymnal S88

Trisagion (spoken at 8 a.m.)

Celebrant: Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One,

People: **Have mercy upon us.**

Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

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.**

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Isaiah 11:1-10

A shoot shall come out from the stump of Jesse,
and a branch shall grow out of his roots.

The spirit of the Lord shall rest on him,
the spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the spirit of counsel and might,
the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord.

His delight shall be in the fear of the Lord.

He shall not judge by what his eyes see,
or decide by what his ears hear;
but with righteousness he shall judge the poor,
and decide with equity for the meek of the earth;
he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth,
and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.

Righteousness shall be the belt around his waist,
and faithfulness the belt around his loins.

The wolf shall live with the lamb,
the leopard shall lie down with the kid,
the calf and the lion and the fatling together,
and a little child shall lead them.

The cow and the bear shall graze,
their young shall lie down together;
and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.

The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp,
and the weaned child shall put its hand on the adder's den.

They will not hurt or destroy
on all my holy mountain;
for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the Lord
as the waters cover the sea.

On that day the root of Jesse shall stand as a signal to the peoples; the nations shall inquire of him, and his dwelling shall be glorious.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

Psalm: Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19 (spoken at 8 a.m., sung Stephen Elvey
by Choir at 10:45 a.m.)

1 Give the King your justice, O God, *
and your righteousness to the King's Son;
2 That he may rule your people righteously *
and the poor with justice;
3 That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, *
and the little hills bring righteousness.
4 He shall defend the needy among the people; *
he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.
5 He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure, *
from one generation to another.
6 He shall come down like rain upon the mown field, *
like showers that water the earth.
7 In his time shall the righteous flourish; *
there shall be abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.
18 Blessed be the Lord God, the God of Israel, *
who alone does wondrous deeds!
19 And blessed be his glorious Name for ever! *
and may all the earth be filled with his glory.
Amen. Amen.

Second Reading: Romans 15:4-13 (omitted at 8 a.m.)

Whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God. For I tell you that Christ has become a servant of the circumcised on behalf of the truth of God in order that he might confirm the promises given to the patriarchs, and in order that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written, "Therefore I will confess you among the Gentiles, and sing praises to your name"; and again he says, "Rejoice, O Gentiles, with his people"; and again, "Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles, and let all the peoples praise him"; and again Isaiah says, "The root of Jesse shall come, the one who rises to rule the Gentiles; in him the Gentiles shall hope."

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

Sequence Hymn (10:45 a.m.)

Hymnal 542

Gospel: Matthew 3:1-12

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

In those days John the Baptist appeared in the wilderness of Judea, proclaiming, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.” This is the one of whom the prophet Isaiah spoke when he said,

“The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:
‘Prepare the way of the Lord,
make his paths straight.’ ”

Now John wore clothing of camel’s hair with a leather belt around his waist, and his food was locusts and wild honey. Then the people of Jerusalem and all Judea were going out to him, and all the region along the Jordan, and they were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.

But when he saw many Pharisees and Sadducees coming for baptism, he said to them, “You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? Bear fruit worthy of repentance. Do not presume to say to yourselves, ‘We have Abraham as our ancestor’; for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children to Abraham. Even now the ax is lying at the root of the trees; every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire.

“I baptize you with water for repentance, but one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, and he will clear his threshing floor and will gather his wheat into the granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.”

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

Dean Harte

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,

**the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

**the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

**he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

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.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Deacon: As we prepare for the fullness of Christ's presence, let us pray for a world that yearns for new hope.

A brief silence.

God, you renew the church in every age. We give thanks for hymn writers and theologians (*especially John of Damascus, whom we commemorate today*). Inspire teachers, writers, and musicians to delight and instruct your people. God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

You give us a vision of creation in harmony, when hurting and destruction will be no more. Teach us to be stewards of the earth and companions to its creatures. Restore to balance and wholeness what human greed has harmed. God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

You defend the cause of all who are poor and oppressed. Raise up leaders who will govern with equity and serve the common good. Guide judges, lawmakers, and public officials to protect the rights of those who cannot advocate for themselves. God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

You deliver those in need from suffering and fear. Come to the aid of any who are exploited or abused, especially children, elders, and victims of human trafficking. Provide safety and help to our neighbors without shelter, refugees, and those fleeing violence. God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

You urge your people to welcome one another as you have welcomed us. Nurture ministries of hospitality and care in this and every congregation (*local examples may be named*). We pray for people who are homebound, hospitalized, or separated from loved ones (*especially*). God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

You embrace all who have died trusting in your promises, and we give thanks for their faithful witness. Sustain us in hope until we are united with them in the joy of your eternal presence. God, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Confession

Celebrant: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Announcements

Offertory

Thank you for your generosity and support of the work of our Cathedral and for staying current with your pledge. As always, your offering may be made on line at www.nativitycathedral.org/donate.html or by credit card via text at 610-981-2378. Enter the amount of your gift and await instructions.



Anthem (10:45 a.m.) O Thou the Central Orb

Charles Wood

O thou, the central orb of righteous love, pure beam of the most high, eternal light of this our wintry world, thy radiance bright awakes new joy in faith, hope soars above.

Come, quickly come, and let thy glory shine, gilding our dark-some heaven with rays divine.

Thy saints with holy lustre round thee move, as stars about thy throne, set in the height of God's ordaining counsel, as thy sight gives measur'd grace to each, thy, now pure, power to prove.

Let thy bright beams disperse the gloom of sin, our nature all shall feel eternal day, in fellowship with thee, transforming day to souls ere-while unclean, now pure within. Amen.

Doxological Hymn 56, vs. 3 & 4 (10:45 a.m.) *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*

Liturgy of The Feast

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer C)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **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.**

Celebrant God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

People **By your will they were created and have their being.**

Celebrant From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

People **Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.**

Celebrant Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

People **By his blood, he reconciled us.**

People **By his wounds, we are healed.**

Celebrant And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Celebrant and People

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **Amen.**

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
All **Our Father, who art in heaven,**
 hallowed be thy Name,
 thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever. Amen.

Fraction Anthem (spoken at 8 a.m.)

Hymnal S160

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Hymn at Communion (10:45 a.m.)

Hymnal 67

Prayer after Communion

All **Eternal God, heavenly Father,**
 you have graciously accepted us as living members
 of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
 and you have fed us with spiritual food
 in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
 Send us now into the world in peace,
 and grant us strength and courage
 to love and serve you
 with gladness and singleness of heart;
 through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sending

Blessing

God the eternal Word,
who dwells with us in Jesus,
and who holds us in the grace of the Holy Spirit,
☩ bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

Sending Hymn (10:45 a.m.)

Hymnal 65

Dismissal

Deacon: Go in peace. Christ is near.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Fugue on the Kyrie

Francois Couperin

PARTICIPANTS IN THE LITURGY

Celebrant & Preacher (8 & 10:45 a.m.)	The Very Rev. Barry J. Harte
Deacon (10:45 a.m.)	The Rev. Rodney Conn
Verger (10:45 a.m.)	Earlene Miller
Lector (10:45 a.m.)	Greg Funfgeld
Ushers (10:45 a.m.)	Bob Lynn, Preston Smith
Organist (10:45 a.m.)	Jim Derr
Choir (10:45 a.m.)	The Cathedral Choir
Videographer (10:45 a.m.)	Paul Fox
Altar Guild	Martha Capwell Fox (Chair), Martha Golfphin, Preston Smith
Flower Arranging	Angelica Baez, Waldina Orellana

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Those who are in need of healing – Lillian Lewis, Anne, Robert, Susan Mast, Carol Czechowski, Bebe Lockwood, Dolores Cauller, Peggy Hilgert, Marion Chapman, Martha Golfphin, Emilia Isaacs, Puddy Cluett, Tracy Kehoe, Carol Trexler, Jon Knauss, Cornelia Miller, Judith Warner, James Reader, Lois Turner, William Bradley, Madeline Orellana, David Drum

Those serving in the military and places of danger – Nicole Albertson, Carlos Xavier Orellana, J.D., Oriana Marcial, Dr. Elizabeth Drum

Parish Cycle of Prayer – Matthew, Heather, Caden and Liam Hosfeld; Caroline, Paul, Paul, Allie and Conner Houck; Bob and Libby House; John Howard

The Church and the World – St. Paul's Cathedral, Burlington, Vermont; Calvary, Tamaqua; Emmanuel Kansuk Parish, Kajo Keji; The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and The Middle East; the outreach ministries of Nativity, especially The Seamen's Church Institute

For our Partner Cathedral – Emmanuel Cathedral in Romogi, for Pianaleh their Dean, and for the people of that Cathedral church, that we may grow stronger in our partnership and in our faith

The Altar Flowers this morning were designed by Michael Thomas Floral.

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mattie Drum, Emily Fretz Starr, F. Morris Starr, Ellen and Joseph McCandless, Elizabeth E. McCandless, Grace and Russell F. Handwerk Sr., Doris Handwerk Heinz, D. A. Cusano, Russell F. Handwerk Jr.

NEWS and INFORMATION for the Week of December 4, 2022

Covid Level YELLOW — Masks optional but strongly encouraged for those with elevated risk: those over 65, those with weakened immune systems, or those at high risk for severe illness. The Community Level in Lehigh and Northampton counties is now MEDIUM, or level YELLOW. Please see our website nativitycathedral.org for complete guideline.

December Adult Formation December 4 & 11 - Come join Melinda Rizzo, a long-time Nativity member and published poet explore “darkness and light” through the lens of Advent, the Genesis story, and current events in our lives. Bring poems to share in each session in an opening “slam” format, as well as ideas to brainstorm in small groups.

Luminaria Night for New Bethany Ministries Saturday, December 10, is the 25th anniversary of Luminaria Night to raise funds for New Bethany Ministries. Rain date is December 17. If you'd like to purchase kits of 10 luminaries (\$10.00 per kit) and/or be a Block Captain to help your neighborhood participate, visit their website <https://newbethanyministries.org/event/luminaria-night-2022>.

Youth at Nativity Fundraiser The Youth at Nativity will be selling hot chocolate on December 18th. You can purchase a ceramic Nativity mug for \$10 with hot chocolate mix or a Nativity Tumbler with hot chocolate mix for \$20! Online link is coming soon.

December 24 at 3:30 pm Children's Christmas Celebration A family-friendly liturgy with Christmas gifts, simple Carols, a children's sermon, Holy Eucharist

Men's Winter Coats Needed The cold weather is approaching, and our Thrift Shop is in need of men's winter coats. Please check your closets for coats that you could donate.

Youth Christmas Pageant Nativity Pageant is being held Sunday, December 18 during the 10:45 AM Eucharist. (Please have your child arrive at normal Sunday School time of 9:30 AM.) Rehearsal is Saturday, December 17 from 10 AM-Noon in the church. Sign-up sheet is in Sayre Hall. If you have any questions, contact Jess Cleffi at jcleffi@hotmail.com or 484-695-2168, or Becky Berkenstock at bberkenstock@nativitycathedral.org or 610-349-5051.

Christmas Poinsettias If you would like to remember or give thanks for a loved one by contributing toward the Christmas poinsettias in the chancel of the Cathedral, please complete the form inserted in the bulletin or email your information to Peggy Bankowski at pbankowski@nativitycathedral.org by **Friday, December 9** so the names can be included in the Christmas service bulletins. Please include your name, the names of those to be remembered and indicate whether it is in memory of or thanksgiving for the persons. Donations can be made by check indicating “Poinsettias” on your check memo line or online at nativitycathedral.org/donate.html on the “Altar Flower” line. Volunteers will deliver the poinsettias to the sick and shut-in members of the parish after Christmas.

Christmas for Families in Need Each year our congregation supports families, identified through our partnership with New Bethany Ministries, by helping with the purchase of Christmas gifts. Please consider donating Target or Walmart gift cards in the amounts of \$25-50 and bring them to the church office or place them in the offering plate by December 11. We will deliver the cards to New Bethany Ministries for distribution to families.

Collecting toiletries for women at Bethlehem Emergency Shelter We will be collecting gift cards so that we can purchase a range of toiletry items for them. Please bring a gift card, or make a donation with this specified in the memo. Coordinating the buying will help make sure we get exactly what the women need.

Join the Women's Bible Study in 2023! Our Women's Bible Study is starting January 10, 2023. This seven week study will look at women in the Bible: New Testament, Old Testament and even some apocryphal texts! Join us on Tuesday, January 10 at 9:30 am in the Goodwin Room.

2022-2023 BES Sheltering Season We still need volunteers to prepare and serve dinner, act as monitors for men's and women's showers, and to prepare "grab and go" bags for breakfast. BES is using SignUpGenius <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0845a8a72fa0fe3-besshelter4> to schedule volunteers. Please contact Deacon Rodney deaconrodney@nativitycathedral.org for any more information or for help with scheduling.

We have launched a Book Study! Books on the Interim Dean's Desk (BIDD) has started. We meet every 3rd Thursday of the month from 7-8 pm on Zoom! We will not meet in December, but we will start up again in January with the book *After Jesus, Before Christianity*. Please join us! Let us know if you need assistance purchasing the book.

Advent Open House at Diocesan House Join Bishop Kevin and the diocesan staff for our Advent Open House at the diocesan office ([333 Wyandotte Street, Bethlehem](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0845a8a72fa0fe3-besshelter4)) on December 15, 2022, between 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Take a tour of the building, chat with our staff, and enjoy refreshments and fellowship. We hope to see you then!

Food Drive for Fountain Hill Elementary Food pantry items needed: rice, canned meat (tuna, chicken, etc.), easy lunches (peanut butter, jelly, ramen, mac and cheese) and canned fruits and veggies. Place in the boxes at the back of the Nave of the Cathedral. Or visit this Amazon Wishlist and order away! tinyurl.com/2p8z7nht

Creation Care TIP of the week Instead of Christmas gifts, make a donation to an environmental group, food pantry, homeless shelter, etc.

** **Additions or changes to the Bulletin should be submitted to the Office by 5 PM on Tuesday.** **

CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS 2022 WITH US

Friday, December 16

6:00 pm Las Posadas – Church of the Mediator

Saturday, December 17

5 pm Celtic Christmas - Cathedral

Sunday, December 18, Advent IV

8 am Holy Eucharist - Cathedral

9:30 am Adult and Youth Formation

10:45 am Pageant and Holy Eucharist

12:30 pm Santa Eucaristía - Cathedral

4:00 pm Christmas Party - Nativity Youth Christmas Event

Saturday, December 24, Christmas Eve

3:30 pm Children's Christmas Celebration: a family-friendly liturgy with Christmas gifts, simple Carols, a children's sermon, Holy Eucharist

5:00 pm Special Music, Festival Eucharist, Bishop Presiding - Cathedral

10:00 pm Special Christmas Music - Cathedral

10:30 pm Candlelight Festival Eucharist, Bishop Presiding - Cathedral

Sunday, December 25, Christmas Day

10:45 am Holy Eucharist/Santa Eucaristía, Bishop Presiding -

Bilingual Service/Servicio Bilingüe - Cathedral

Sunday, January 1 - The Name of Jesus

(Dean Jon Stratton's First Sunday)

10:00 Holy Eucharist - Cathedral

12:30 Santa Eucaristía - Cathedral

Friday, January 6, Epiphany/Epifanía

7 pm Santa Eucaristía de Epifanía - Cathedral

Sunday, January 8

8 am Holy Eucharist - Cathedral

8:45 am Holy Eucharist 321 Service - Sayre Hall

9:30 am Epiphany Breakfast and Welcome to Dean Stratton

10:45 Holy Eucharist - Cathedral

12:30 Santa Eucaristía - Cathedral





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The week beginning December 4, 2022

<u>Sunday:</u>	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist – Cathedral
	8:45 AM	321 Contact Worship – Sayre Hall
	9:30 AM	Sunday School and Adult Formation
	10:45 AM	Holy Eucharist – Cathedral & Virtual
	12:30 PM	Spanish Holy Eucharist – Cathedral & Virtual
	4:00 PM	Christmas Cookie Extravaganza – Sayre Hall & Kitchen
<u>Monday:</u>	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer in Spanish – Virtual
	7:00 PM	Prayer Bead Meditation – Zoom
<u>Tuesday:</u>	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer in Spanish – Virtual
	7:00 PM	English Language Class – Room 21
<u>Wednesday:</u>	9:00 AM	Holy Eucharist & Healing – Good Shepherd Chapel
	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop open until 2:00 PM
	1:00 PM	Yarns of Love – Dining Room
	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer in Spanish – Virtual
	6:00 PM	EfM – Room 21
	7:00 PM	Mindfulness Meditation – Good Shepherd Chapel
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
<u>Thursday:</u>	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop open until 2:00 PM
	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer in Spanish – Virtual
	7:00 PM	Laughter Yoga – Sayre Hall
	7:00 PM	English Language Class – Room 21
<u>Friday:</u>	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop open until 2:00 PM
<u>Saturday:</u>	9:00 AM	Altar Guild Prep – Cathedral
	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop open until 1:00 PM
	5:00 PM	Celtic Eucharist – Cathedral