



Festal Eucharist

Christmas Day 2025

10:00 AM

Saint Luke's Parish

Darien, Connecticut

The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ

December 25, 2025 | 10:00 AM

Opening Voluntary

Rector's Welcome

Hymn 83, vv. 1-3, 6

Adeste Fidelis

The Word of God

Celebrant Behold, I bring you good news of great joy, which will be for all people. For unto you is born this day in the City of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

Hymn 96, v. 1

Gloria

Angels we have heard on high, singing sweetly through the night,
and the mountains in reply echoing their brave delight.

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

The Collect of the Nativity

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The First Lesson

Isaiah 52:7-10

Hymn 105

God Rest You Merry

The Gospel

John 1:1-14

The Sermon

The Rev. Susan C. Wyper

The Nicene Creed

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The Prayers of the People

Leader Lord, in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

The Peace

Welcome and Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn 93

Regent Square

The Great Thanksgiving

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Sanctus and Benedictus

Hymnal S-125, Proulx

The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

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A Christmas Blessing

May Christ, who by his Incarnation gathered into one things earthly and heavenly, fill you with his joy and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Hymn 100

Antioch

The Dismissal

The Closing Voluntary

Participants in Today's Service

Celebrant The Rev. Ryan C. Fleenor
Preacher The Rev. Susan C. Wyper

Musician Huw Jones, Organist

**Thank you to those serving today as acolytes, readers, ushers,
and members of the Altar and Flower Guilds.**

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