

Welcome to  
The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd



THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NOVEMBER 28, 2021

10:00 AM, THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

## **Welcome to the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd!**

### **COVID-19 Precautions**

Masks are now optional. Please be considerate of those who choose to wear masks and observe social distancing. Thank you.

### **Visitors**

Welcome! We're glad to have you worship with us. If you'd like to learn more about this community of faith and our different ministries, fill out one of our visitor cards (in the pews) and hand it to an usher.

### **Welcome, Kids!**

During the 10:00 am service, a staffed nursery is available. You can drop off children at the Early Learning Center classroom closest to the pool.

**NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON NOVEMBER 28.** From 9:50-10:30 am, Children's Sunday School is held in the Early Learning Center, in the second room on the right after going through the gate.

### **Restrooms**

Exit through the courtyard. A family restroom is available to your right in the Worsham Hall building as soon as you go through the glass door.

Ask an usher if you need any assistance.

### **Stay Connected**

Follow us on Facebook or Instagram. Our Facebook page is "The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd - Jacksonville, Florida" and we're on Instagram as "goodshepherdjaxchurch."

Our website is [gsjax.church](http://gsjax.church).

Sign up for "This Week at Good Shepherd," our weekly e-newsletter, by following the link on the homepage of our website or by emailing [welcome@gsjax.church](mailto:welcome@gsjax.church).



## OPENING VOLUNTARY

Lo, How a Rose e'er Blooming

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

## WELCOME

## OPENING HYMN

Lo! he comes with clouds descending

Hymnal 57

## THE LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

Chelsea, Austen, George & Elwyn Pappalardo

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Celebrant* Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.

*People* **For behold, darkness covers the land, and deep gloom enshrouds the people.**

*Celebrant* But over you the Lord will rise, and his glory will appear upon you.

*People* **Nations will stream to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawning.**

*Celebrant* The Lord will be your everlasting light,

*People* **and your God will be your glory.**

*Celebrant* O God, by whose Word all things are sanctified and who gave light to all creation: Grant that this wreath and the light that comes from its candles may serve as a reminder to us of our need to prepare ourselves in heart and mind for the coming of Christ, and that by his indwelling presence our lives might be transformed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*Celebrant*  
*People*

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

### 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.**

### KYRIE

Sung by the Chancel Choir

Stephen Jockisch, *tenor*

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant*  
*People*  
*Celebrant*

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

*The Celebrant says the Collect*

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.**

*Please be seated.*

### FIRST LESSON: Jeremiah 33:14-16

*Reader: A reading from Jeremiah.*

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous

Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## **PSALM 25:1-9**

*Celebrant and the People read the psalm by half verse.*

- <sup>1</sup> To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul;  
my God, I put my trust in you; \*  
**let me not be humiliated,  
nor let my enemies triumph over me.**
- <sup>2</sup> Let none who look to you be put to shame; \*  
**let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.**
- <sup>3</sup> Show me your ways, O LORD, \*  
**and teach me your paths.**
- <sup>4</sup> Lead me in your truth and teach me, \*  
**for you are the God of my salvation;  
in you have I trusted all the day long.**
- <sup>5</sup> Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love, \*  
**for they are from everlasting.**
- <sup>6</sup> Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; \*  
**remember me according to your love  
and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.**
- <sup>7</sup> Gracious and upright is the LORD; \*  
**therefore he teaches sinners in his way.**
- <sup>8</sup> He guides the humble in doing right \*  
**and teaches his way to the lowly.**
- <sup>9</sup> All the paths of the LORD are love and faithfulness \*  
**to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.**

**THE EPISTLE:** 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

*Reader:* A reading from 1 Thessalonians.

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith.

Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**GRADUAL HYMN**

Hymnal 56

O come, O come Emmanuel (Verses 1-4)

*Please stand.*

**THE GOSPEL:** Luke 21:25-36

*Gospeler* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

Then he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

"Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

*Gospeler*    The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*    **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

## **SERMON**

The Rev. Brent Owens

*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:  
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  
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.

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (FORM VI)**

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

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;  
**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 Curry, John Howard, our priests Brent Owens and Elyse Gustafson, and our  
postulant Teri Calinao; and for all bishops and other ministers;  
**For all who serve God in his Church.**

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. We pray especially for Missy, Paula,  
Angelina, Rebecca, Brad, Theodore, Peter, Brandon, Yevgeniya, Julie, Erwin, Andrea,  
Courtney, Rodman, Allison, Polly, Lawrence, Jennifer, Ann, Brian, Lisa, Nancy, Ted, Sally,  
Randall, Ingo, John, Glenn, Ruth, Constantine, Joyce, Gail, Art, Patricia, E. G., Judy,  
Dorothy, Ellen, and Shirley.

*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.**

## **CONCLUDING COLLECT**

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

## **CONFESSION OF SIN**

*Celebrant*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Celebrant 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.**

## **ABSOLUTION**

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**

*The Celebrant says to the people*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People*            **And also with you.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

#### **OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

Lift Up Your Heads

William Mathais (1934-1992)

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors,  
and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory?

The Lord strong and mighty; the Lord mighty in battle.

#### **DOXOLOGY**

Hymnal 380, vs 3

#### **EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER 2 FROM ENRICHING OUR WORSHIP**

*Please stand as you are able*

*Celebrant*            The Lord be with you.

*People*                **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*            Lift up your hearts.

*People*                **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant*            Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*                **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:

## **SANCTUS**

**Hymnal S-125**

(Hymn numbers preceded by an “S” are found in the front of the hymnal.)

*Celebrant and People sing*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

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 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.**

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

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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

*People and Celebrant*

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

### FRACTION HYMN

O Lamb of God

Hymnal S-158

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.  
*People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.  
*Celebrant* The gifts of God for the People of God.

### COMMUNION HYMN

Lo, how a Rose e're blooming

Hymnal 81

## THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*People and Celebrant*

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 BLESSING

*A blessing is offered and the people respond Amen.*

### CLOSING HYMN

Hark! the glad sound! the Savior reigns

Hymnal 72

## THE DISMISSAL

*Celebrant* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
*People* Thanks be to God.

### CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Improvisation on *Veni Emmanuel*

The Rev. Brent Owens  
*Rector*

Hardee Mahoney  
Glenn Scott  
Allan Wulbern  
*Readers*

**Altar Flowers**

Given by Lucie Sweda to the glory of God and in memory of Lily H. Sweda.

## **Special Prayers**

**We pray for peace throughout the world.**

**We pray for our companion dioceses of Cuba and Peru, and especially for our companion parish, The Church of the Annunciation in Florida, Cuba.**

**We pray those in our diocese, especially for:** Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Welaka; Episcopal Church of the Mediator, Micanopy; St. Francis in the Field Episcopal Church, Ponte Vedra; St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Jacksonville; St. Joseph's Episcopal Church, Newberry; St. John's Episcopal Church, Tallahassee

**We give thanks and pray for the safety of all healthcare workers during this time of the COVID-19 pandemic, especially for:** Dean, Karen, George, Alan, Naya, Jay, Lysa, Tony, Tom, Brett, Susanna C., MacLean Nasrallah, Ilya Nasrallah.

**We give thanks and pray for all the frontline workers.**

**We pray for those in need of healing, strength or guidance, especially for:**

Missy L., Paula, Angelina Smalkova, Rebecca, Brad, Theodore, Peter Flood, Brandon Centerwall, Yevgeniya, Julie Beasley, Erwin Cascante, Andrea H., Courtney, Rodman, Allison DeFoor, Polly, Lawrence, Jennifer Keen, Ann Ottesen, Lisa, Nancy, Ted, Sally McKeithen, Randall Burke, Ingo, John, Glenn, Ruth, Constantine, Joyce Norville, Gail Dunn, Art Jennette, Patricia Lee, E. G. Newsom, Judy Martin, Dorothy, Ellen, Shirley Walters, and our postulant Teri Calinao and husband George.

**We pray for those affected by COVID-19, and for those who have died from the virus.**

**We pray for those who have died.**

**May their souls, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.**

**We pray for all who are serving in our Armed Forces and Intelligence Services, both at home and abroad, especially for:** Rich, Ashton, Zachary, Brooker, Caleb, Charlie, Erik, Katie, Bradley Williams, Thomas Crouch, Jonathan Ubl, Channing Mattix, Warren Butler.

We give thanks for those celebrating birthdays this week, especially

Skip Brown	November 28
Susan Worthington	November 30
Jeanne Moomaw	December 1
Fran Wulbern	December 1
Barbara Pearce	December 1
Harry Benton-Rzeznik	December 4
Samuel Benton-Rzeznik	December 4

We give thanks for those celebrating anniversaries this week.

We give thanks to all who volunteered and made our annual Thanksgiving meal outreach possible. Special thanks for Susannah Sands' leadership.

10:00 am Attendance on November 21, 2021

86 in person

# Announcements

## **Canticles & Carols: December 9 at 7:30 pm**

Join the Douglas Anderson School of the Arts Vocal Department as it presents the first of two nights of "Canticles & Carols" on December 9, 2021 at 7:30 pm at Good Shepherd. Hear classic songs of the season by talented vocalists from DA. Choirs are directed by Jeffrey Clayton and Holly Hammond.

Tickets are \$7.00 and go on sale on November 29. They can be purchased on [gofan.co](http://gofan.co) (NOT .com). After visiting the website, search for "Douglas Anderson." The cost of your ticket supports the arts.

## **Christmas 2021 Outreach: Shepherd's Tree**

Our Christmas Gift Outreach for the children at West Riverside Elementary kicks off on Sunday, November 28, the First Sunday of Advent. The Christmas tree will be in the Narthex and decorated with gift tags. Please take tags, purchase gifts, and return the gifts WITH THE TAG ATTACHED! If you prefer to donate, we will purchase a gift for you. Send your donations to the church office and specify "Christmas Gift Outreach."

### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

The supply chain situation is causing shortages in all stores; this is causing a tight schedule and additionally the last day of school is early this year. Below are IMPORTANT DATES!

- Nov. 28: Christmas Tree with tags in Narthex
- Dec. 7: Final day to donate and we purchase gifts for you.
- Dec. 13: Gifts delivered to West Riverside Elementary School for distribution to students.
- Dec. 17: Last day of school for Christmas Holiday.

If you have any questions, contact Susannah Sands at [susannahsands@hotmail.com](mailto:susannahsands@hotmail.com)

## **JASMYN Winter Gear & Gift Card Drive**

**Who:** JASMYN supports LGBTQ+ youth, particularly youth who are experiencing homelessness.

**What:** New winter gear and gift cards. **No used clothing or gear will be accepted.**

Bring donations to Good Shepherd on or before Sunday, December 5 and we will take all donations to JASMYN. (Drop off in our office or in church on December 5). Or you can take your donation to JASMYN on:

**When:** Saturday, Dec. 4, 10 am – 12 pm and Monday, Dec. 6, 3 - 6 pm

Masks are required for all donors.

**Please donate only those items on the list below. Due to limited storage space, no additional clothing, bags, furniture, etc. will be accepted. No food or hygiene items should be included.**

**Where:** 923 Peninsular Place, The Watson House (J1)

**Questions:** Contact Liz Nolan at [lnolan@jasmyn.org](mailto:lnolan@jasmyn.org)

### **Winter Gear List**

1. Sweatshirts/hoodies
2. Sweatshirt jackets
3. Sweatpants
4. Stocking caps
5. Gloves
6. Sleeping bags

### **Gift Card List**

1. Winn-Dixie
2. Walmart
3. Publix
4. Lyft
5. Uber
6. Visa
7. Amazon
8. Gas Cards
9. McDonald's
10. Wendy's

## **Livestream Techs Needed**

We need people to make the Livestream happen each Sunday. By live-streaming services on YouTube, people who otherwise would not be able to attend worship can attend. If you are interested in helping, please contact Anne Graham at [acgraham916@gmail.com](mailto:acgraham916@gmail.com).

## **Altar Flowers for 2022**

The new year is only a couple of months away. This year, since we're back in the church, there is a flower chart in the Narthex (back part of the church). You can now sign up there.

Altar flowers are \$75. Please indicate "altar flowers" in the memo line if you pay by check or in the drop-down menu if you pay through Realm.

Send an email to [welcome@gsjax.church](mailto:welcome@gsjax.church) with your dedication (usually in memory/honor/thanksgiving of someone) or call the parish office.

## **This Week**

### **On Sunday Mornings**

#### **Bible Study in Craig Lounge (and by Zoom) on Sundays at 9:00 am**

Study the Bible in a non-threatening way and get to know others in the process. No preparation or study is required. "African Bible Study" is a method first introduced by the African Delegation to Lambeth Conference in 1998 (Lambeth Conference is a gathering every 10 years of all bishops of the Anglican Communion.)

#### **Good Shepherd 101 in the Library at 9:00 am on Sundays (and by Zoom)**

This class welcomes everyone (whether new to Good Shepherd or a long-time member) into the Episcopal Church to help equip us to carry out the work of Christ in the world. We will explore Episcopal liturgy and history, our own spiritual gifts, the sacraments, and much more. Please explore the Episcopal Church with us as we also discern our own spiritual journey. Each session is a "stand-alone" class so that you can attend one, or all or something in between. Led by Fr. Brent Owens.

## **For Children**

**9:30 am–11:30 am Sunday Mornings Staffed Nursery in the Early Learning Center, first room on right after going through the gate.** Infant through 4 years old.

**NO SUNDAY SCHOOL on November 28. It will resume next Sunday.**

**9:50-10:30 am Sunday Mornings: Children’s Sunday School in the Early Learning Center, second room on the right after going through the gate.** Age 5 through middle school.

## **During the Week**

### **Wednesday Noon Bible Study in Craig Lounge only**

Julie Davis leads this study of Genesis, using Peter Enns’ *Invitation to Genesis*.

### **Wednesday Evening Compline on YouTube**

Visit our YouTube channel at or after 7:00 pm each Wednesday for a service of Compline. Services are led by different people each week. These services are brief and a good way to find peace after a long day.

### **Saturday Lay Weeders**

If you would like to join the “Lay Weeders,” simply come to Good Shepherd on the first Saturday of the month between 8:00 am and noon. You can bring gloves and gardening tools. This group meets in the courtyard and beautifies the natural spaces around Good Shepherd.

# The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd

A Parish in the Episcopal Diocese of Florida

The Right Reverend Samuel Johnson Howard, Bishop

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The Right Reverend Dorsey Henderson, Assisting Bishop

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## Weekly Calendar

### Wednesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

12:00 pm Noon Bible Study in Craig Lounge only

7:00 pm Compline on YouTube

### Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am Lay Weeders in the Courtyard

### Sunday, December 5<sup>th</sup>

*The Second Sunday of Advent*

8:00 am The Holy Eucharist, Rite I in the Chapel

9:00 am Bible Study in Craig Lounge and via Zoom

9:00 am Good Shepherd 101

9:50 pm Children's Sunday School in Early Learning Center Classroom

10:00 am The Holy Eucharist, Rite II in the Church and on YouTube

Our YouTube videos will remain available to watch after the time they premiere.

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