

# Church of the Good Shepherd

## Knowing Christ and Making Him Known

*Rooted in the Word, Nourished by the Sacraments, Alive in Jesus Christ*



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**November 27, 2022 – 10:30am**

### **The First Sunday in Advent**

Welcome to Church of the Good Shepherd! We are delighted to worship God with you this morning. Everything you need for is here in these pages. If you are visiting and would like more information about Good Shepherd, please fill out a guest card at either of the usher tables or call the parish office (723-8032). At Good Shepherd you will find friendly people, engaging sermons, joyful worship, practical teaching, and lots of kids. Welcome!

# Holy Eucharist, November 27, 2022

## The First Sunday in Advent

### The Prelude

*Sleepers Wake, A Voice Astounds Us*

J.S. Bach

### The Procession

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*

*The people stand and sing, facing the procession*

1 I want to walk as a child of the light.  
2 I want to see the bright - ness of God.  
3 I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.

I want to fol - low Je - sus.  
I want to look at Je - sus.  
I want to be with Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The  
Clear sun of right - eous - ness, shine on my path, and  
When we have run with pa - tience the race, we

star of my life — is Je - sus.  
 show me the way to the Fa - ther.  
 shall know the joy — of Je - sus.

*Refrain*

In him there is no dark - ness at all. The

night and the day are both a - like. The

Lamb is the light of the ci - ty of God. *rit.*

*a tempo*

Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

# The Acclamation and Collect for Purity

*The people remain standing*

*Celebrant* Surely the Lord is coming soon.

*People* **Amen. Come Lord Jesus!**

*~Revelation 22:20*

**A**lmighty 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.**

## The Summary of the Law

Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

## The Kyrie

*The people remain standing*

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.  
Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with your spirit.**

*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 Lessons

*The people sit for the reading of the lessons.*

### The First Lesson

#### Isaiah 2:1-5

Pew Bible pg. 567, LP pg. 673

*Reader*            The Word of the Lord.

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

#### Psalm 122

*The people join the choir in singing*



- 1 I was glad when they said unto *me*, \*  
"We will go into 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 in itself.
- 4 For there the tribes go up, even the tribes of the LORD, \*  
as was decreed for Israel, to give thanks unto the Name of the LORD.
- 5 For there is the throne of *judgment*, \*  
even the throne of the house of David.
- 6 O pray for the peace of Jerusalem; \*  
they shall prosper that love you.
- 7 Peace be within your *walls* \*  
and plenteousness within your palaces.
- 8 For my brethren and companions' *sakes*, \*  
I will wish you prosperity.
- (2nd) 9 Indeed, because of the house of the LORD our God, \*  
I will seek to do you good.

## The Second Lesson

**Romans 13:8-14**

Pew Bible pg.948, LP pg. 1127

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

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

## The Gradual

*Wait for The Lord*

Taize

*The people stand and sing, facing the procession*

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.

Wait for the Lord: be strong, take heart!

The musical score is written for two staves, Treble and Bass clef, in the key of D major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and homophonic, with lyrics written below the notes. The first system covers the first line of text, and the second system covers the second line. The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

## The Gospel

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

**Matthew 24:29-44**

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

## The Sermon

The Reverend Jonathan Groves

## The Nicene Creed

*The people stand, if able*

*Celebrant* Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

**W**e believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten 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 from the Holy Spirit and 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. 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.*

## The Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "*hear our prayer.*"

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

***People* Hear our prayer.**

For Foley Beach, Julian Dobbs and William Love, our Bishops, for Matt, Jonathan, Anne, and Micah, and for all who minister at Good Shepherd, for Jerry and Ife, and for all the clergy and people of our Province and diocese, especially for the Anglican Province of Congo, and for the people and clergy of Church of the Good Shepherd Catonsville, Maryland.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

***People* Hear our prayer.**

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others, especially for Tyler at New Covenant School, for the Carrie Moorhead-Nelson and her work with InterVarsity Campus Ministries.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

***People* Hear our prayer.**

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith. This week we pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are facing continuing anti-Christian violence in the middle belt of Tanzania.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

*People* **Hear our prayer.**

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service especially President Biden, Governor Hochul, Senator Akshar, and Mayor Kraham.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

*People* **Hear our prayer.**

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those you might name now.

*Reader* Lord, in your mercy

*People* **Hear our prayer.**

We bless your holy Name for all your servants who departed this life, praying you would grant us grace to follow their good examples, that with them we might partake in your heavenly kingdom.

Your own additional prayers and thanksgivings are invited.

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **The Confession of Sin**

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbors.

*The people kneel if able and pray together*

**A**lmighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all people: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against your divine Majesty, provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable.

Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Celebrant stands and says*

**A**lmighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver



you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

## **The Comfortable Words**

*The Celebrant says*

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. ~1 John 2:1-2

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

*People*        **And with your spirit.**

*Then the Celebrant and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## **Announcements**

## **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

## **The Offertory Sentence**

*Celebrant*      If anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? ~1 John 3:17

*If you are a guest with us today, please do not feel obligated to give an offering. If you are a regular attender at Good Shepherd, you may give your tithe in several ways. An offering plate will be passed and you are welcome to give your offering there. There is also an offering box at the rear of the sanctuary where you may drop your tithe, or you can mail checks to 360 Conklin Avenue, Binghamton, NY, 13903. You can also give online through [Breeze](#) or you can text a donation through Breeze at 607-882-6551. Good Shepherd also has a [PayPal](#) account. As always, thank you for your great generosity and kind support.*

# Offertory Music

## *Sleepers Wake, A Voice Astounds Us*

*The people remain sitting, and sing*

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 Presentation of the Gifts

*The people stand, and sing if able*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise  
him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye  
heaven - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

The musical notation consists of three staves of music in G major (one sharp). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below each staff. The first staff contains the first line of lyrics, the second staff the second line, and the third staff the third line. The music ends with a double bar line.

## The Great Thanksgiving

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with your spirit.**

*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 just and right so to do.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

**I**t is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great glory to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

# The Sanctus

## *Holy, Holy*

*The people remain standing and sing*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and

The first system of musical notation for 'The Sanctus' consists of a treble and bass staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 6/4. The melody in the treble staff begins with a quarter rest, followed by a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

might, heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

The second system continues the melody. The treble staff features a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff continues with accompaniment.

san - na in the high - est. \* Bless - ed is he who comes

The third system continues the melody. The treble staff features a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff continues with accompaniment.

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

The fourth system continues the melody. The treble staff features a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff continues with accompaniment.

high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The fifth system concludes the melody. The treble staff features a half note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff continues with accompaniment.

## The Prayer of Consecration

*The people kneel. The Celebrant continues*

All praise and glory is yours, God our heavenly Father, because of your tender mercy, you gave your only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and instituted, and in his Holy Gospel commanded us to continue a perpetual memory of his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

And now, O merciful Father; in your great goodness, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine, that we, receiving them according to your Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me." Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith

*Celebrant and People sing together*

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

And here we offer and present to you, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice; humbly pleading that all those who shall partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ; that, by the Holy Spirit, we may be filled with your grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, so that he may dwell in us, and we in him. 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 forever. **Amen.**

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

## The Lord's Prayer

*The people remain kneeling, and 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,  
forever and ever. Amen.

## The Fraction

*The people remain kneeling and say*

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.

*People* Therefore let us keep the feast.

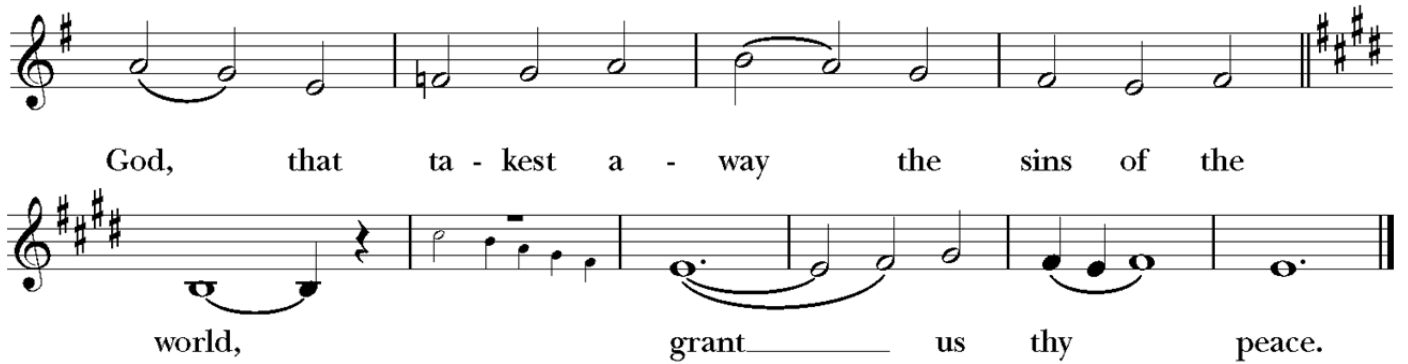
## The Prayer of Humble Access

*Celebrant and people say together*

We do not presume to come to this your Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your Table. But you are the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. *Amen.*

## The Agnus Dei

O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -  
way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -  
on us. O Lamb of God, that  
ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have  
mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of



God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the  
world, grant us thy peace.

## The Communion of the People

*All Christians baptized in any denomination and in good standing with their home church are welcome to take Communion. If you are unable to take communion for any reason, you are warmly invited to the rail for a prayer and blessing: just place your hands across your chest and one of the pastors will bless and pray for you. If you are unable to come forward for any reason, please let an usher know and we will bring the Sacrament to you in your pew. Gluten free wafers are available upon request when you come forward.*

## The Invitation

*Celebrant*

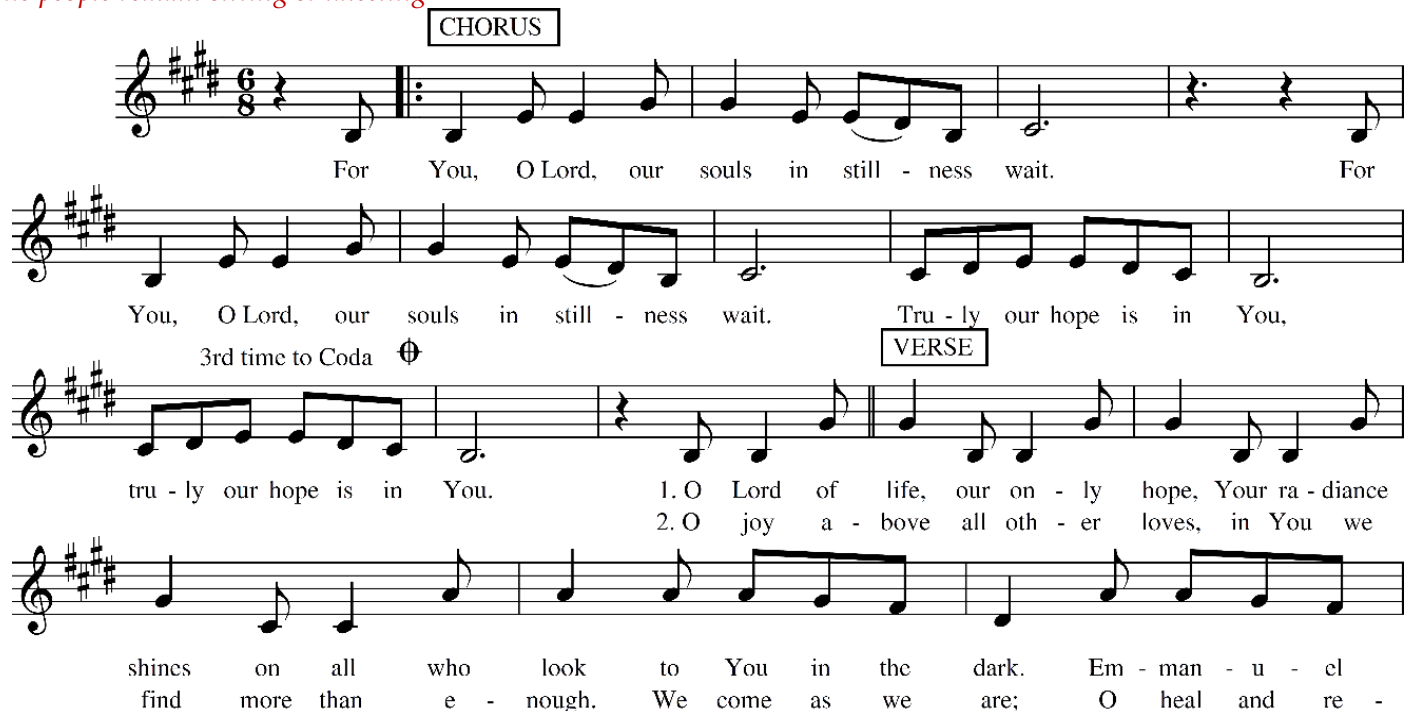
The Gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

## Communion Music

### *Come Light our Hearts*

*The people remain sitting or kneeling*

**CHORUS**



For You, O Lord, our souls in still - ness wait. For  
You, O Lord, our souls in still - ness wait. Tru - ly our hope is in You,  
3rd time to Coda  $\oplus$  **VERSE**  
tru - ly our hope is in You. 1. O Lord of life, our on - ly hope, Your ra - diance  
2. O joy a - bove all oth - er loves, in You we  
shines on all who look to You in the dark. Em - man - u - el  
find more than e - nough. We come as we are; O heal and re -



D.C. al Coda

come,      come    light      our      hearts.  
-store,    come    light      our      hearts.

For

⊕ Coda

You.

## The Post-Communion Prayer

*The people kneel*

*Celebrant*      Let us Pray.

*Celebrant and People*

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us; and that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

## The Blessing

*Celebrant*

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

## The Recession

### *Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending*

*The people stand, if able, and sing facing the procession*



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.

## The Dismissal

*Celebrant* Let us go forth, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## The Postlude

### *Once He Came in Blessing*

J. S. Bach

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## Weekly Update, November 27, 2022

### Ongoing Ministries

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study** meets at 9:05am to walk through different books of the bible, verse by verse. Taught by a member of the pastoral staff in the main room of the parish hall. This class can be viewed in person or online each week by livestream.

This class is currently working on a study focusing on the miracles of Christ.

**Shepherd's Bowl Community Dinner** Good Shepherd offers a free nutritious meal to the people of Good Shepherd and the wider community on Thursday evenings from 5:30-6:30. If you are able, this is a great time to get to know others and enjoy a free and delicious meal.

**Thursday Evening Bible Study** This is a great place to connect with others and learn more about what God has to say to us through his word. The class is taught by The Rev. Jon Groves, and they are studying the book of Judges.

**Friday Morning Men's Bible Study** Each week a men gather at 6:30am to share bible study and prayer time together. Men of any age are welcome to attend. If you are interested in learning more about this study, please email Pastor Matt, Jonathan Groves, or contact the church office. This class is currently studying the book of Jeremiah.

**Women's Bible Study** meets at 4:30pm on Friday afternoons in the Parish Hall. Anne Kennedy is leading, and they are currently studying the book of Proverbs. If you'd like to join by zoom, please join the church email list and look for a link in the weekly update email.

**Good Shepherd Youth Group** The Good Shepherd Youth Group serves young adults by providing an engaging context for them to grow in:

- 1) Maturity in doctrine
- 2) Faithfulness to Christ
- 3) Service to others

Youth Group meets Sunday evenings from 6-7:30pm.

**Morning Prayer** A zoom link is attached to the weekly update email each week.

**Home Groups** Home Groups exist to glorify God and build up the church through weekly gatherings where members of Good Shepherd and non-members alike may come to grow in fellowship and discipleship around God's word.

#### Current locations and times of groups:

##### 1) Hawleyton Group

Time: Tuesdays @ 6:30pm

Host: Kariah Manwaring

Location: 1412 Hawleyton Rd. Binghamton, NY 13903

##### 2) **Riverside Group**

Time: Mondays @ 6pm

Host: Anna Dreher

Location: 103 Vincent St. Binghamton, NY 13905

##### 3) **Endicott Group**

Time: Thursdays @ 7pm

Host: Jaime Emmons

Location: 3105 King St. Endicott, NY 13760

##### 4) **Zoom Group**

Time: Tuesdays @ 7:15pm

Host: Scott Pineau

Link will be given upon request

## What's Happening at Good Shepherd

**Giftable Jams and Jellies** Good Shepherd will be hosting a beginner canning class on jams and jellies on November 30<sup>th</sup>, from 2-5pm.

There will be an \$11 fee for supplies, and each participant will take home some of the items made in the course. Please see Jenn Fowler or Steph for more details.

**St. Nicholas Fair** Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, from 10am-3pm, Good Shepherd will be having a Christmas Bake Sale and craft fair in the Parish Hall. Come and enjoy a warm drink and snack, while shopping and enjoying other festivities!

There will be a café featuring soups and sandwiches, and live music, among other things. If you would like to bake something delicious for someone to buy, please let Stephanie know. All proceeds will be used to help fund training for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. We hope to see you there!

**A Special Announcement** Join us for a baby shower celebrating Ronnie Murphy and her baby boy, due to arrive in March. All women and girls from the church are invited!

When: Saturday, January 14, 1:00-3:00pm

Where: Church of the Good Shepherd parish hall

Please see Carrie Nelson or Mary Restino for more info, and RSVP by January 2.

**Prayer Offered** Good Shepherd has resumed offering Prayer on the side altar during Communion. Beginning this Sunday, you may notice a person standing at the side altar rail as you come forward to receive the bread and wine. That person is part of the newly formed Prayer Ministry--people trained to pray for any anxieties or troubles you may have. If you would like prayer for any reason, please feel free to stop as you pass.

**Mission Opportunity** In February, Anne Thompson will be going to Nicaragua to work with the CHE group communities. Her group will be making baby items with women. If you have any baby fabric, thread, zippers, or patterns that you could pass on, that would be great. Also, if you would like to help cut out some items ready to sew for our 100 kits, that would be wonderful! Lastly, we would welcome you if you would care to join us for a few days in a community, to see CHE in action. thompam02@gmail.com

**Christian Education for All** is at 9:15am on Sunday Morning.

Adult Class This Sunday we will continue our study and discussion of Carl Trueman's, *The Rise and Triumph of the Modern Self*. This week we will talk about how "identity," particularly, "sexual identity" came to be such a politicized topic.

### Children's Catechesis

Preschool—The children will work with the Annunciation.

Level One—The children will work with the Prophecy of the Light.

Level Two—The children will work with the Annunciation.

Level Three—The children will work with Isaiah and Jeremiah.

12-14 yr. class: During the season of Advent we are considering some of the Old Testament passages that foresee Jesus' first coming. This Sunday we will discuss the prophecy in Isaiah 9 of a child being born.

## Week at a Glance Schedule, November 27, 2022– December 4, 2022

### Sunday

- 8:00am Service of Holy Eucharist, no music  
9:15am Christian Ed for adults and children (online observance available)  
10:30am Service of Holy Eucharist (online observance available)  
12:30pm Coffee Hour  
5:00pm Choir Rehearsal  
6:00pm Youth Group

### Monday

- 7:00am Zoom Morning Prayer  
6:00pm Riverside Home Group  
(See above blurb for more info)

### Tuesday

- 7:00am Zoom Morning Prayer  
9:05am Tuesday Morning Bible Study  
6:30pm Hawleyton Home Group  
(See above blurb for more info)  
7:15pm Zoom Home Group  
(See above blurb for more info)

### Wednesday

- 7:00am Zoom Morning Prayer  
2-5pm *Giftable Jams and Jellies Class*  
6:00pm Choir Practice

### Thursday

- 7:00am Zoom Morning Prayer  
5:30pm Shepherd's Bowl Community Dinner  
6:00pm Beginner's Bible Study  
7:00pm Endicott Home Group  
(See above blurb for more info)

### Friday

- 7:00am Zoom Morning Prayer  
6:30am Men's Breakfast and Bible Study  
4:30pm Women's Bible Study

### Saturday

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### Happy Birthday!

- November 27 Sophia Lane  
November 29 Micheline Raphael

### Happy Anniversary!

Anticipated giving for 2022 (Jan-Nov) \$234,513.00  
Anticipated YTD (2022) Giving \$234,513.08  
Actual YTD Giving (2022) \$232,441.75

### Serving at Good Shepherd November 27, 2022

8am Celebrant: Matt Kennedy  
8am Preacher: Jonathan Groves  
8am Assistant: Anne Kennedy  
8am Reader: Terry Ray  
8am Usher: Terry Ray  
10:30am Celebrant: Bob Carlson  
10:30am Preacher: Jonathan Groves  
10:30am Supporting Clergy: Matt Kennedy  
10:30am Assistant: Jonathan Groves  
10:30am Reader: Christine Osgood  
10:30am Crucifer: Aedan Kennedy  
10:30am Acolytes: Murielle & Gwendolyn  
10:30am Usher: Ben Murphy  
Tellers: Tom Dinnel & Eric Radman  
Altar Guild: Mary Restino  
Nursery: Anna, Timothy, and Addy  
Prayer: Anne Thompson  
Shepherds Bowl: Pete Putano with Team 1

### Serving at Good Shepherd December 4, 2022

8am Celebrant: Matt Kennedy  
8am Preacher: Matt Kennedy  
8am Assistant: Jonathan Groves  
8am Reader: Colleen Kenny-Kuk  
8am Usher: Terry Ray  
10:30am Celebrant: Matt Kennedy  
10:30am Preacher: Matt Kennedy  
10:30am Supporting Clergy: Bob Carlson  
10:30am Assistant: Jonathan Groves  
10:30am Reader: Jenn Fowler  
10:30am Crucifer: Rowan Kennedy  
10:30am Acolytes: Elinor Kennedy & Ellie Pineau  
10:30am Usher: Ben Manwaring  
Tellers: *Sub*, Don Dean  
Altar Guild: Christine Osgood  
Nursery: Kariah, Tal, Murielle  
Prayer: Carrie Nelson  
Shepherds Bowl: Joyce Carlson with Team 2

## Daily Lectionary

### Year II

### 60 Day Psalter Cycle

<b>Monday</b> <b>November 28</b>	Psalm 77 Isa 41 Luke 8:1-21
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>November 29</b>	Psalm 79, 82 Isa 42 Luke 8:22-end
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>November 30</b>	Psalm 78:19-40 Isa 43 Luke 9:1-17
<b>Thursday</b> <b>December 1</b>	Psalm 80 Isa 44 Luke 9:18-50
<b>Friday</b> <b>December 2</b>	Psalm 83 Isa 45 Luke 9:51-end
<b>Saturday</b> <b>December 3</b>	Psalm 85 Isa 46 Luke 10:1-24
<b>Sunday</b> <b>December 4</b>	Psalm 88 Isa 47 Luke 10:25-end

### *Please Pray For...*

**ACNA Cycle of Prayer:** Today we pray for the Anglican Province of Congo and The Most Rev. Dr. Georges Titre Ande, Archbishop.

**Anglican Diocese of the Living Word Church** of the Good Shepherd Catonsville, Maryland

• The Rev. Canon Martin Eppard • The Rev. Jon Jackson; Seminarians of ADLW

**For the Homebound** Betty Cancellieri, and Charles Mabula.

**For the Sick** Peyton, Rick, Jason D., Doug & Maureen, Charles, Evelyn Martin, Larry Dimmick, Chris, Joe, Keith, April, Phil, Sue, William and Arianna, Beverly Williams.

**Missionaries** Pray for Carrie Moorhead-Nelson and her work with InterVarsity Campus Ministries.