



St. Wilfrid of York SUNDAY TIMES

We are a Christian community seeking to know and
unconditionally share God's unfailing love.

The Second Sunday of Advent

December 7, 2025

We're happy to have you with us this morning!

We hope you find our parish to be a place of welcome and spiritual enrichment.

Happening Today

- ♦ **8:30am — Godly Play** in Room 9
- ♦ **9:30am to 12pm — Advent Bake Sale** in Sacquety Hall
- ♦ **3:00pm — "Wintering" Concert by the Orange County Women's Choir** in the sanctuary
- ♦ **4:30pm — Youth Group Meeting** in Youth Center
- ♦ Visit the SCRIP table to order gift cards

Christmas Eve: Be Part of the Story

Our 4pm Christmas Pageant & Eucharist is one of St. Wilfrid's most beloved Christmas Eve traditions: beautiful, heartfelt, and welcoming for families of all ages, including visitors. As we tell the nativity story, children dressed as angels, shepherds, animals, wise travelers, and more, make their way to the altar to join in to the story being told; carols and Christmas hymns woven throughout fill the church with the spirit of the season.

If your child would like to participate, costumes will be available for pickup after both services next Sunday, December 14th in Room 11/12 as well as the following Sunday, December 21st. Whether they feel called to be a shepherd watching over the flock or an angel proclaiming good news, we'll help them find a costume that fits. Costumes will also be available for visitors or anyone still needing a costume on Christmas Eve starting at 3:30pm. We ask that you come early so that selections may be made before the service starts at 4pm.

This service offers families a warm, memorable way to experience the story of Christ's birth together — one that has a way of becoming a treasured Christmas tradition. If you have any questions, please reach out to our CYF Chair, Carol Cherpes, at mommieof2cuties@aol.com.

Happening This Week

TUESDAY, 12/9

- ♦ **11:00am — Bible Study** in Sacquety Hall

WEDNESDAY, 12/10

- ♦ **7:15am — Morning Prayer Service** in the chapel
- ♦ **6:30pm — Advent Book Study** in Sacquety Hall

FRIDAY, 12/12

- ♦ **8:00pm — "Tidings by the Sea" Concert by the Laguna Beach Chamber Singers** in the sanctuary

SATURDAY, 12/13

- ♦ **7:00pm — Christmas Concert by the Huntington Beach Concert Band** in the sanctuary

SUNDAY, 12/14

- ♦ **Small Change Sunday** to support Laundry Love
- ♦ **9:30am — Godly Play for Everyone** in the hall
- ♦ **12:15pm — Episcopal PRIDE Alliance Potluck Luncheon** in Sacquety Hall
- ♦ **4:00pm — "Jingle All the Way" Concert by the Huntington Landmark Chorale** in the sanctuary

Thank You, Elves!

Many thanks to all the elves who showed up to make Rosaries - singles, men and women, a family, and even a teenager. Be sure to pick up one of these Rosaries at today's Advent Bake Sale made by your friends here at St. Wilfrid's.

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar today are given in loving memory of Tom Wesley, one of our longtime parishioners.

Online Donations



If you would like to support the mission and ministries of St. Wilfrid's Episcopal Church, you can now give by using this QR code. Use your smart phone's camera app to scan the QR code to be directed to our online donation form. Your support is instrumental in keeping St. Wilfrid's a place of vital spiritual worship and engagement.

Ongoing Services

SUNDAYS

- ♦ **8:30am — Holy Eucharist**
- ♦ **10:30am — Holy Eucharist**
- ♦ **4:30pm to 6:00pm—Youth Group Meeting** in the Youth Center on the 1st and 3rd Sundays during the school year

TUESDAYS

- ♦ **9:30am — Grief Group** on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month in the Church Office
- ♦ **11:00am — Rector's Bible Study** weekly in Sacquety Hall
- ♦ **7:30pm — Men's Group** on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in the Church Office

WEDNESDAYS

- ♦ **7:15am — Weekly Holy Eucharist** in the chapel

Upcoming Events

TUESDAY, 12/16

- ♦ **9:30am — Grief Group Meeting** in the office
- ♦ **11:00am — Rector's Bible Study** in the hall
- ♦ **7:30pm — Men's Group Meeting** in the office

WEDNESDAY, 12/17

- ♦ **7:15am — Weekly Holy Eucharist** in the chapel
- ♦ **5:30pm — Laundry Love** at Huntington Coin Laundry
- ♦ **6:30pm — Advent Book Study** in Sacquety Hall

SUNDAY, 12/21

- ♦ **10:30am —Godly Play** in Room 9
- ♦ **5:00pm — "Advent Lessons and Carols Service"** in the sanctuary

MONDAY, 12/22

- ♦ **9:00am —Christmas Decorating** in the sanctuary

TUESDAY, 12/23

- ♦ **5:00pm—Christmas Service of Lament** in chapel

2025 Financial Report

(Through 10/31/25, Vestry received on 11/24/25)

	YTD Actual	YTD BUDGET	BETTER/(WORSE) THAN BUDGET
TOTAL INCOME	\$601,721	\$586,667	\$15,054
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$649,484	\$639,508	\$(9,976)
NET INCOME/ (LOSS)	\$(47,763)	\$(52,841)	\$5,078

St. Wilfrid's is a financially self-supporting parish. Every contribution to our mission, and in support of our ministries, counts. We also support the work of the greater Church throughout our community and the world. Your financial support, great or small, makes a difference. Won't you join us?

Readings for Wednesday Service

Read ahead for this week's Wednesday morning service.

First Lesson	Isaiah 57:14-19
Psalm	62
Second Lesson	Colossians 2:2-10
Gospel	John 12:27-36

Holiday Concerts at St. Wilfrid's

This Advent season brings a wonderful lineup of concerts to St. Wilfrid's, and we hope you'll take part in the music filling our campus. **Today at 3pm**, the OCWC shares their final performance of *Wintering*. Use code "STW" for \$5 off your ticket and experience a program that reflects on stillness, renewal, and the beauty of winter light. This **Friday at 8pm**, the Laguna Beach Chamber Singers return with *Tidings by the Sea*, a festive a cappella celebration of the season—and you might see a familiar face. On **Saturday at 7pm**, the HB Concert Band will offer their annual Christmas Concert. Next **Sunday at 4pm**, the Landmark Chorale will present *Jingle All the Way* a joyful collection of holiday classics, complete with a holiday boutique to explore, and a visit from Santa. More info is available in our email. Tickets available at the door.

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