

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
BAYSIDE, NEW YORK



THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
NOVEMBER 27, 2022

THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II 10:00 AM



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214-35 40TH AVENUE, BAYSIDE, NY 11361
THE VERY REV. LAURENCE G. BYRNE, RECTOR

WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

Whether you are a first-time visitor, long-time parishioner, or somewhere in between, we are honored and enriched by your on-line or in-person presence this morning, and offer you a sincere welcome home to this parish church. Although many of us are still physically apart, we are together in heart and mind. The tomb could not hold God's Son, and our current situation cannot conquer his people.

As we worship, we encourage you to join fully in the prayers and hymns and to share in Holy Communion. If you are at home, sing out the great hymns of the Church and make the responses out loud.

Should you be seeking a church to call your own, we hope that your search is over and that you will become a member of All Saints. Our regular Sunday services are at 10:00 AM.

Again, welcome, and may this be a happy and healthy Advent for you and all those whom you love.

*We will wish everyone a **warmer** welcome as soon as the furnace is repaired!*

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Veronica Scanlon, Jeanine Carroll, Bill Waid, Eileen Ramsay, Lois Combs, Paul Parfrey, Carolyn Magruder, Patricia Ravert Birgit Tonnesen, Carol Tonnesen, The Feller Family, The Arrington Family, Frank Torre, Eugenia Kryphik, Raymond, Diane, Anthony, Joseph Tesar, Sal Vizzini, Skylar and Zachary Matthews Che'ade Delotte-Bennett, Talley, Kem, Diana, Leola, Jim White, The Lugo Family, Catherine Collins, Harry Stafilis, Ruth Rutigliano, Facchin, Charles Gilmore, Clif Seale, Neil and Caroline Magruder, Carl Smith, Ellen, Jonelle McEachern, Linda Scavo, The Ryan Family, Virginia Presinal, Neil Ward, Pete Kroeger, Jeff Pollizzoto Brandon Chin, Abby Murphy, Jesus Muñoz, Roseann Scavo, Michael Madden, Tara Irazarry





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Prelude

Opening Hymn

Come, Thou Long-expected Jesus

Hymnal 66

1 Come, thou long - ex - spect-ed Je - sus, born to set thy peo - ple free;
2 Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion, hope of all the earth thou art:
3 Born thy peo - ple to de - liv - er, born a child, and yet a king,
4 By thine own e - ter - nal Spi - rit rule in all our hearts a - lone;

from our fears and sins re - lease us, let us find our rest in thee.
dear de - sire of ev - ery na - tion, joy of ev - ery long - ing heart.
born to reign in us for ev - er, now thy gra - cious king - dom bring.
by thine all - suf - fi - cient mer - it raise us to thy glo - rious throne.

Opening Sentences and Collect for Purity

BCP. 355

All standing, the Celebrant says Our King and Savior draweth nigh
People *O come, let us adore him*

The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Magnificat

Hymnal 437, Verse 1



1 Tell out, my soul, the great-ness of the Lord!
Un - num - bered bless - ings give my spi - rit voice;
ten - der to me the prom - ise of his word;
in God my Sa - vior shall my heart re - joice.

The Collect of the Day:

Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* And also with you. *Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

The First Lesson

Isaiah 2:1-5

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. In days to come the mountain of the LORD's house shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be raised above the hills; all the nations

shall stream to it. Many peoples shall come and say, 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths.'

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.
He shall judge between the nations, and
shall arbitrate for many peoples; they shall
beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning- hooks;

nation shall not lift up sword against
nation, neither shall they learn war any
more. O house of Jacob, come, let us
walk in the light of the LORD!

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Psalm 122

- 1 I was glad when they said to me, *
"Let us go to the house of the Lord."
- 2 Now our feet are standing *
within your gates, O Jerusalem.
- 3 Jerusalem is built as a city *
that is at unity with itself;
- 4 To which the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord, *
the assembly of Israel, to praise the Name of the Lord.
- 5 For there are the thrones of judgment, *
the thrones of the house of David.
- 6 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: *
"May they prosper who love you.
- 7 Peace be within your walls *
and quietness within your towers.
- 8 For my brethren and companions' sake, *
I pray for your prosperity.
- 9 Because of the house of the Lord our God, *
I will seek to do you good.



Happy New Year !
Lectionary Year A starts today.

"The Second Lesson

Romans 13:11-14

You know what time it is, how it is now the
moment for you to wake from sleep. For
salvation is nearer to us now than when we
became believers; the night is far gone, the day

is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy.

Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Sequence Hymn

Sleepers Wake

Hymnal 61

1 "Sleep-ers, wake!" A voice a - stounds us, the
 2 Zi - on hears the watch - men sing - ing; her
 3 Lamb of God, the heavens a - dore you; let

shout of ram - part - guards sur - rounds us: "A -
 heart with joy - ful hope is spring - ing, she
 saints and an - gels sing be - fore you, as

wake, Je - ru - sa - lem, a - rise!" Mid - night's peace their
 wakes and hur - ries through the night. Forth he comes, her
 harps and cym - bals swell the sound. Twelve great pearls, the

cry has bro - ken, their ur - gent sum - mons clear - ly spo -
 Bride-groom glo - rious in strength of grace, in truth vic - to -
 ci - ty's por - tals: through them we stream to join the im - mor -

ken: "The time has come, O maid - ens wise!
 rious: her star is risen, her light grows bright.
 tals as we with joy your throne sur - round.

Rise up, and give us light; the Bride - groom is in
 Now come, most wor - thy Lord, God's Son, In - car - nate
 No eye has known the sight, no ear heard such de -

sight. Al - le - lu - ia! Your lamps pre - pare and
 Word, Al - le - lu - ia! We fol - low all and
 light: Al - le - lu - ia! There - fore we sing to

has - ten there, that you the wed - ding feast may share."
 heed your call to come in - to the ban - quet hall.
 greet our King; for ev - er let our prais - es ring.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 24:36-44

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

Jesus said, to the disciples, “But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord

The Sermon

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:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from
the
Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius
Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again

be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore, you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.”

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

Fr. Byrne

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 and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is
worshiped and glorified.
He 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.

WATCH

The Prayers of the People

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world; Remembering especially Joseph, President of the United States and all those in positions of leadership

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Lawrence, Geralyn, William, and Daniel, our bishops, Laurence, our priest, Marjorie, our deacon, and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, remembering especially all those on the All Saints intercession list

Silence. The People may add their own petitions

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence. The People may add their own thanksgivings

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence. The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The Celebrant says 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.*

The Peace *Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Welcome and Announcements

The Offertory

Offertory Hymn

Rejoice, Rejoice Believers

Hymnal 68

1 Re - joice! re - joice, be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear!
2 See that your lamps are burn - ing, re - ple-nish them with oil;
3 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;

The eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near.
look now for your sal - va - tion, the end of sin and toil.
a - rise, thou Sun so longed for, a - bove this dark - ened sphere!

The Bride - groom is a - ris - ing, and soon he will draw nigh;
The mar - riage - feast is wait - ing, the gates wide o - pen stand;
With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see

up, watch in ex - pec - ta - tion! at mid - night comes the cry.
rise up, ye heirs of glo - ry, the Bride - groom is at hand!
the day of earth's re - demp - tion, and ev - er be with thee!

The Doxology (H. 380, verse 3)

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

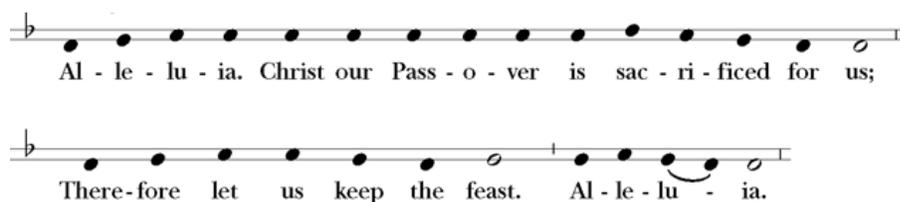
Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us we are bold to say,

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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
 have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
 sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,
 you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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

THE COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

All baptized Christians are welcome and encouraged to receive Holy Communion at All Saints. Communion will be distributed at the foot of the chancel steps. ☸ Those worshipping remotely are invited to the Act Of Spiritual Communion which will be on your screen.

Communion Hymn

Thy Kingdom Come, On Bended Knee

Hymnal 615

1 "Thy king - dom come!" on bend - ed knee the pass - ing a - ges pray;
 2 But the slow watch - es of the night not less to God be - long;
 3 And lo, al - rea - dy on the hills the flags of dawn ap - pear;
 4 the day to whose clear shin - ing light all wrong shall stand re - vealed,
 5 when know - ledge, hand in hand with peace, shall walk the earth a - broad;

1 and faith - ful souls have yearned to see on earth that king - dom's day.
 2 and for the ev - er - last - ing right the si - lent stars are strong.
 3 gird up your loins, ye pro - phet souls, pro - claim the day is near:
 4 when jus - tice shall be throned in might, and ev - ery hurt be healed;
 5 the day of per - fect right - eous - ness, the prom - ised day of God.

Piano Meditation

After Communion, the Celebrant says, Let us pray together:

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Advent Blessing

May Almighty God, by whose providence our Savior Christ came among us in great humility, sanctify you with the light of his blessing and set you free from all sin. *Amen.* ✠ May he whose second Coming in power and great glory we await, make you steadfast in faith, joyful in hope, and constant in love. *Amen.* ✠ May you, who rejoice in the first Advent of our Redeemer, at his second Advent be rewarded with unending life. *Amen.* And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

Closing Hymn

Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending

Hymnal 57

1 Lo! he comes, with clouds de - scend - ing, once for
2 Ev - ery eye shall now be - hold him, robed in
3 Those dear tok - ens of his pas - sion still his
4 Yea, a - men! let all a - dore thee, high on

our sal - va - tion slain; thou - sand thou - sand
dread - ful ma - jes - ty; those who set at
daz - zling bo - dy bears, cause of end - less
thine e - ter - nal throne; Sa - vior, take the

saints at - tend - ing swell the tri - umph of his
nought and sold him, pierced, and nailed him to the
ex - ul - ta - tion to his ran - somed wor - ship -
power and glo - ry; claim the king - dom for thine

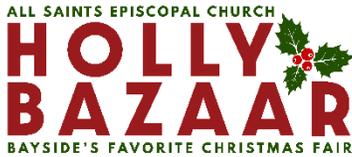
train: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
tree, deep - ly wail - ing, deep - ly wail - ing,
ers; with what rap - ture, with what rap - ture,
own: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Christ the Lord re - turns to reign.
deep - ly wail - ing, shall the true Mes - si - ah see.
with what rap - ture gaze we on those glo - rious scars!
Al - le - lu - ia! Thou shalt reign, and thou a - lone.

Postlude

Dismissal Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God!

The 80th Annual Holly Bazaar *It's almost here!*



The 2022 Holly Bazaar is under way! We have a good collection of vendors signed up. As we continue our move back to the “new” normal, we are excited to see the reimagined Bazaar taking shape.

Trees/Wreathes/Poinsettias (Stella Elder, coordinator) If you pre-ordered a wreath, it will have been tagged and customized for you. No Switching! Sanat will be watching!

Raffle Baskets We need individuals to donate prepared “themed” baskets – think Basket of Cheer, Movie Night, Cozy up with a Good Book, Pasta Night, The 12 Days of Christmas, Game Night... you get the idea. We ask that the basket reflect a minimum monetary value of \$25.

Raffle Tickets will be on sale at Coffee Hour throughout November

ECW Jewelry Shop (Judy Batashoff, coordinator) Bayside’s favorite estate jewelry outlet

Teddy’s Corner (Susan Byrne, coordinator)- Children’s activities and gifts

Elsie’s Emporium (Diana Schillizzi, coordinator) The best of pre-loved treasures of all kinds.

Megan’s Gingerbread House (The re-imagined All Saints Café) – (Megan Monfiston, coordinator)-

Most importantly, we need volunteers in the following areas:

Tree Trimming TODAY following the service in the Common Room

Set-up on Friday, December 2, 2021 11:00 AM until done

Staffing church tables on Saturday, December 3, 2022

Clean-up on Saturday, December 3(3-6 p.m.)

Holly Bazaar Breakfast December 4th after the service. \$10.00

Tickets are on sale today!

EVERY MEMBER CANVASS 2022/23

Our 130th Anniversary year has been so incredibly busy, that the Every Member Canvass will be very low-key. We have had real success in reaching out to the community and you all know we rely on pledges to keep the doors open, and the mission and ministry going and growing. Watch your mail for the letter and your pledge card. We would like to have them back by Advent III. Please begin to think about your pledge for 2023 today.

Christmas Pageant Rehearsal Today

The Second music rehearsal is today in the church at 11:30.

UTO Ingathering

This season of thanks-giving is a great time to remember the United Thank Offering. We will conclude our fall ingathering today.



In honor of her dad, Tom Ramsay, Kathleen Ramsay is collecting Toys for Tots this year. If you would like to donate a new toy, we will collect them here and pass them on to Kathleen.

Unwrapped toys are due by December 4th.

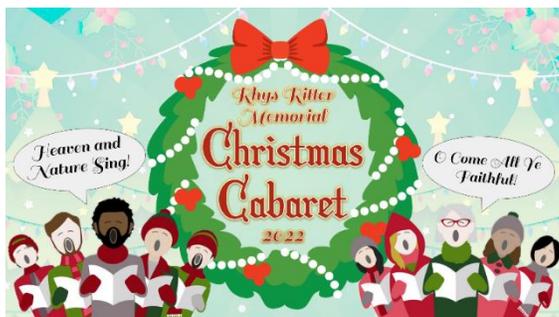
ADOPT A FAMILY

It's time once again to share in the joy of Christmas through the Adopt-A-Family program of St. John's Episcopal Hospital. If you would like to participate, please sign up on the sheets by the Sacristy door. **We have never failed to fulfill our families' wish lists. Please be sure to sign up TODAY!** Presents are due to be wrapped and returned by December 4th. For questions, please call Juanita Allen (718) 225-8041



BAYSIDE GLEE CLUB WINTER CONCERT

The Bayside Mens Glee Club will hold its winter concert at All Saints on Sunday, December 11th at 3:00 PM. Tickets are \$10.00 and will be available at the door.



Several years ago, Rhys Ritter created what became a holiday tradition at All Saints, the **Christmas Cabaret**. We are reviving the tradition, this time as a memorial for him. Everyone is invited to join us for a musical Christmas party on **Saturday, December 17th at 4:00PM**. Don your festive apparel, bring a dessert or appetizer to share, and join us as we troll both new and ancient yuletide carols!

On the Cover: The Winged Lion Man, the symbol of St. Matthew. Year A in the lectionary is Matthew's year.

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