

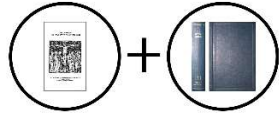


APOSTLE & MARTYR

Welcome.

We are an Anglo-Catholic Parish in the Diocese of Ottawa, celebrating 133 years of worship and service: 1889-2022.

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Choir of Patriarchs, Luca Signorelli (c.1450-1523)

The First Sunday in Advent

27 November 2022

Litany in Procession and Solemn High Mass

Our Church stands on the unceded traditional territory of the Anishinabe Algonquin Nation.

Organ Prelude

Chorale Prelude on “Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland” (BWV 659)
J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Mass Setting

The Mass of St. Thomas Robert Fleming (1921-1976)

Creed: Merbecke

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Blessing and Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Today you shall know that the Lord will come and save you;
And we shall see the glory of the Lord.

Jesus, Son of Righteousness;
Come and give us light.

Bless O Lord, this wreath, and these candles which we light in preparation for your coming; and so warm our hearts with the fire of your love that we may welcome you with joy and gladness, and make you known to all people. May our Advent Wreath be a reminder to us of your crown of thorns and of your eternal Crown of Glory.
Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

The Great Litany

O GOD the Father, Creator of heaven and earth: have mercy upon us.

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O God the Son, Redeemer of the world: have mercy upon us.

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O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful: have mercy upon us.

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O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, three Persons and one God: have mercy upon us.

**O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, three Persons and one God:
have mercy upon us.**

Saint Mary Mother of God our Saviour, Jesus Christ:
Pray for us.

All ye holy Angels and Archangels, and all ye holy orders of blessed
spirits:
Pray for us.

All ye holy patriarchs and prophets, apostles and martyrs,
confessors, virgins and all the blessed company of Heaven:
Pray for us.

REMEMBER not, Lord, our offences, nor the offences of our
forefathers; spare us, good Lord, spare thy people, whom thou hast
redeemed with thy most precious blood.
Spare us, good Lord.

FROM all evil and mischief; from sin, from the crafts and assaults of
the devil; from thy wrath, and from everlasting condemnation,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From all blindness of heart; from pride, vainglory, and hypocrisy;
from envy, hatred, and malice, and all uncharitableness,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From all uncleanness in thought, word, and deed; and from all the
deceits of the world, the flesh, and the devil,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From lightning and tempest; from earthquake, fire, and flood; from
plague, pestilence, and famine; from battle and murder, and from
sudden death,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From all sedition, conspiracy, and rebellion; from all false doctrine,
heresy, and schism; from hardness of heart, and contempt of thy
Word and Commandment,
Good Lord, deliver us.

BY the mystery of thy holy Incarnation; by thy holy Nativity; by thy
Baptism, Fasting, and Temptation,

Good Lord, deliver us.

By thine Agony and bloody Sweat; by thy Cross and Passion; by thy precious Death and Burial,

Good Lord, deliver us.

By thy glorious Resurrection and Ascension; by thy sending of the Holy Spirit; by thy heavenly Intercession; and by thy Coming again in glory,

Good Lord, deliver us.

In all times of tribulation; in all times of prosperity; in the hour of death, and in the day of judgement,

Good Lord, deliver us.

WE sinners do beseech thee to hear us, O Lord God: and that it may please thee to rule and govern thy holy Church universal in the right way.

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To keep and strengthen in the true worshipping of thee, in holiness of life, and in devotion to his people, thy servant CHARLES, our most gracious King and Governor,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To be his defender and keeper, giving him the victory over all his enemies,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and preserve Camilla the Queen Consort, William Prince of Wales, the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, true knowledge and understanding of thy Word; and that both by their preaching and living they may set it forth and show it accordingly,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To send forth labourers into thy harvest; to prosper their work by thy Holy Spirit; to make thy saving health known unto all nations; and to hasten thy kingdom,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless the people of our Country and the Commonwealth, and to endure those set in authority with grace, wisdom, and understanding,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and guide the Judges and Magistrates, giving them grace to execute justice, and to maintain truth,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and keep the King's forces by sea, and land, and air, and to shield them in all dangers and adversities,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all nations unity, peace, and concord, that they may serve thee without fear,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and protect all who serve mankind by their labour and learning,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To preserve all that travel, all women labouring of child, all sick persons and young children; and to show thy pity upon all prisoners and captives,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To defend, and provide for, all widows and orphans, and all who are desolate and oppressed,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bless and keep all thy people,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give to all thy people increase of grace, to hear meekly thy Word, and to receive it with pure affection, and to bring forth the fruit of the Spirit,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived,
We beseech thee, good Lord.

To strengthen such as do stand; to encourage the faint-hearted; to raise up those who fall; and finally to beat down Satan under our feet,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To succour, help, and comfort all that are in danger, necessity, and tribulation,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To have mercy upon all men,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give and preserve to our use the kindly fruits of the earth, so that in due time we may enjoy them,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers, and to turn their hearts,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

To give us true repentance; to forgive us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue us with the grace of thy Holy Spirit, to amend our lives according to thy holy Word,

We beseech thee, good Lord.

SON of God, we beseech thee to hear us.

Son of God, we beseech thee to hear us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world;

Have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world;

Grant us thy peace.

O Christ, hear us.

O Christ, hear us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

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 them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. Amen.

Collect

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility, that on 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 LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

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 plowshares, 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!

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 122

Laetatus sum.

I WAS glad when they said unto me, / 'We will go unto the house of
the LORD.'

² Behold, our feet now stand / within thy gates, O Jerusalem.

- ³ JERUSALEM is built as a city / that is at unity in itself;
⁴ Whither 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 were set the thrones for judgement, / even the thrones of
 the house of David.
⁶ O PRAY for the peace of Jerusalem: / may they prosper that love
 thee.
⁷ Peace be within thy walls, / and plenteousness within thy palaces.
⁸ For my brethren and companions' sakes, / I will wish thee
 prosperity.
⁹ Yea, because of the house of the LORD our God, / I will seek to do
 thee good.

Second Reading

Romans 13:11-14

Besides this, 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 armour of light; let us live honourably as in the day, not in revelling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarrelling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

63 *Hark! a herald voice is sounding*

Merton

Gradual Proper

For all they that look for thee : shall not be ashamed, O Lord.
 ✠. Make known to me thy ways, O Lord : and teach me thy paths.
 Alleluia, alleluia. ✠. Shew us thy mercy, O Lord : and grant us thy
 salvation. Alleluia.

Gospel

Matthew 24:36-44

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

✠ The Holy Gospel is written in the twenty-fourth chapter of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Matthew, beginning at the thirty-sixth verse.

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

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 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.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Sermon

Creed

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Offertory Proper

Unto thee, O Lord, lift I up my soul; O my God, in thee have I trusted, let me not be confounded : neither let mine enemies triumph over me; for all they that look for thee shall not be ashamed.

Offertory Hymn

60 *Lo! he comes with clouds descending*

Helmsley

Prayer over the Gifts

God of love and power, your word stirs within us the expectation of the coming of your Son. Accept all we offer you this day, and sustain us with your promise of eternal life. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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Communion Proper

The Lord shall shew loving kindness : and our land shall give her increase.

Music at Communion

Creator of the starry height	Plainsong
Ablutions Motet	
People look East (Carol of the Advent)	Besançon Carol arr. M. Shaw

Prayer after Communion

God for whom we wait, you have fed us with the bread of eternal life. Keep us ever watchful, that we may be ready to stand before the Son of man. We ask this in the name of Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

Thanksgiving and Dismissal

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Post-Communion Hymn

62	<i>O come, O come, Emmanuel</i>	Veni Emmanuel
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Organ Postlude

Chaconne in G minor

Louis Couperin (1626-1661)
(arr. Bonnet)

Cantor: Chris Yordy

NOTES AND NOTICES

Join us on Sunday, December 11, 2022 at 7pm for an Advent Procession with Carols, “From Darkness to Light”, a service of carols, hymns, and lessons for the season of Advent. All are welcome.

An Anglican Church Calendar, published by St. Peter Publications, sponsored by the PBSC, is available from Wesley Warren at a cost of \$8.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Tuesday, November 29

9:30 am: Morning Prayer • 10:00 am: Mass, Book of Common Prayer

Thursday, December 1

12:15 pm: Mass, Book of Common Prayer

Friday, December 2

7:00 am: Morning Prayer • 7:30 am: Mass, Book of Common Prayer

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Isaiah 11:1-10 • Psalm 72:1-7, 20-21 • Romans 15:4-13 • Matthew 3:1-12

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