

The Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of The Mass



Third Sunday of Advent



December 14, 2025

**ALL SAINTS CATHEDRAL PARISH
National Catholic Church (PNCC)**



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As we worship today, let us keep in our prayers...

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The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

OPENING HYMN

(please stand)

“He Comes”

Refrain:

He comes! He comes!

He comes in the name of the Lord, our God!

He comes! He comes!

He comes in the name of the Lord.

Let all rejoice with heart and voice,

And thankful be!

The chosen one, God's only Son,

O blest is He!

Refrain

Light for Him a candle,

He is drawing near!

Sing for Him a carol,

Loud and clear!

Refrain



ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING CEREMONY
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

READER 1: As we come together on this Third Sunday of Advent, we come to encourage one another in our spiritual preparations to stay alert and ready for the second coming of Christ.

We also gather today in joy as we anxiously anticipate the celebration of Christmas, planning and preparing to honor the birth of our Lord and Savior.

ALL: “We shall see the glory of the Lord, the majesty of our God.”

READER 2: In today’s Scripture readings and Mass prayers, we shall hear that Jesus IS the Christ promised by God through His prophets, Who came to save us: “the eyes of the blind shall be opened and the ears of the deaf unstopped’ and “the lame shall leap like deer, and the tongue of the mute sing for joy” and He came to “bring us pardon and freedom from the burden of our sins.”

ALL: “Be strong, do not fear! Here is your God.”

READER 3: On this Third Sunday of Advent, we light * the first candle to remember to walk in the light of the Lord.

We light * the second candle to remember that He Who is the Light of the world baptizes us with the Holy Spirit and fire.

We light * the third candle to remember to carry the light of Christ and His salvation as the prophets had carried God's promise of a savior.

ALL: "See, the Judge is standing at the doors!"

READER 4: Dearest Jesus, You are the One Who was foretold by the prophets. And You are the One Who will return to save us for Your kingdom.

Through the Sacrament of Penance "strengthen the weak hands, and make firm the feeble knees," so that we may be ready for You.

By the Sacraments of the Word and the Eucharist, may we be strengthened to work together as the Body of Christ, ministering to a suffering world.

ALL: Amen.



INTRODUCTORY RITE

C: In the name of the Father + and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

R: Amen.

C: Lord, bless us with the wisdom to praise You in spirit and in truth so that, by following Your holy will, we may gain eternal salvation.

R: Amen.

THE PENITENTIAL RITE

(please kneel)

Almighty Father, You know my deepest secrets. I confess that I have, through my own fault, sinned against Your holy laws

striking the breast, and continuing

in my thoughts, in my words and in what I have done or failed to do. I sincerely regret my sins and I am truly sorry for offending You. I ask, Father, that in Your mercy You pardon my sins. I promise to change my way of living so that through a deeper holiness I may better serve You throughout the rest of my life. I ask the Blessed Virgin Mary, all the saints and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord, our God.

C: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive our sins and bring us to everlasting life.

R: Amen.

C: May our Lord, Jesus Christ, absolve you and, with His authority vested in me I absolve you from all your sins: in the name of the Father + the Son and the Holy Spirit.

R: Amen.

“People, Look East”

(verse 1 & 2)



1. Peo - ple, look East. The time is near Of the
2. Fur - rows, be glad. Though earth is bare, One more
3. Birds, though you long have ceased to build, Guard the
4. Stars, keep the watch. When night is dim, One more
5. An - gels, an - nounce on this great feast: He is



1. crown - ing of the year. Make your house
2. seed is plant - ed there; Give up your
3. nest that must be filled. E - ven the
4. light the bowl shall brim, Shin - ing be -
5. com - ing from the East; Set ev - 'ry



1. fair as you are a - ble, Trim the
2. strength the seed to nour - ish, That in
3. hour when wings are fro - zen He for
4. yond the frost - y weath - er, Bright as
5. peak and val - ley hum - ming With the



1. hearth and set the ta - ble. Peo - ple, look
2. course the flow'r may flour - ish. Peo - ple, look
3. fledg - ing time has cho - sen. Peo - ple, look
4. sun and moon to - geth - er. Peo - ple, look
5. word, "The Lord is com - ing!" Peo - ple, look



1. East, and sing to - day: Love, the Guest, is on the way.
2. East, and sing to - day: Love, the Rose, is on the way.
3. East, and sing to - day: Love, the Bird, is on the way.
4. East, and sing to - day: Love, the Star, is on the way.
5. East, and sing to - day: Love, the Lord, is on the way.

ENTRANCE VERSE

V. Awake and sing, you who lie in the dust. For your dew is a dew of light, and the land of shades gives birth.

R. **The lowly will ever find joy in the Lord, and the poor rejoice in the Holy One of Israel.**

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

R. **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

C: Lord have mercy.

R: **Lord have mercy.**

C: Christ have mercy.

R: **Christ have mercy.**

C: Lord have mercy.

R: **Lord have mercy.**

OPENING PRAYER

(remain standing)

C: The Lord be with you.

R: And also with you.

C: Let us pray.

Eternal Father, we joyfully approach the celebration of Your Son's Birth. May He bring us pardon and freedom from the burden of our sins. We ask this through the same Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

R: Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD OF GOD

READING I: Isaiah 35:1-6, 10

(please be seated)

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah:

The desert and the parched land will exult; the steppe will rejoice and bloom. They will bloom with abundant flowers, and rejoice with joyful song. The glory of Lebanon will be given to them, the splendor of Carmel and Sharon; they will see the glory of the Lord, the splendor of our God. Strengthen the hands that are feeble, make firm the knees that are weak, say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God, he comes with vindication; with divine recompense he comes to save you. Then will the eyes of the blind be opened, the ears of the deaf be cleared; then will the lame leap like a stag, then the tongue of the mute will sing.

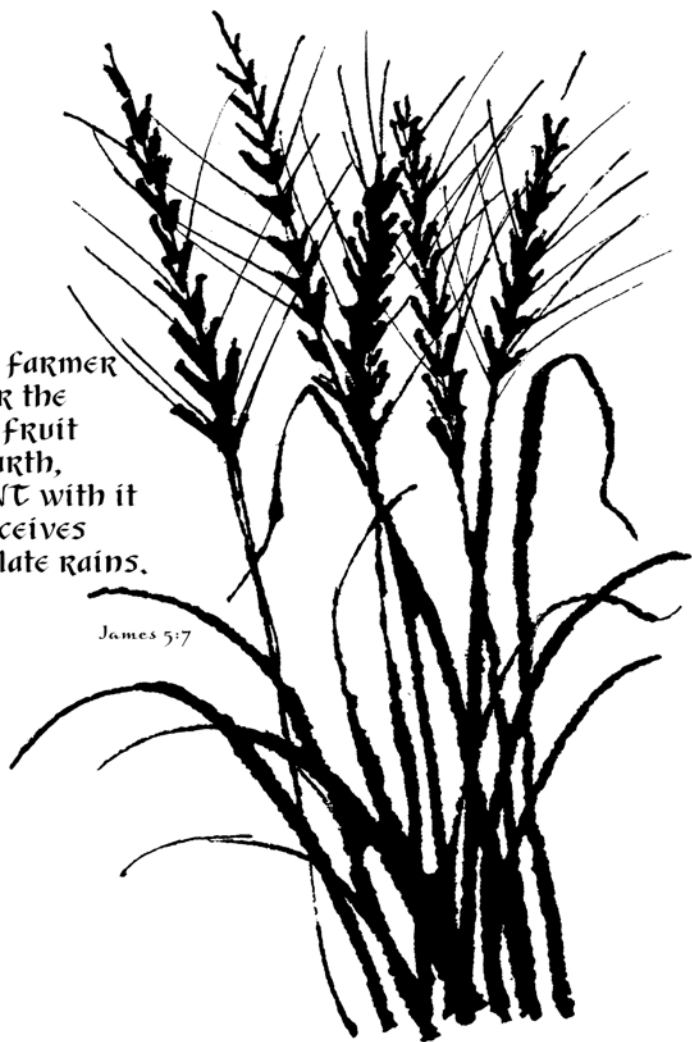
Those whom the Lord has ransomed will return and enter Zion singing, crowned with everlasting joy; they will meet with joy and gladness, sorrow and mourning will flee.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

See how the farmer
waits for the
precious fruit
of the earth,
being PATIENT with it
until it receives
the early and late rains.

James 5:7



RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Response: (first sung by **Cantor**, then by **ALL**)*



*Verses: (**Cantor**)*

The Lord God keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets captives free.

*Response: (**ALL**)*

The Lord gives sight to the blind; the Lord raises up those who were bowed down. The Lord loves the just; the Lord protects strangers.

*Response: (**ALL**)*

The fatherless and the widow he sustains, but the way of the wicked he thwarts. The Lord shall reign forever; your God, O Zion, through all generations.

*Response: (**ALL**)*

READING II: James 5:7-10

(remain seated)

A reading from the Letter of Saint James:

Be patient, brothers and sisters, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient with it until it receives the early and the late rains. You too must be patient. Make your hearts firm, because the coming of the Lord is at hand. Do not complain, brothers and sisters, about one another, that you may not be judged. Behold, the Judge is standing before the gates. Take as an example of hardship and patience, brothers and sisters, the prophets who spoke in the name of the Lord.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

(please stand)

*(first sung by **Cantor**, then by **ALL**)*



*Verse: (**Cantor**)*

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.

C: The Lord be with you.

R: And also with you.

C: A reading from the Holy + Gospel according to Saint Matthew.

R: Glory be to You, Lord.

When John the Baptist heard in prison of the works of the Christ, he sent his disciples to Jesus with this question, “Are you the one who is to come, or should we look for another?” Jesus said to them in reply, “Go and tell John what you hear and see: the blind regain their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the poor have the good news proclaimed to them. And blessed is the one who takes no offense at me.”

As they were going off, Jesus began to speak to the crowds about John, “What did you go out to the desert to see? A reed swayed by the wind? Then what did you go out to see? Someone dressed in fine clothing? Those who wear fine clothing are in royal palaces. Then why did you go out? To see a prophet? Yes, I tell you, and more than a prophet. This is the one about whom it is written:

Behold, I am sending my messenger ahead of you; he will prepare your way before you.

Amen, I say to you, among those born of women there has been none greater than John the Baptist; yet the least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he.”

C: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

R: Praise be to you Lord Jesus Christ.

HYMN TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

(please kneel)

“Surely the Presence”

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of four systems of staves. The lyrics are: 'Sure - ly the pres - ence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel His might - y pow - er and His grace. I can hear the brush of an - gels' wings, I see glo - ry on each face; Sure - ly the pres - ence of the Lord is in this place.' The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and bar lines. There is a fermata over the word 'grace' in the second system and a repeat sign at the end of the fourth system.

Sure - ly the pres - ence of the Lord is in this place; I can
feel His might - y pow - er and His grace. I can hear the brush of
an - gels' wings, I see glo - ry on each face; Sure - ly the
pres - ence of the Lord is in this place.

The Homily

(please be seated)

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH (Nicene Creed)

(please stand)

I believe in One God, the Father, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

I 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 was born of the Virgin Mary

(here genuflect)

AND BECAME MAN

For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried.

On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of 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.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life Who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son, He is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic church. I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead and the + life of the world to come. Amen.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

(remain standing)

Celebrant: The Father promised to send his Son into the world as our Savior. As we prepare for his coming at Christmas, let us offer our prayers to the Father who gives bread to the hungry and sets prisoners free.

L: That the Church may await the Lord's coming with hope and courage, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: That those who have closed their minds to the Good News may return to the community of the faithful, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: That those who trust in the Lord may not lose heart, but be renewed in faith, no matter what they suffer, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: That, in our community, strangers, widows and orphans may be supported by our generosity and care, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: For healing and comfort of the sick and bereaved, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: That those who have died may find eternal rest, let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

L: For any personal needs and intentions, let us now pray quietly (*pause for reflection*). Let us pray to the Lord.

R: Lord, hear our prayer.

C: Most loving Father, hear the petitions of your people, waiting in faith and hope for the coming of our Savior, whose splendor brings us everlasting joy. We as this, through Christ our Lord.

R: Amen.

OFFERTORY VERSE

(please be seated)

C: A man named John was sent from God. He came for testimony, to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him.

OFFERTORY HYMN

“Advent Candles”
Saint Cecilia Choir

Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation. Through Your goodness we have this bread to offer, which earth has given, and human hands have made. May it become for us the bread of life.

By the mystery of this wine and + water, may we come to share in the divinity of Christ, who humbled Himself to share in our humanity.

Blessed are You, Lord God of all creation. Through Your goodness, we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands. May it become our spiritual drink.

Lord God, we ask You to receive us and be pleased with the sacrifice we offer You with humble and contrite hearts.

Come, Holy Spirit and bless + this sacrifice which we have prepared for the glory of Your Holy Name.

Lord, wash away my iniquity; cleanse me from my sin.

Receive this offering, most Holy Trinity, which we make in memory of the Passion, Resurrection and Ascension of our Lord, Jesus Christ and in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints. May they, whose memory we honor on earth, intercede for us in heaven.

(please stand)

C: Pray, my brothers and sisters, that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

R: May the Lord accept this sacrifice from your hands, for the praise and glory of His Name for our good and for the benefit of His holy Church.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

C: Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, prepare our hearts to receive Your Son, the gift of life and peace, Who will become present in this Sacred Offering. We ask this through the same Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

R: Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (Preface)

C: The Lord be with you.

R: And also with you.

C: Lift up your hearts.

R: We lift them up to the Lord.

C: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

R: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

(remain standing)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might.
Heav-en and earth are - full of your glo - - ry. Ho - san-na, ho -
san - a on high. ——— Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na on high. ———



EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER IV

The Dutch Old Catholic Canon

(please kneel)

Blessed are You, Lord of all majesty and King of eternal glory through Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ.

In Him Your Word was made flesh. In Him the fullness of Your grace was revealed in splendor. In all things, He fulfilled Your will and glorified your name.

He proclaimed Your Kingdom to us. He broke the power of darkness over us. He took our guilt upon Himself. He reconciled us to You and unlocked the new paradise for us. As the Way, the Truth and the Life, he has revealed Your love to us. He humbled Himself and became obedient even to death on a cross, and by rising restored our life.

On the night in which He was betrayed to undergo that suffering which He Himself had chosen, He took bread into His hands and, lifting His eyes to You His heavenly Father, He gave thanks. He blessed the bread, broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying:

Take this, all of you, and eat it

FOR THIS IS MY BODY
WHICH IS GIVEN FOR YOU

When supper had ended, he took the cup and gave thanks to You. He blessed it, and gave it to His disciples, saying:

Take this all of you and drink from it:

FOR THIS IS THE CUP OF MY BLOOD; THE BLOOD OF
THE NEW AND EVERLASTING COVENANT, WHICH
SHALL BE SHED FOR YOU AND FOR MANY FOR THE
FORGIVENESS OF SINS.

As often as you do this, do it in remembrance of me.

Your death, Lord Jesus, we proclaim!

Your resurrection we celebrate!

Your return in glory we await!

Therefore, Father, we remember His saving Passion, His glorious Resurrection and His Exaltation at Your right hand. We await His coming in the fullness of majesty. We here set forth this sign of our faith in Him Who offered You the perfect sacrifice and gained for us eternal salvation.

Send Your Holy Spirit, the giver of life and holiness, upon us and upon these Gifts; the Bread and Wine of eternal life.

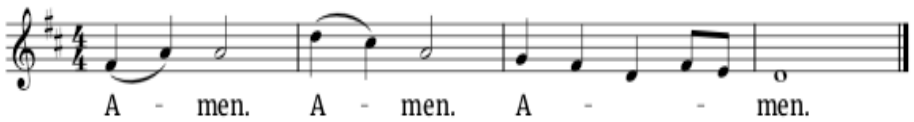
Holy Spirit come to us. Fill us with Your gift of grace.

Take these Gifts from our hands, Lord God, as an acceptable sacrifice through which we offer ourselves to You so that the Bread which we break and the Cup which we bless may be a sharing in the Body and Blood of Your Son.

May all who receive from Your heavenly altar always remain united with You, together with all Your saints and chosen ones; with the blessed and glorious Virgin Mary, the Mother of our Lord, with Your prophets and apostles, with Your martyrs and confessors and with all who stand about Your throne in praise and prayer.

Bless Your Church throughout the world. Grant it unity and peace. Renew the earth according to Your promise. Remember all peoples and grant that all nations may give You thanks, worshiping and praising Your holy name. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

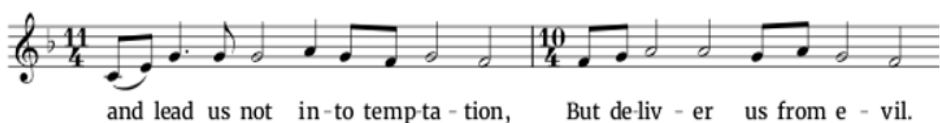
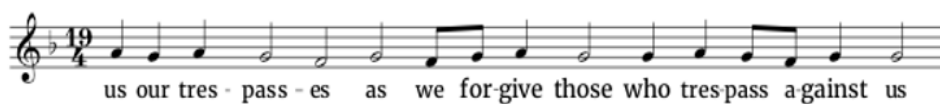
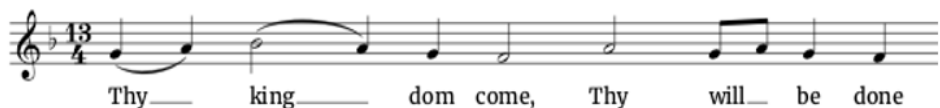
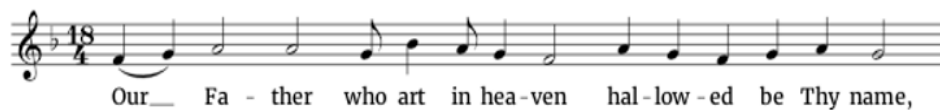
Through Him, with Him, in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is Yours, almighty Father, for ever and ever.



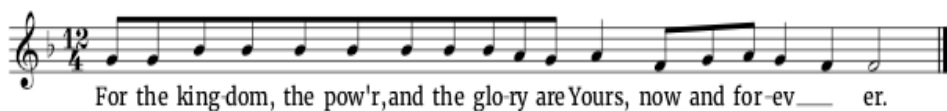
COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

C: Let us pray with confidence to the Father in the words our Savior gave us: *(please stand)*



Deliver us Lord, from every evil, and grant us peace in our day.
In Your mercy keep us free from sin and protect us from all
anxiety as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Savior,
Jesus Christ.



BREAKING OF THE BREAD

(remain standing)

C: The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not a participation in the Blood of Christ?

The bread which we break, is it not a participation in the Body of Christ?

R: **Because there is one bread, we who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.**

C: May the union of Divinity and humanity in Jesus Christ bring us sanctification and eternal life.

R: Amen.

Lord, Jesus Christ, You said to Your apostles: I leave you peace, My peace I give you. Do not look at our sins, but on the faith of Your Church, and grant us the peace and unity of Your kingdom where You live forever and ever.

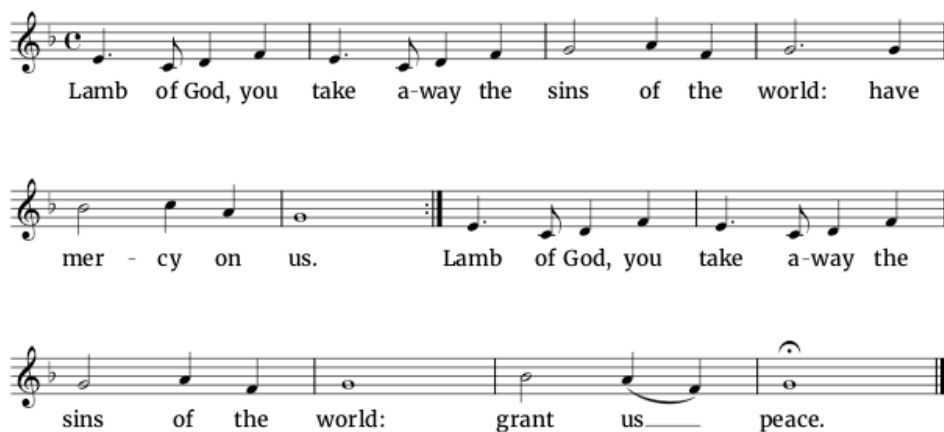
R: Amen.

C: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

R: And also with you.

Let us offer each other a sign of peace.

LAMB OF GOD



COMMUNION PRAYER

(please kneel)

C: Let us pray together:

R: Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Living God by the will of the Father and the work of the Holy Spirit, Your death brought life to the world. By Your holy Body and Blood, free me from all my sins and from every evil. Keep me faithful to Your teaching and never let me be parted from You.

C: I will take the bread of heaven and call upon the name of the Lord.

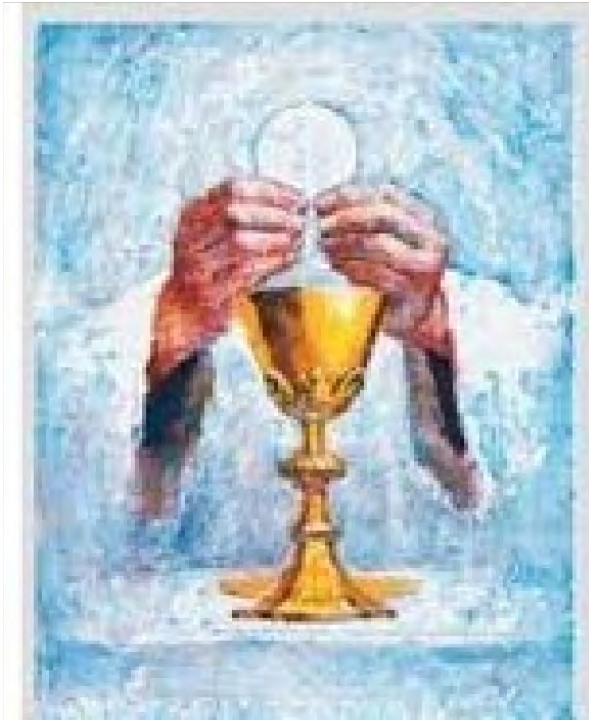
Lord, I am not worthy to receive You, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

May the Body of Christ bring me to everlasting life.

May the Blood of Christ bring me to everlasting life.

This is the Lamb of God Who takes away the sins of the world.
Happy are those who are called to the table of the Lord.

*Those who have received their First Holy Communion
and believe in the presence of Christ in the Eucharist
are welcome to receive.*



*Bread and wine are administered on the
tongue. To receive bread only, please cross
your arms across your chest.*

C: The Body and Blood of Christ.

R: Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN

“Lo, How a Rose”

Solo

Lord, may I possess with a pure heart that which I have taken as food, and may the gift I have received bring me healing and strength now and forever.

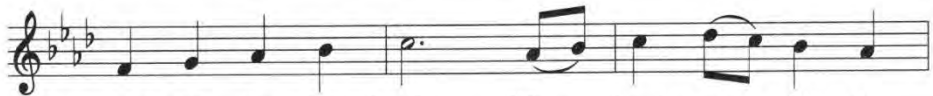
POST COMMUNION HYMN

“The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns”

(verse 1)



1. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And
2. Not, as of old, a lit - tle child, To
3. O bright - er than the ris - ing morn When
4. O bright - er than that glo - rious morn Shall
5. The King shall come when morn - ing dawns And



1. light tri - um - phant breaks, When beau - ty gilds the
2. bear, and fight, and die, But crowned with glo - ry
3. he, vic - to - rious, rose And left the lone - some
4. this fair morn - ing be, When Christ, our King, in
5. light and beau - ty brings: Hail, Christ, the Lord! Your



1. east - ern hills And life to joy a - wakes.
2. like the sun That lights the morn - ing sky.
3. place of death, De - spite the rage of foes.
4. beau - ty comes, And we his face shall see!
5. peo - ple pray, Come quick - ly, King of kings.

COMMUNION VERSE

C: The Lord gives sight to the blind. The Lord raises up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous. The Lord protects the stranger, sustains the orphan and the widow, but thwarts the way of the wicked.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

(please stand)

C: Let us pray.

Lord our God, we thank You for the coming of Your Son in this Holy Eucharist. Open our eyes to the needs of the sick and the poor, for unless we see Him in our brothers and sisters, we will never recognize His final coming. We ask this through the same Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

R: Amen.

CONCLUDING RITE

(please kneel)

C: The Lord be with you.

R: And also with you.

C: *(final blessing)*

R: Amen.

C: *(dismissal)*

R: Thanks be to God.

Please be seated for Announcements.

Please feel free to keep this booklet and reflect on the Word of God throughout the week.

“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”

(verses 3 & 4)



1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And ran - som cap - tive
2. O come, Thou Wis - dom from on high, And or - der all things
3. O come, O come, Thou Lord of might, Who to the tribes on



Is - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here, Un -
far and nigh; To us the path of know - ledge show, And
Si - nai's height In an - cient times didst give the law, in



til the Son of God ap - pear. Re - joice! Re - joice! Em -
cause us in her ways to go.
cloud, and ma - jes - ty, and awe.



man - u - el Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el! A - men.

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| <p>4. O come, Thou Rod of Jesse's stem,
From ev'ry foe deliver them
That trust Thy mighty power to save,
and Thy vict-ry o'er the grave. <i>Ref.</i></p> <p>5. O come, Thou Key of David, come,
And open wide our heav'nly home;
Make safe the way that leads to Thee,
And close the path to misery. <i>Ref.</i></p> | <p>6. O come, Thou Dayspring from on high,
And cheer us by Thy drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadow put to flight. <i>Ref.</i></p> <p>7. O come, Desire of nations, bind
All peoples in one heart and mind;
Bid envy, strife and envy cease;
Fill the whole world with heaven's peace. <i>Ref.</i></p> |
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Parish Members in good standing are asked to remain in the church after Mass for the Election of the 2026 Parish Committee.



Please join us for refreshments after Mass in the downstairs Fellowship Hall.

We hope you return and join our parish community again in our celebration of God's presence among us.

Sunday Masses
9 am English ~ 11:30 am Polish
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ALL SAINTS CATHEDRAL PARISH

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Catholic in Faith, a People Empowered

Welcome! All Saints Cathedral Parish is a community of the Polish National Catholic Church that welcomes and serves the spiritual needs of all people who wish to follow Christ in the Catholic tradition.

We are blessed by your presence and pray you will continue to attend and worship with us!

December 14, 2025

Third Sunday in Advent

9 am **Holy Mass in English**

**Followed by Election of the 2026 Parish
Committee**

Advent Wreath Reading by the

Scott Family

Greeter: Cindi Smolka

Lector: Kara Lindenmuth

Cantor: Mark Kowalsky

Fellowship Hosts: Janet Schumacher and

Lori Scott Families

10:15 am **Sunday School Classes**

11:30 am **Holy Mass in Polish**

This Week at All Saints

Thursday, December 18

8 pm **Advent Hours with Deacon Doug**
(in person and via Zoom)

Sunday, December 21

Fourth Sunday in Advent

9 am **Holy Mass in English**
Advent Wreath Reading by the
Medrano Family
Greeter: Darlene Niebuhr
Lector: Janet Schumacher
Cantor: Hope Mierzejewski
Fellowship Hosts: Father David and
Margaret Rowinski

10:15 am **Sunday School Classes**

11:30 am **Holy Mass in Polish**

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you to all those who brought gifts for the Birthday Party for Jesus. These items will be packed in the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. This year we packed 92 boxes and a few of our boxes have already been delivered to Malawi and Zambia Africa. Each box is delivered with the good news of Jesus Christ as expressions of God's immense love for a child. We will have a box in the vestibule to collect items all year long, so please pick up a list of items so we can continue to send the gospel to all ends of the earth. Thank you and God Bless.

Advent Hours with Deacon Doug

Join us on the three Thursdays in Advent at 8 pm for Advent Hours – a prayer service in person and on Zoom – led by Deacon Doug. Prayer Booklet and the Zoom information is emailed on Mondays to the congregation. For more information, please contact Deacon Doug.

PNA HOCKEY NIGHT

The annual hockey night hosted by the PNA will take place on Saturday, January 17, 2026. There will be a limited number of tickets sold so please reach out to Christine Wachna as soon as possible. Deadline for purchasing tickets is December 31, 2025. Information, flyers, and order forms are in the vestibule.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Please don't forget our Annual Christmas Dinner, on January 11, 2026. Tickets are \$15 per adult, \$5 for youth. Tickets are now available from Margaret Rowinski.

COMING UP

December 18

Advent Hours with Deacon Doug

Christmas Eve

9 pm	Polish Mass
11 pm	English Mass

Christmas Day

10 am	English Mass
11:30 am	Polish Mass

December 29

An evening of Music with Glen & Friends

New Year's Day

10 am English Mass

January 11

Parish Christmas Dinner

January 13

Cemetery Trustees Meeting

January 17

PNA Hockey Night

January 18

Future Direction Meeting, Q4 Financial Audit

January 20

Parish Committee Meeting

January 25

Women's Society Meeting – Election of Officers

February 8

Bingo for Beads

February 22

Annual Congregation Meeting

See our Newsletter for more news and events!

Do you want to receive the InTouch email, Newsletter and other electronic/phone notices from All Saints? Would you like the newsletter sent to your home? Contact Judie at info@ascpncc.org or 630-222-0334.