



ST. DAVID'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT, YEAR A
FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

incorporating materials from Enriching Our Worship

December 11, 2022

9:00 a.m.

Celebrant	The Rev. Chad McCall, Associate Priest
Preacher	The Rev. Angela Cortiñas, Associate Rector
Assisting	The Rev. Kristin Braun, Curate
Music	Xavier Davis, piano Voices of St. David's Mariachi Clasico

Our Lady of Guadalupe, also known as the Virgin of Guadalupe, is considered the Patroness of Mexico and the Continental Americas. She is also venerated by Native Americans and is considered the protector of innocent children. Our service will be dedicated to the children incarcerated at the border.

🌿 The flowers on the Bethell Hall Altar are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the ministries of charity, outreach, and education of our parish, especially the Hispanic Outreach Ministry and Education group in celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, by Joe Sanchez and Jeremy Thompson. 🌿

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WORSHIP SERVICES

All services are in Bethell Hall during the season of Historic Church renovation.

- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I
Spoken service without music
- 9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II, EOW
Enriching Our Worship
- 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Traditional liturgy and music
Livestreamed
- 3 p.m. Communion w/clients of
Trinity Center, *Trinity Center*
- Feb. 8 The Open Table Quarterly Eucharist
6:30 p.m. and LGBTQIA+ formation

WORSHIP WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

Our new PRAYGROUND in Bethell Hall is a wonderful space for children to experience worship up close and personal while staying engaged with age-appropriate activities and resources. In the 9 a.m. service, at the gospel, young children are invited to follow the cross to the Bethell foyer for a brief children's chapel and return after the sermon.

PRAYER REQUESTS



To request a prayer scan the QR code with your device's camera, complete a prayer card, or call 512.610.3500 to notify the clergy of someone who is in the hospital or has a special need.

Copies of the prayer list with complete names are posted on the 2nd-floor hallway bulletin board. Please feel free to take a copy for your prayers.

SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER



Sign up for email news about special events, worship, and ways to connect with our community. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

VISITORS

Welcome! We're so glad you've joined us for worship today. If you'd like more information about getting connected at St. David's, we invite you to fill out a Guest Card, or get in touch with Dr. Amy Moehnke, our Director of Newcomer Ministries by emailing her (amy.m@stdave.org) or calling her at the church 512.610.3500. We look forward to getting to know you!

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code with your device's camera



PARKING

Parking is free for Sunday services and during church events. You do not need to scan anything to park in the garage. Questions? Contact worshipservices@stdave.org.

NEED A NAMETAG?

If you would like a new or replacement St. David's nametag, stop by the front desk to ask for one to be made for you by the next Sunday.

WAYS TO GIVE

- To give online scan the QR code with your device's camera.
- Complete the giving card or envelope found in the worship spaces and place in the offering plate.
- Text STDAVE to 73256.



CHURCH HOURS

Sundays: 7 a.m.-4 p.m.

Saturdays: Closed

Mon-Fri: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesdays: 8 a.m.-9 p.m.



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT, YEAR A: FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

PRELUDE

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN *(Please stand and join in singing.)*

✠ Las Mañanitas/The Morning Song

Estas son las mañanitas, que cantaba el Rey David, Hoy por ser día de tu santo, te las cantamos a ti, Despierta, mi bien, despierta, mira que ya amaneció, Ya los pajarillos cantan, la luna ya se metió. Que linda está la mañana en que vengo a saludarte, Venimos todos con gusto y placer a felicitarte, El día en que tu nacíste Narcieron todas las flores En la pila del bautismo Cantaron los ruiseñores Ya viene amaneciendo, ya la luz del día nos dio, Levántarte de la mañana, mire que ya amaneció	This is the morning song that King David sang Because today is your saint's day we're singing it for you Wake up, my dear, wake up, look it is already dawn The birds are already singing and the moon has set How lovely is the morning in which I come to greet you We all came with joy and pleasure to congratulate you The day you were born all the flowers were born On the baptismal font the nightingales sang The morning is coming now, the sun is giving us its light Get up in the morning, look it is already dawn Wake up, my dear, wake up, look it is already dawn
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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

✠ **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

(Please sing after the Cantor.)

✠ **KYRIE**

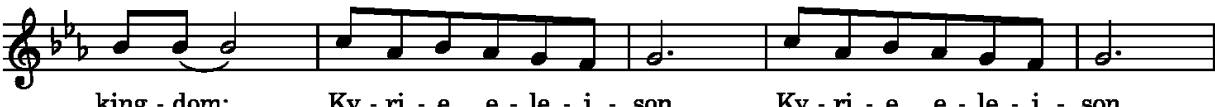
Missa de Lumine

Cantor:



You came to gather the nations into the peace of God's

People:



king - dom: Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Cantor:



You come in word and sacrament to strength - en us in ho - li - ness:

People:



Chri - ste e - le - i - son. Chri - ste e - le - i - son.

Cantor:



You will come in glory with salvation for your peo - ple: _____

People:



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

God be with you.

✠ **And also with you.**

Let us pray.

COLLECT FOR THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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Stir up your power, O Lord, and with great might come among us; and, because we are sorely hindered by our sins, let your bountiful grace and mercy speedily help and deliver us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever.

✠ **Amen.**

COLLECT FOR FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

O God of love, you blessed your people at El Tepeyac with the presence of La Virgen de Guadalupe: grant that her example of love to the poor and forsaken may stir our faith to recognize all people as members of one family. Teach us to follow in the way you have prepared for us, that we may honor one another in word and action, sharing with her your commonwealth of peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. ✠ **Amen.**

Oh, Dios de amor, tú que bendijiste a tu pueblo en Tepeyac con la presencia de la Virgen de Guadalupe; concede que su ejemplo de amor a los pobres y desamparados pueda avivar nuestra fe para reconocer a todas las personas como miembros de una sola familia. Enséñanos a seguir en el camino que tú has preparado para nosotros, de manera que podamos honrarnos unos a otros en palabra y en obras. Compartiendo con ella tu comunidad de paz; mediante Jesucristo nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios en Gloria sempiterna. ✠ **Amén.**

LITANY OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Celebrant

Mary, hearer, bearer and doer of the Word, open our hearts and minds to the presence of God among us.

Mother of the true God through whom one lives, make us a new creation.

Mother of the Great Truth, help us to recognize and value all your daughters and sons, especially the poor and disenfranchised.

Mother of the Giver of Life, protect your immigrant and refugee families, parents and children, far from the home of their hearts; inspire communities and generous souls to welcome them.

Mother of the Lord of near and close by, find room for those who have no home. May all find room in God.

Mother of the Lord of Heaven and Earth, fulfill your promise to be our protector and our consolation in life's struggles, our joy in life's blessings, and our haven at the hour of our death.

✠ **Amen.**

(Please be seated.)

OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 35:1-10

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

✠ **Thanks be to God.**

✠ My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
 my spirit rejoices in God my Savior; *
 for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.
 From this day all generations will call me blessed: *
 the Almighty has done great things for me, and holy is his Name.
 He has mercy on those who fear him *
 in every generation.
 He has shown the strength of his arm, *
 he has scattered the proud in their conceit.
 He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, *
 and has lifted up the lowly.
 He has filled the hungry with good things, *
 and the rich he has sent away empty.
 He has come to the help of his servant Israel, *
 for he has remembered his promise of mercy,
 The promise he made to our fathers, *
 to Abraham and his children for ever.

***Children's Chapel:** During the Sequence Hymn, young children are invited to follow the processional cross out to the Bethell Foyer. Chapel is geared toward children ages 3 thru 1st grade, but all are welcome.*

(Please stand and sing.)

SEQUENCE HYMN

✠ Pescador de Hombres/Lord, You Have Come to the Seashore

Composed by Cesáreo Gabaráin, one of the best-known composers of Spanish liturgical music.

Tú has venido a la orilla, no has buscado ni a sabios ni a ricos; tan sólo quieres que yo te siga. <i>Refrain:</i> Señor, me has mirado a los ojos, sonriendo has dicho mi nombre, en la arena he dejado mi barca, junto a ti buscaré otro mar. Tú sabes bien lo que tengo; en mi barca no hay oro ni espadas, Tan sólo redes y mi trabajo. Tú necesitas mis manos, mi cansancio que a otros descanse, Amor que quiera seguir amando. Tú, pescador de otros lagos, ansia eterna de almas que esperan, amigo bueno, que así me llamas.	Lord, You have come to the seashore Neither searching for the rich nor the wise desiring only that I should follow <i>Refrain:</i> O Lord, with your eyes set upon me, gently smiling, you have spoken my name; all I longed for I have found by the water. At your side, I will seek other shores. Lord, see my goods, my possessions; in my boat you find no power, no wealth Will you accept then my nets and labor? Lord, take my hands and direct them Help me spend myself in seeking the lost, returning love for the love you gave me. Lord, as I drift on the waters be the resting place of my restful heart, my life's companion, my friend and refuge.
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The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

✠ **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

GOSPEL: Matthew 11:2-11

The Gospel of our Savior.

✠ **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON: The Rev. Angela Cortiñas

(Please stand.)

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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.

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,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who 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.

Prayer Response

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Presiding Bishop, Michael; for our Bishops, Andy, Kai, Jeff, and Hector; for Alinafe, Bishop of Southern Malawi; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.
Pray for the Church.

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.
Pray that they may find and be found by him.

I ask your prayers for the departed, especially those for whom prayers are offered through St. David's.
Pray for those who have died.

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.
Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Celebrant

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.**

Let us confess our sins to God.

we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.
We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.

Celebrant

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

✠ **Amen.**

THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be always with you.

✠ **And also with you.**

The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of Jesus Christ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

Offertory Anthem: La Guadalupana/Virgin of Guadalupe

1. Desde el cielo, una hermosa mañana, Desde el cielo, una hermosa mañana, La Guadalupana, la Guadalupana, La Guadalupana, bajó al Tepeyac. 2. Su llegada llenó de alegría, Su llegada llenó de alegría, De luz y armonía, de luz y armonía, De luz y armonía, todo el Anáhuac. 3. Por al monte pasaba Juan Diego, Por el monte pasaba Juan Diego, Y acercóse luego, y acercóse luego, Y acercóse luego al oír cantar. 4. “Juan Dieguito” la Virgen le dijo, “Juan Dieguito” la Virgen le dijo, “Este cerro elijo, este cerro elijo, “Este cerro elijo, para hacer mi altar.” 5. Suplicante juntaba las manos, Suplicante juntaba las manos, Y eran mexicanos, eran mexicanos, Y eran mexicanos su porte y su faz. 6. En la tilma entre rosas pintada, En la tilma entre rosas pintada, Su imagen amada, Su imagen amada, Su imagen amada, Se dignó dejar. 7. Desde entonces para el Mexicano, Desde entonces para el Mexicano, Ser Guadalupano, ser Guadalupano, Ser Guadalupano es algo esencial.	1. From heaven, one beautiful morning, From heaven, one beautiful morning, The Virgin of Guadalupe, the Virgin of Guadalupe, The Virgin of Guadalupe descended to Tepeyac. 2. Her arrival brought happiness, Her arrival brought happiness, Light and harmony, light and harmony, Light and harmony, to all of Anáhuac. 3. When Juan Diego passed through the mountain, When Juan Diego passed through the mountain, And drew closer when, and drew closer when he heard singing And drew closer when, and drew closer when he heard singing 4. “Little Juan Diego” the Virgin said, “Little Juan Diego” the Virgin said, “This hill I choose, this hill I choose, “This hill I choose for my altar to be built.” 5. With her hands clasped together, With her hands clasped together She was of Mexican descent, she was of Mexican descent In both her visage and demeanor. 6. Among the painted roses of the tilma, Among the painted roses of the tilma, Her beloved image, Her beloved image, Her beloved image She deemed to leave behind. 7. Since then, for the Mexican people, Since then, for the Mexican people, To be a Guadalupan, to be a Guadalupan, To be a Guadalupan is something essential.
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Please stand as the ushers bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the Altar.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER 2

EOW

The Lord be with you.

✠ **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

✠ **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

✠ **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of pow'r and might,
Hea - ven and earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
- san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
- san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

(The People remain standing.)

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made. In the fullness of time bring us, with blessed David of Wales and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. ✠ AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Savior Christ taught us, we now pray,

✠ Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

Padre nuestro que estás en el cielo,
santificado sea tu Nombre,
venga tu reino,
hágase tu voluntad,
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras ofensas,
como también nosotros perdonamos
a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino,
tuyo es el poder,
y tuya es la gloria,
ahora y por siempre. Amén.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

✠ Fraction Anthem *(Please sing after the Cantor.)*

Missa de Lumine

Cantor:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the

People:

world Have mer - cy on us. Have mer - cy on us. world,

People:

grant us peace. grant us peace.

INVITATION

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Please form two lines in the center aisle and proceed to the Altar, if you want to receive Communion or a blessing. Gluten-free wafers are available, by request. If you desire a blessing, please cross your arms across your chest. Please ask an usher if you need communion brought to you.

Communion Anthem: Mi Virgen Bella/My Beautiful Virgin

Tú eres la esperanza que a nosotros, en forma de mujer, mandó el Señor, le pides con paciencia que su enojo, no caiga sobre el mundo pecador. Tan puro es tu amor y tan hermoso, que, humildes, nos postramos a tus pies. No me atrevo a mirarte a los ojos, indigna que me siento ante tu ser. ESTRIBILLO: Como Quisiera, ¡Ayy!, mi Virgen Bella Que mi cariño se convirtiera En una ofrenda y así Entregártelo Reina del Cielo, la más amable, Como un lucero maravilloso Que siempre está Cuidándonos. Hoy ante tu altar, y en tu presencia, te quiero regalar mi corazón. Va lleno de oraciones y promesas, para que se lo entregues al Señor. Tú eres la esperanza de mi pueblo, pues México escogiste para ser lugar en que a los pobres tú pudieras tu amor y bendiciones conceder.	You are the hope that came to us, in the form of a woman, commanded by the Lord, You ask him patiently that his anger, not fall on the sinful world. So pure is your love and so beautiful, that, humble, we prostrate ourselves at your feet. I dare not look you in the eye unworthy that I feel before your being. CHORUS: As I wanted, Ayy!, My Beautiful Virgin That my love became An offering, and so to give it to you. Queen of Heaven, the Most Kind, Like a wonderful light That is always Taking care of us. Today before your altar, and in your presence, I want to give you my heart. It is full of prayers and promises, so that you give it to the Lord. You are the hope of my people, Mexico you chose to be place where the poor you could your love and blessings bestow.
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Communion Hymn *(Please join in singing, while remaining seated.)*

✠ Al Partir el Pan/In the Breaking of the Bread

Al partir, al partir el pan, Al partir, al partir el pan, Te conocimos, te conocimos	In the breaking of the bread, In the breaking of the bread, We come to know you, we come to know you
Al comer, al comer tu pan Al comer, al comer tu pan Te conocimos, te conocimos	When we eat this bread When we eat this bread We come to know you, we come to know you
Al oír, al oír tu voz Al oír, al oír tu voz Te conocimos, te conocimos	When we hear your voice When we hear your voice We come to know you, we come to know you
Al pensar, al pensar en ti Al pensar, al pensar en ti Te conocimos, te conocimos	When we think of you When we think of you We come to know you, we come to know you

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER *(Please stand.)*

Let us pray.

✠ **We give you thanks, O God, for gathering your children together in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. We rejoice that you have remembered us; for we were scattered and have now been drawn together from the four corners of the earth. May we who celebrate La Virgen de Guadalupe ever strive for peace, and serve you as witnesses of Jesus Christ, until the Lord dawns in glory. Amen.**

BLESSING

May the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. ✠ **Amen.**

DISMISSAL HYMN *(Please join in singing.)*

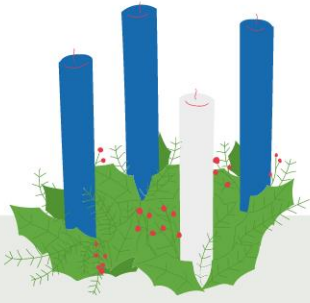
✠ Adiós, Reina del Cielo/Farewell, Queen of Heaven

ESTRIBILLO: Adiós, Reina del cielo, Madre del Salvador. Adiós, ¡oh Madre, mía!, adiós, adiós, adiós. Adiós, Reina del cielo, Madre del Salvador. dulce prenda adorada, de mi sincero amor. De tu divino rostro, la belleza al dejar, permíteme que vuelva tus plantas a besar. A dejarte, oh María, no acierta el corazón: te lo entrego, Señora, dame tu bendición. Adiós, Hija del Padre; Madre del Hijo, adiós; del Espíritu Santo, ¡oh casta, esposa!, adiós.	CHORUS: Farewell, Queen of Heaven, and Mother of our Savior. Goodbye, oh my Mother, goodbye, goodbye, goodbye. Farewell, Queen of Heaven, Mother of the Savior. sweet adored garment, of my sincere love. Your divine face, leaves beauty behind, allow me to kiss your feet again. To leave you, oh Mary, the heart is not right: I give it to you, Lady, give me your blessing. Farewell, Daughter of the Father; Mother of the Son, goodbye; of the Holy Spirit, oh chaste, wife!, goodbye.
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POSTLUDE

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Advent Worship Schedule

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Dec. 11 **THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I
- 9 a.m. Our Lady of Guadalupe, Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Livestreamed
- 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Livestreamed

Dec. 18 **FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

- 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I
- 9 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II
- 11:15 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Livestreamed

Dec. 22 **BLUE CHRISTMAS**

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 p.m., Livestreamed



Dec. 24 **CHRISTMAS EVE**

- 4 p.m. Children's Christmas Pageant with Holy Eucharist
- 7 p.m. Christmas Eve Holy Eucharist
- 10 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Livestreamed

Dec. 25 **CHRISTMAS DAY**

- 10:30 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Livestreamed



THE APOCALYPTIC NATURE OF ADVENT

Sunday, Dec. 18, 10 a.m., Crail C and Zoom

Dr. Rod Caruthers II, will explore the apocalyptic nature of Advent in relationship to Jewish and Christian concepts and demonstrate their significance for the modern Church. Register for links at stdave.org/classes.



CHRISTMAS CAROLING AND DINNER

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Sumners Hall

Join us for Wednesday night dinner provided by Chef Ray and Café Divine followed by the singing of Christmas Carols. Come dressed for holiday cheer.



BLUE CHRISTMAS

Thursday, Dec. 22, 7:30 p.m., Bethell Hall and livestreamed

This worship service is held on or around the longest night of the year/the winter solstice. It is a time of quiet reflection, prayer, and worship while we seek healing and hope during an otherwise very busy time of year. This service acknowledges the grief that many may be feeling during Advent and Christmas.

ADULT CLASSES

SUNDAYS, 10-11 a.m. (2nd Floor)

Crail C Lectures

Guest speakers, panel discussions, and classes.

See upcoming speakers at stdave.org/classes.

Dec. 18: The Apocalyptic Nature of Advent

Presented by Dr. Rod Caruthers II

Holy Conversations, 2nd Sundays, respectful conversations on issues that can often divide us.

Jan. 8 Parenting and Family Life

Presented by the Rev. Kristin Braun

Ongoing Groups

Men's Bible Study

The Middle Place

Reading the Bible ToGather

WEDNESDAYS, 6:30-7:30 p.m. (2nd Floor)

Bible Study: The First Christmas (Dec.)

The Difficult Words of Jesus (Jan.)

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

SUNDAYS (First Floor)

Childcare: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Room 115

(2 months-4 years)

Children's Classes: 10 a.m., Children's Classrooms

(Age 3-5th Grade)

Youth Classes: 10 a.m., Youth Room 170

(Grades 6-12)

WEDNESDAYS

Youth Group: Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m.

Meet for dinner in Sumners Hall and head downstairs for fun in Youth Room 170. Next meeting: Jan. 11, 2023

Jan. 8 Club 45 (Ministry for 4th and 5th grade students) will go ice skating. Contact kelsey.c@stdave.org

HOSPITALITY

Sumners Hall (Third Floor)

HAVE SUNDAY BREAKFAST WITH US

8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

This isn't your typical church coffee hour. We serve a homemade, hot meal, prepared by our in-house professional chef. Everyone is welcome. Let the cashier know if it is your first visit and your meal is on us!

ENJOY COFFEE IN HOLY GROUNDS

Sundays, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Lobby)

WEDNESDAY DINNER

5:30-6:30 p.m.

Gather for a weekly parish dinner with friends when you come to church for Wednesday evening offerings and events.

Dec. 21 Christmas Carol Sing-Along during the last Wednesday dinner of 2022.

THURSDAY LUNCH

First Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. (Open to the public)

Take a break from work and come by for Chef Ray's delicious food! Parking is validated for those eating lunch.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

READING BUDDIES

Read with children for an hour a week at Norman-Sims Elementary weekly using CDF's Freedom Schools book list.

ADVENT ANGEL TREE

Visit the tree in Bethell Foyer to purchase school supplies and holiday gifts for the children served by Norman-Sims Elementary.



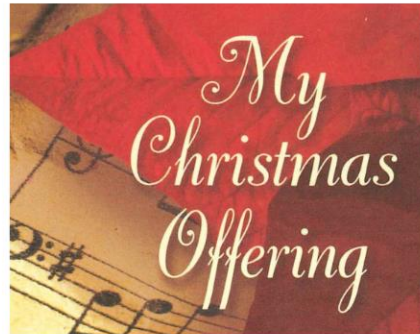
Learn more on the Community Engagement webpage. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

STEWARDSHIP

SPECIAL OFFERING FOR FLOWER DECORATIONS AND SPECIAL MUSIC

As we prepare for our festive celebrations of Christmas and Epiphany, we invite you to help prepare St. David's for these seasons by making a special gift toward the flowers and music funds. Please specify "Christmas flowers and music" on your check (or online gift), and your desired dedication wording, or simply contact the Stewardship Office at 512-610-3549.

Thank you,
Eric Malnassy
Director of Stewardship & Planned Giving



ONLINE GIVING



HOLY CONVERSATIONS



The Rev. Kristin Braun
Curate and Director of Community Engagement

10 A.M., CRAIL C AND ZOOM

SECOND SUNDAYS

Crail C and Zoom

In these conversations, we will learn how to bring our Episcopal faith to bear on current events.

PLANNED TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Medical Ethics
- Cancel Culture
- World Events

SUNDAY, JAN. 8

Join the Rev. Kristin Braun for a
Holy Conversation on
PARENTING AND FAMILY LIFE

SUBMIT TOPIC
SUGGESTIONS



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