

St. John's Episcopal Church
Second Sunday of Christmas, Year B
January 3rd, 2021
Holy Eucharist: Rite II

Rev. Tom Manney

Lector-Ina Dockham Eucharistic Minister-Mary Cameron

Music Director: Kitty Underwood

The Word of God

Opening Hymn "O Come All Ye Faithful"	Hymnal	H-83
Opening Sentence	BCP	355
Collect for Purity	BCP	355
The Gloria	BCP	356
The Collect of the Day	BCP	214

O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: Grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

The Lessons

Jeremiah 31:7-14		Insert
Psalm 84		Insert or BCP 707
Ephesians 1:3-6, 15-19a		Insert

Sequence Hymn "When Jesus Left His Father's Throne"	Hymnal	H-480
The Holy Gospel Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23		Insert

Sermon Rev. Tom Manney

The Nicene Creed	BCP	358
The Prayers of the People Form I	BCP	383

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Confession of Sin	BCP	360
The Peace	BCP	360
Announcements and Prayers		

The Holy Communion

The Offertory	"Love Came Down at Christmas"	Hymnal	H-84
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Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving		
Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP	361
Sanctus	BCP	362
The Lord's Prayer	BCP	364
The Breaking of the Bread		
Christ our Passover...	BCP	364

"Agnus Dei" (sung)

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us (Repeat)
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us, grant us peace.



III *Ministration of Communion – Wherever you are in your journey of faith, you are welcome at God's table.*

Communion Reflection "One Bread, One Body"	LEVAS	L-151
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Post Communion Prayer	BCP	366
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The Blessing

Closing Hymn "Venite Adoramus" Hymnal H-110

The Dismissal – The Peoples' Response: Thanks be to God.

FYI – BCP Book of Common Prayer (red book). **H** – Hymnal 1982 (blue book).
HS – service music (first section) Hymnal 1982 (blue) **P** – Praise (green spiral bound). **LEVAS** – Lift Every Voice and Sing (red & black).

Next week's readings: Isaiah 60:1-6, Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14, Ephesians 3:1-12, Matthew 2:1-12

Liturgical Notes: The term **Incarnation**, from the Latin carnis ("flesh") literally means "enfleshment." It reflects the Christian doctrine that Jesus was fully human and fully divine, the Son of God "in the flesh." It is based on John 1:14, "And the Word became flesh and lived among us."

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Senior Warden – Becky Foster (Cell)810-358-3631

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Clerk – Neil Hargrave

Vestry Members -Tim Wright, Ina Dockham, Connie Ogg

Treasurer– John Malinich

Bookkeeper/Secretary – Roxanne Todd

Music Director – Kitty Underwood

Acolytes – Sherry Wagner

Altar Care (Guild/Flowers) – Kitty Underwood

Card Ministry – Kathy Wagester

Linked Hearts – Mary Cameron

Teen Outreach – Russ Underwood

Prayer Circle – Yvonne Malinich

Prayer Shawls – Dianne Bishop

Usher-John Malinich

Christmas II, All Years

Isaiah 62:6-12

Upon your walls, O Jerusalem, I have posted sentinels;
all day and all night
they shall never be silent.

You who remind the LORD,
take no rest,
and give him no rest
until he establishes Jerusalem
and makes it renowned throughout the earth.

The LORD has sworn by his right hand
and by his mighty arm:

I will not again give your grain
to be food for your enemies,
and foreigners shall not drink the wine
for which you have labored;
but those who garner it shall eat it
and praise the LORD,
and those who gather it shall drink it
in my holy courts.

Go through, go through the gates,
prepare the way for the people;
build up, build up the highway,
clear it of stones,
lift up an ensign over the peoples.

The LORD has proclaimed
to the end of the earth:

Say to daughter Zion,
"See, your salvation comes;

his reward is with him,
and his recompense before him."

They shall be called, "The Holy People,
The Redeemed of the LORD";
and you shall be called, "Sought Out,
A City Not Forsaken."

Psalm 97

- 1 The LORD is King;
let the earth rejoice; *
let the multitude of the isles be glad.
- 2 Clouds and darkness are round about him, *
righteousness and justice are the foundations of his
throne.
- 3 A fire goes before him *
and burns up his enemies on every side.
- 4 His lightnings light up the world; *
the earth sees it and is afraid.
- 5 The mountains melt like wax at the presence of
the LORD, *
at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.
- 6 The heavens declare his righteousness, *
and all the peoples see his glory.
- 7 Confounded be all who worship carved images
and delight in false gods! *
Bow down before him, all you gods.
- 8 Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice,
*
because of your judgments, O LORD.

9 For you are the LORD,
most high over all the earth; *
you are exalted far above all gods.

10 The LORD loves those who hate evil; *
he preserves the lives of his saints
and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.

11 Light has sprung up for the righteous, *
and joyful gladness for those who are truehearted.

12 Rejoice in the LORD, you righteous, *
and give thanks to his holy Name.

Titus 3:4-7

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy, through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit. This Spirit he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Luke 2:(1-7) 8-20

[In those days a decree went out from Emperor Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration and was taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. All went to their own towns to be registered. Joseph also went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to the city of David called Bethlehem, because he was descended from the house and family of David. He went to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child. While they were there, the

time came for her to deliver her child. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in bands of cloth, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.]

In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for see-- I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest heaven,
and on earth peace among those whom he favors!"

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

January 2021

Prayer List: Family, Friends, and Members

01/03/2021

Derek & Maria Ames-Caretakers for Evelyn Sunich-Covid 19
Nancy Bade-Friend of Margaret Smith-Successful knee surgery
Dianne Bishop-Prayers for a good diagnosis and for healing
Kyle Bishop - grandson of Dave Bishop - for healing
Isaac-7-year-old grandson of a friend of the Buszek Family, for a
Critical brain injury.
Kathleen and Richard Buszek - for healing and care giving.
Joe Childers-Friend of the Malinich's, For healing.
Connie-Friend of Linda Neros-for continued good health
Robin Daugherty-Prayers for healing
Jonah Debusk-Heart murmur
Danny DeLisa-Friend of Dianne Bishop: Recovering from Brain Tumor
Bob & Sharon Deriemaecker-for comfort over the loss of their son
Jace
Dzingle Family-Friends of Sherry Wagner-House fire
C. Fay-Recovering from Brain Surgery
Blake Ellen-from Wes Wagester; infant with cardiac problems
Melissa Fettig - (Eleana's daughter), her lifetime partner
Robert, and their daughter Harper - for peace.
Steve & Karen Globowski-Friends of Margaret Smith-Strength and
comfort as they deal with Steve's Dementia.
Sally Granger - for healing and relief from pain.
Judy Gray - for successful treatment of skin cancer.
Mary Halfpenny - dear friend of the Miller's - cancer.
Jane Harlow-For healing
Leann Hessel-friend of Mary Cameron; Breast Cancer
Bob Hollis-Friend of Sherry Wagner-Healing from diabetic infection
Herman Houser-Friend of Dianne Bishop: Stomach Cancer
Beth Huffman-Friend of Kitty Underwood; Brain Tumor
Joe Janiga-friend of Wes Wagester, Entering Marine Boot Camp
Rick Kerner-Friend of Wes- Recovering from Stroke
Chris Landis-Nephew John & Yvonne Malinich-for healing
Justus Lengemann-Friend of Rev Tom-recovery from open heart
surgery
Gary Malhado - brother of Sue Thornton - for healing, strength,
and peace.
Kathy Navarro - sister of Eleana Fettig - for peace & healing.
Rev. Ann Norton-for healing and strength
Jerry Parka-Friend of Corinne Fry-Pancreatic Cancer
Sarah Parks-Rector, Grace Lapeer-fighting cancer

Chris Plummer-Nephew Roxanne Todd-Seizure activity
Ronnie Rappuhn-Friend of John & Yvonne for healing
Austin Reed-friend of Connie Ogg, recovery from surgery &
staph infection
Anne Shenck-Friend of Corrine-for healing
Julia Shenck-Friend of Corrine Fry for healing
Cindy Shimp-Becky Foster's sister-in-law-Healing of Cancer
Kathy Shipp-for healing from cancer. Sherry Boyden's sister
Kari Stark - stepsister of Kitty Underwood - Comfort for MS.
Elizabeth Colavincenzo Swan-Priest in Davison; Comfort over her loss.
Rev. Nancy Steele-For healings from Skin Cancer
Sally Thiede-Friend of Sherry Boyden-for strength & healing
Sue Thornton - for peace.
Joe Tubbs-Son of Roxanne Todd-Quarantined for Covid Outbreak in his
unit
Kitty Underwood-for healing and strength
Chris Velfero - nephew of the Millers - cancer is in remission.
Wes Wagester- For healing.
Mark Wagner-Successful Surgery
James Walker-PTSD from 2 tours in Iraq
Carl "Pete" Weidner - friend of Wagester's - for healing.
Melanie White-Liver transplant
Michaela Wolford-friends of the Wagester
family as she recovers from an accident
Tim Wright - Continued healing

Our home parishioners: Eleana Fettig and Harvey Taylor, Donna Lou Haynes, Evelyn Sunich, Helen Thiemkey,

Those in Service to our country: Dylan Anderson, Devin Black, John Hodgeman, John McNary, Glenn Miller, Jennifer Tedlie, John Eric Watson, Kyle Goodman, Ray Nairn, Jacquelyn Focarelli, Michael Focarelli, Jared Turnipseed, their families, Dr. Derrick Willsey, and all military chaplains.

The Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. John's, Alma and St. James, Albion
The Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria

Offerings for 12/24/2020: \$1305.00, for **12/27/2020** \$205.00

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday and Friday-Office open 10:00-2:00 on Tuesday only

Wednesdays, 4pm-Bible Study

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. - AA in the parish hall

Sunday, January 17th, 4 pm, Annual Meeting.