

Mobile, Alabama
The First Sunday after Christmas Day
December 29, 2019
Morning Prayer: Rite Two
Ten o'clock in the morning

We invite you to participate in the worship of God. Our service is the Morning Prayer: Rite Two in The Book of Common Prayer. For ease of use, this booklet contains the congregational portions of the liturgy and service music. Congregational responses are printed in bold. Hymn numbers refer to The Hymnal 1982. Page numbers refer to the Prayer Book for those wishing to use it. Lesson and Gospel texts are taken from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. Service music not otherwise credited is composed by Christopher W. Powell.



*We extend a warm welcome to all visitors. A nursery is available.
A gentle reminder: please turn off all wireless devices before the service.
Sound enhancement receivers for the hearing impaired are available in the west vestibule.*

Prelude

Prelude on "Still, still, still"

Christopher Tambling
(b. 1964)

Introit

*A child is born in Bethlehem
A child is born in Bethlehem, Alleluia!
therefore rejoice Jerusalem, Alleluia, alleluia!
Come, join the angel throng in songs of joy,
in one accord adoring Christ the Lord.*

plainsong, 14th century

- Latin, 14th century; tr. Ruth Fox Hume (1922-1980)

Processional Hymn

Angels, from the realms of glory

*Regent Square
Hymnal 93*

Children's Chapel (Ages 4 to Grade 3) Children process with the leader to the Chapel and return at the peace.

Opening Sentence

Officiant: Behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all the people; for to you is born this day in the city of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

Luke 2:10-11

Confession of Sin and Absolution

BCP 79

Dearly beloved, we have come together in the presence of almighty God our heavenly Father, to set forth his praise, to hear his holy Word, and to ask, for ourselves and on behalf of others, those things that are necessary for our life and our salvation. And so that we may prepare ourselves in heart and mind to worship him, let us kneel in silence, and with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.

Officiant and People:

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.

Officiant:

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.**

Invitatory and Psalter *All stand.*

Officiant: Lord, open our lips.

People: **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Officiant and People:

**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. Alleluia.**

Officiant: Alleluia. To us a child is born: Come let us adore him. Alleluia.

Venite

Psalm 95:1-7

Hymnal S-35

Katherine E. Powell, soprano

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *
let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, *
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, *
and a great King above all gods.
In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, *
and his hands have molded the dry land.
Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *
Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Psalm 147:13-21

Laudate Dominum

Please sing refrain after each stanza.

BCP 805

Refrain: The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

- 13 Worship the Lord, O Jerusalem; *
praise your God, O Zion;
14 For he has strengthened the bars of your gates; *
he has blessed your children within you.
15 He has established peace on your borders; *
he satisfies you with the finest wheat.
16 He sends out his command to the earth, *
and his word runs very swiftly. **Refrain**

- 17 He gives snow like wool; *
he scatters hoarfrost like ashes.
18 He scatters his hail like bread crumbs; *
who can stand against his cold?
19 He sends forth his word and melts them; *
he blows with his wind, and the waters flow.
20 He declares his word to Jacob, *
his statutes and his judgments to Israel.
21 He has not done so to any other nation; *
to them he has not revealed his judgments.

Hallelujah! **Refrain**

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.

The Lessons

First Reading:

Isaiah 61:10-62:3

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Isaiah

I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations. For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Canticle 11: The Third Song of Isaiah

Surge, illuminare

Isaiah 60:1-3, 11a, 14c, 18-19

Hymnal S-223

Katherine E. Powell - soprano

Arise, shine, for your light has come, *
and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.
For behold, darkness covers land; *
deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.
But over you the Lord will rise, *
and his glory will appear upon you.
Nations will stream your light, *
and kings to the brightness of your dawning.
Your gates will always be open; *
by day or night they will never be shut.
They will call you, The City of the Lord, *
The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.
Violence will no more be heard in your land, *
ruin or destruction within your borders.
You will call your walls, Salvation, *
and all your portals, Praise.
The sun will no more be your light by day; *
by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.
The Lord will be your everlasting light, *
and your God will be your glory.

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

Second Reading:

Galatians 3:23-25; 4:4-7

Reader: A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Galatians

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian. [. . .] But when the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn

Let all mortal flesh keep silence

Picardy
Hymnal 324

The Holy Gospel:

John 1:1-18

Officiant: A Reading from John.

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him. But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God. And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth. (John testified to him and cried out, "This was he of whom I said, 'He who comes after me ranks ahead of me because he was before me.'") From his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. The law indeed was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. No one has ever seen God. It is God the only Son, who is close to the Father's heart, who has made him known.

Officiant: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The Homily

The Apostles Creed

BCP 96

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Prayers

The people stand or kneel.

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant: Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

**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.**

Sufferages A

Hymnal S - 52

- V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
R. **And grant us your salvation.**
- V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
R. **Let your people sing with joy.**
- V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
R. **For only in you can we live in safety.**
- V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
R. **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**
- V. Let your way be known upon earth;
R. **Your saving health among all nations.**
- V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
R. **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
- V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
R. **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

The Collect of the Day

BCP 213

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have poured upon us the new light of your incarnate Word: Grant that this light, enkindled in our hearts, may shine forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Collect for Sundays

BCP 98

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

A Collect for Mission

BCP 100

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

The Cathedral Prayers

Officiant concludes:

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

Welcome and Announcements

Offertory Sentence

Officiant: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts. *Psalm 96:8*

The Offertory

Anthem

Carson Cooman
(b. 1982)

Echoing Carols

On the night the babe was thusly born,
snow held its blue breath.
Light spiralled out of angel's bodies
and kissed the cloud-soft, newborn's cheek
while carols echoed inside night birds.
Stars flew like wild birds
dazed by the frenzy of song
slipping over the edge of the universe.
The message of God had a crying mission,
sigh yourself unto salvation.
Mary mild,
Jesus sweetly stopped the world's weeping.
Grace cascaded like a waterfall of melted crystals
go now and let love live in you
like that child's quiet heartbeat.

Elizabeth Kirschner (n. d.)

At the Presentation

Old 100th vs. 3
America vs. 4

Hymnal 380
Hymnal 717

The General Thanksgiving

BCP 101

Officiant and People:

**Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
for all your goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all whom you have made.**

**We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings
of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.**

**And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives,
by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.**

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

BCP 102

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Officiant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

Recessional

Carol

It came upon the midnight clear

Hymnal 110

Postlude

Prelude and Fugue in F Major

att. J. S. Bach
(1685 - 1750)



Please join us after the service for a time of hospitality in the Chapter House.

CATHEDRAL PRAYERS

O God, the strength of the weak and the comfort of sufferers: Mercifully accept our prayers, and grant to your servants the help of your power, that their sickness may be turned into health, and our sorrow into joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WE PRAY FOR:

Members:

Patti Biel, Happy Henson, Virginia Wilkins, Alec Armbricht, Megan Drane, Marolyn Kruse, Lara Sherer, Chuck McKay, Beth Schramm, Jane White-Spunner, Lucky White-Spunner, Jessie Koger, Mike Gibson, Leroy Roberson, Tim Holladay, Bradley Forster, Bill Stafford, Ed Stephens

Friends & Family:

Michael Cameron, Nancy & Don Cameron, Rob & Amy Archer Ellis, Marilyn Leigh Ellis, Hayden Jenkins, Maggie Jenkins, Gladys Crowson, Zaidee Galloney, Pier Louise Hardin, Phinee Vanek, Mitch and Polly Johnson, Maura Rego, Lexi Naughton, Father Dennis Brown, Marian Macpherson Currie, Evie Langhans, Keith Burbank, Rita Curtis, Mike Curtis, Joyce Waite, Sally Chow, Sydney Dann, Susie Stafford, Wayne Hinton, Joy Rue, Gillette Slaton, Mary Lou Peake, Sam Hulsey, Isabel Hulsey, Julian Kayser, Celeste Hall, William Todd Smith, Mary Ester Bollis, Reneau Hallett, Don Foster, Augie Misiurewicz, Ernie Fussell, Joe Verneuille, Shannon Cook, Amy Bowman, John Henry Johnson, Wanda & Eldon Peeples, Kelly Callaway, Sara Louise Dunn, Donna Dilley, Jeffery Hartley, Laura Cummings, George Seymour, Jr., Rob Fargason, Eleanor Underwood, George Smith, Briley Shirah, Mike Stringer, Dennis Bartchak, Nancy Harris, Daniel Lawrence, Andrea Hinton, Aubrey Fulford, Kenneth Hubbard, Barney March III, Melissa Bumpers, Charlie Brockman

For Those Serving in the Military:

Dan Drew, Marlin Brutkiewicz, Gray Stephens, Keith Moss, Susan Adams, John Turner, Tia Cupit, Ryan Cole Hunt

Repose of the Soul:

Bill Drew, Jeff Dees.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

The Anglican Church of Gahini, Rwanda

Cathedral Cycle of Prayer:

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Brewton

Ecumenical Cycle of Prayer:

We pray for immigrants and stateless people; and St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Mobile

Prison Ministry Cycle of Prayer:

Jackson County Corrections Facility, Marianna, Florida

CATHEDRAL NOTES



YEAR-END GIFTS MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE

In the midst of the turmoil and uncertainty of the secular world, Christ Church Cathedral bears witness to things that endure. We are nurturing children, youth and adults in the deeper life of faith. Year-end, extra gifts, along with annual pledges, make this possible. Some churches are substantially supported by large endowments. Although we are blessed by the endowed funds that have been left us, 89 percent of the funds needed to support our ministries come from you. As you plan your year-end giving, please consider making a special gift: every gift makes a difference, and if you have not already done so, please make a pledge for 2020. Those over 70 ½ years old can make an IRA distribution directly so as not to incur capital gains. End-of-year statements were sent last week for those with a pledge balance. If you have questions concerning giving, please contact Financial Secretary Brenda Stanton at bstanton@christchurchcathedralsmobile.org.

Pledge envelopes for everyone who requested them are on the credenza in the Chapter House vestibule. If you would like envelopes, please contact Brenda Stanton at bstanton@christchurchcathedralsmobile.org.



CHRISTMAS THANK YOU

In the past week nearly 1000 people came to Christ Church Cathedral to worship. Thank you to all who made our Christmas services so moving and beautiful: lay ministers and acolytes, choirs and instrumentalists, the altar guild, the flower guild, greeters and ushers, pageant leaders and participants, staff, and everyone who went out of their way to help visitors feel at home. Merry Christmas!



CHRISTIAN FORMATION NOTES

Christian Formation classes are on break for the Christmas holiday.
Classes will resume on Sunday, January 12 at 9:00 a.m.



CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

January 13 through February 17

“Practicing the Presence” facilitated by Fr. Marshall Craver! A prayer practice is just that: practice. In this six week contemplative prayer group, we will learn about and practice six different prayer forms that will assist us in becoming more aware of and trusting in Christ’s presence in our day to day lives. Come and join us each Monday in the Chapel, from 12 to 1 p.m., January 13 through February 17th. Everyone is welcome! Regular attendance is encouraged but not required. Come as often as you can, and leave each Monday with a prayer form that you can take with you and practice throughout your day.



THE GOOD BOOK CLUB: THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

January 6 through February 24

In the beginning was the Word...Start 2020 with a renewed commitment to the Word of God. The Good Book Club returns for a third year with the Gospel of John. We’ll read the compelling account—inspired by “the disciple whom Jesus loved”—during the time from Epiphany through Shrove Tuesday.

Of course, we are familiar with the most famous verse of John 3:16, but our Good Book Club focus gives us an opportunity to read the extraordinary gospel from start to finish.

To learn more go to: <https://www.goodbookclub.org/>



CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS OFFICE HOURS

The Cathedral office will reopen on Thursday, January 2. Financial Secretary Brenda Stanton will be checking emails and telephone messages for end of the year financial needs.



MINISTRY MEETINGS

USHER MEETING

Thursday, January 9 at 5:00 p.m.

FLOWER GUILD MEETING

Wednesday, January 15 at 12:30 p.m.

ALTAR GUILD MEETING

Wednesday, January 22 at 12:30 p.m.



CURSILLO

January 23 - 26

The key elements of the Episcopal Cursillo Ministry are relationship, evangelism, and reconciliation in the home, the parish, the community, and the world. The Cursillo weekend is a time to experience living in a supportive Christian community. There are still spaces available for the Cursillo weekend in January so now is a good time to register. If you are interested in attending Cursillo, please let Dean Gibson know. For more information visit <https://www.coastalpilgrims.com/>



CONCERT SERIES

A MASS FOR MOBILE: JOYFUL SPECTACULAR

Sunday, January 26 at 4:00 p.m.

This concert is a celebration of the music that makes our city spectacular. From jazz music, African music, and gospel music, to classical and bluegrass, listeners will hear the diverse sounds of Mobile, Alabama. This program is a collaborative effort with Mobile's Singing Children and with members of the Alabama School of the Arts voice department. This is a perfect way to start your Mardi Gras celebrations.



SUPPER CLUB KICK-OFF

Sunday, January 26 immediately following the concert



49TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE DIOCESE OF THE CENTRAL GULF COAST AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Friday, February 7 and Saturday, February 8



THE CATHEDRAL CHAPTER 2019 - 2020

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Chapter Members

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The Rev. John Riffin, 2021
St. Paul's, Mobile
Becky Schulte, 2022
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LAY MINISTER CALENDAR JANUARY 2020

Please confirm your availability for the date you are listed to serve: mwilson@christchurchcathedralmobile.org

	January 5 The Second Sunday Of Christmas	January 12 The First Sunday After Epiphany	January 19 The Second Sunday After Epiphany	January 26 The Third Sunday After Epiphany
First Reader Second Reader Intercessor Chalice Bearers	Henry Seawell Jeff Grill Carolyn Eichold Sarah Bolt Robby McClure	Lissa Watkins Lyn Bennett David Ross Skip Archer Lynn Yankie	Kennon Drew Laura McLeod Lynn Yankie Burnley Davis Mark Weeks	Douglas Kearley Grant Zarzour Gary Kohler Ron Snider Rick Mitchell
Oblationers	Janet Rich Pittman Craig Pittman	Adrienne Golden Lewis Golden	Carolyn Eichold Bert Eichold	Becky Schulte Bill Schulte
Crucifers Acolytes	Blake Ferguson W.C. Hines Parke Brister Talmadge Hines Sadie Ladd Tré Mitchell Alex Gamble	Maria Napier Will Johnson Annabelle Ramo Julianna Ramo Elinor Gibson Elizabeth Harris	Julianna Ramo Hilary McLeod Blake Ferguson Sophie Ferguson Livy Ferguson Jordan Chow Mary Lynn Cooper	Tré Mitchell Mary Mac Watkins Lawson Hamil Walt Hamil Kate Watkins Maria Napier Thomas Van Antwerp
Acolyte Parents	Allison and Will Gamble	Lisa Williams	M.j. and Len Ramo	Tray and Jubal Hamil
Children's Chapel	Skip Archer Lauren Williams Juliana Ramo	Ashley Mitchell Leigh Rendfrey Elinor Gibson	Robbie Lynn Irvine Laura McLeod Maria Napier	Nora Shea/Caroline Strand Louise Collins Tré Mitchell
Nursery, Birth to age 3	Holiday	Charlotte Wall	Hayley Van Antwerp	
Elementary Pre-K 4 to grade 2	Holiday	Caroline Strand Lisa Watkins	Holiday	Holiday
Fun Club Grades 3, 4, 5	Holiday	Nora Shea Britnee Williams	Nora Shea Harwell Coale	Nora Shea Britnee Williams
Middle School Grades 6, 7, 8	Holiday	Carolyn Jeffers Caroline Etherton	Carolyn Jeffers Caroline Etherton	Carolyn Jeffers Caroline Etherton
High School Grades 9, 10, 11, 12	Holiday	Carl Cunningham	Lydia Johnson	Lydia Johnson
Adult Education	Holiday	Leigh Taylor	Mike Ballard	Mike Ballard
Altar Guild	Barbara Archer* Martha Ann Stafford Lisa Williams Maria Napier	Robbie Lynn Irvine* Ginny Behlen Leslie Ladd Lucy Harrison Joan Myers Paula Watkins	Perrin Drew* Barbara Archer Shannon Harris Barry Weeks Megan McCall	Nance Stephens Linda Ross Clayton Ryan
Flower Guild	Ricky Bradford Bruce Rockstad	Clayton Ryan Eleanor Baker	Smitty Vanek Valrie Vanek	Sage Bolt Lucy Brady
Vestry Greeters	John Leach Laura McLeod	Ricky Bradford Jay Watkins	Udrey Cunningham Jubal Hamil	Erica McElhaney Matthew Bolt
Ushers*/ Opening**/ Closing***	Willson McClelland* Preston Bolt John S. McClelland Jr. Ward Murphy David Sanders	Chuck McKay* Tony Brown Carl Cunningham Sr. Burnley Davis Jordan Ellis David Ross	John Davidson* Ken McElhaney Bo Mattei Len Ramo Bill Rodgers Bill Skinner Wythe Whiting	Mark Weeks* Paul Clinton Carter Drane Fred Hoffmeyer Chris Hume Gene Moree
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CATHEDRAL HAPPENINGS

DECEMBER & JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Sunday, December 29

10:00 a.m. HE, Rite II

Thursday, January 2

8:00 a.m. Cathedral office opens

Sunday, January 5

10:00 a.m. HE, Rite II

Wednesday, January 8

Noon HE, Rite II

2:00 p.m. Convention Leadership Team

6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 9

5:00 p.m. Usher Meeting

Sunday, January 12

9:00 a.m. Christian Formation

10:00 a.m. HE, Rite II

11:30 a.m. EYC Lunch at Bluegill

Monday, January 13

10:30 a.m. Morning Circle

Noon Contemplative Prayer

Wednesday, January 15

Noon HE, Rite II

12:30 p.m. Flower Guild Meeting

5:15 p.m. Finance Committee

6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, January 19

9:00 a.m. Christian Formation

10:00 a.m. Holy Baptism & HE, Rite II

11:30 a.m. Vestry Meeting

Monday, January 20

Noon Contemplative Prayer

To view the active Cathedral calendar go to:
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Calendar

December 30

Robbie Lynn Irvine
Charlotte Wall

January 1

McGowin Griffith

January 2

Thompson Sledge

January 5

Catherine Sanders

January 6

Daly Baumhauer

January 7

Bo Mattei

January 8

Lyn Bennett
David Brister
Carl Cunningham

January 9

Barton Elliot

January 10

Weathers Bolt
Frances Zarzour

January 11

Lara Sherer
Jennifer Grehan

January 12

Anne Frances Weeks

January 14

True Nicolson

January 16

Harris Rendfrey

January 17

Mabel Kinard
Hayley Van Antwerp

January 19

Bob Israel
Paige Suttles

January 20

Mac McCafferty

January 21

Mike Bjorklund
Bonnie McDonald
Emily Seawell

January 22

Martha Ann Stafford

January 23

Nancy Newman
Fred Rendfrey

January 24

Annabelle Ramo

January 25

Mac Govern

January 26

Lynn Yankie

January 27

Elizabeth Harris

January 28

Sarah Bolt
Tony Brown
Lucy Pryor Slaton
Kennedy Williams

January 29

Trés Eichold

January 30

Don Epley
Alex Eynon
Burton Slaton Jr.
Kyle Wall

January 31

Burnley Davis
Sam Jeffers

February 1

Patsy Seymour
Alex Hoffmeyer
Page Hoffmeyer

February 2

Jamie Cooper
T.K. Jackson
Anna Middleton

February 3

Gracie Armbrecht
Stephanie Hopper

February 4

Molly Bolt
Darden Cooper
Joel Daves
Keller Reeves



Ministers For Today

Officiant.....Michael E. Ballard
 First Reader..... Judy Henson
 Second Reader Leigh Taylor
 Intercessor Carolyn Jeffers
 Oblationers Jessie Koger, Melvin Kroger
 Crucifers Anne Price Mitchell
 Acolytes Mary Lynn Cooper
 Children's Chapel Hayley Van Antwerp,
 Tray Hamil, Sadie Ladd
 Nursery McCayla Cusker
 Altar Guild Robbie Lynn Irvine, Ginny Behlen,
 Leslie Ladd, Lucy Harrison,
Joan Myers, Paula Watkins
 Flower Guild..... Robbie Lynn Irvine, Ann Luce
 Vestry Greeter Julie Hoffmeyer, Robert Mitchell
 Ushers.....Kennon Drew, Rick Mitchell,
Leigh Taylor, David Brady
 Hospitality Sage Bolt, Lucy Brady, David Brady,
 Carolyn Eichold, Susan Leach,
 Laura Rutherford, Meg Mattei



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 The Very Reverend Beverly F. Gibson, Ph.D., *Rector and Dean*
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 Lydia Knizley Johnson, *School for Ministry Intern*
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 Christopher W. Powell, *Organist and Music Director*
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