



# ADVENTures *a weekly newsletter*

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**September 19, 2021 The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**

Worship with the Diocese of Albany at

[https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=episcopal+diocese+of+albany](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=episcopal+diocese+of+albany)

Welcome to Advent Episcopal Church and may God bless your worship today!

## **Zoom Invitation**

This is a recurring invitation for worship services at 10:00 a.m. each Sunday morning. You can use the same link, Meeting ID, and Passcode Sunday after Sunday. This way, the link won't change week by week. You can launch the link from this transmittal link.

Peace be with you!

There are no changes, just the same info in an abbreviated format. **These are not new, just shortened.**

Join Advent Service via Zoom from PC or tablet

<https://zoom.us/j/93790207331?pwd=NWFhZVhnVGdEY1Z5dzRCSjNVOzIzQ09>

Meeting ID: 937 9020 7331

Passcode: 988930

From your smartphone, dial 312 626 6799

Meeting ID: 937 9020 7331

Passcode: 988930

## **Eliza Jennings Ministry**

As you may remember, Advent has supported a ministry to Eliza Jennings Nursing Home since 2013. They are located at 10603 Detroit Rd. in Cleveland. We met twice a month and shared music, scripture, prayer, a message and communion. The "Pandemic" stopped this ministry in February 2020, when we were locked-out. I recently received a call from their social director saying that they are now open and would welcome back our ministry. They said whatever ministry we could provide would be welcomed, once or twice a month. If anyone from our Advent congregation has the time, the heart, and is willing to help out with this ministry please contact Max Gage 440-503-7040 , [maxmgage@gmail.com](mailto:maxmgage@gmail.com) or leave a message with the church's office. Thanks.

## **Love in the Name of Christ**

Love In the Name of Christ is collecting coats for the homeless and disadvantaged in Cuyahoga County 9/20/2021-10/20/2021. Please bring your coats to Advent by 10/17/2021. Children's and 1X - 4X men's & women's coats are the most needed. Thank you! Questions call 216.459.0302 or email [meesh@loveinccuy.org](mailto:meesh@loveinccuy.org).



**This Week at Advent**

**Sunday, September 19**

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
9:00 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

**Monday, September 20**

**Tuesday, September 21**

7:00 p.m. Vestry Meeting

**Wednesday, September 22**

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Advent  
9:00 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayer Group  
7:00 p.m. The Praise Community

**Thursday, September 23**

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

**Sunday, September 26**

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
9:00 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

**Prayer Request**

*Health and Recovery*

Lillian Kwasny	Joan Joye	Gus Cratcha
Mary Lou Dixon	Marilyn Decker	Stacey Smith
Bob Allen	Karen Zolar	Shirley Moore
Barb Frank	Arthur Beel	Sue Boyce
Michael Uhrich	Sharon Rice	George Belinsky
Bill & Judy Arkley	Steve Boyce	Dave Luptak
John & Anne Crothall		Jan Nagy
Bev Cummings		

*Friends of Advent*

Toni Kulma, wife of Pastor Kulma	Fr. Richard Lutz
Ken Wood Jim Johnson	Betty Clark
Eliza Jennings residents	Bill Liptak
Liz Schilling, friend of JoAnn Beck	
Julie and Ray Coy	
Residents of Pinzone Tower	
Will Hayes, friend of Cynthea Sabolich	
Gabe, grandson of Jan & Jerry Nagy	
Carolyn Kay, cousin of Jan Nagy	
Jessica Laursen, Niece of Paul Laursen	
Donna Kwasny, daughter-in-law of Lillian Kwasny	

*Comfort*

For the family of Kay Walsh, who recently passed away.

*Safety Protection*

David Arkley, Detective for Cleveland Police  
Son of Bill & Judy Arkley  
Rachel Moffitt, ER Nurse daughter of Bill & Judy Arkley

*Please contact the church office if you would like your name added or removed from our list.*

**Server Schedule Today, September 19**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Assistant** Dick McCormick

**10:00 a.m.**

**Assistant** Denise Geyer-Keller

**Lector** Denise Geyer-Keller

**Prayers of the People** Denise Geyer-Keller (Form 2)

**Usher** Jim Edwards

**Intercessory Prayer** Ray Busony

**Counter** Anne Crothall (9/20)

**Close Advent** Ray Busony

**Server Schedule September 26**

**8:00 a.m.**

**Assistant** Kathleen Huffman

**10:00 a.m.**

**Assistant** Dick McCormick

**Lector** Dick McCormick

**Prayers of the People** Dick McCormick (Form 3)

**Usher** Max Gage

**Intercessory Prayer** Ray Busony

**Counter** Anne Crothall (9/27)

**Close Advent** Peter Meckes

Note: It is your responsibility to contact another volunteer directly to take your place. Please call the office with all changes. Thank you.

**Update on Lillian Kwasny**

Hello, she is holding her own over at the Concord Reserve Care Facility. Not talking much since Ed passed but we have someone visiting Mom every day. Just very quiet and when she has moments of clarity, she is sad.

My wife Donna has been in ICU at UH Main Campus for almost a month now. So I basically live there now. I was just reading the weekly newsletter and was thinking of all of Mom and Dad's church family.

God Bless

Barry Kwasny

**Memorial Service for Kay Walsh**

A memorial service will be held Saturday, September 18, 11:00 a.m. at Sunset Memorial, 6245 Columbia Road, North Olmsted.

## **What is Advent's Statement of Faith?**

### **Advent's Statement of Faith: Father, Son and Holy Spirit**

The Triune God is fundamental to our beliefs as Christians at Advent. The theological doctrine of the Trinity states that God has appeared at various times in history as three distinct, independent persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—while simultaneously existing as a single, unified being. For most of us (myself included), this notion defies logic and exceeds our ability to comprehend it. The question of how the Trinity operates or functions in reality remains a divine mystery. Here's what we at Advent believe about the Triune God mystery.

We believe God eternally exists in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, who is the Son, the Word of the Father. God and man were joined together in one Person, never to be divided, very God and very Man. For our salvation he came down from heaven, became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man, was sinless in flesh and spirit, suffered, was crucified, died, was buried, rose again, ascended to heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He reconciled his Father to us as a sacrifice for the sins of all mankind. Holy Scripture sets out that only through the Name of Jesus Christ must people be saved. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

We believe the Holy Spirit proceeds from the Father and the Son; is one substance, majesty, and glory with the Father and the Son; is the giver of life; and indwells the Christian enabling a godly life.

We believe in the Nicene Creed and the Apostle's Creed.

We believe we can have a right relationship with God only through the merit of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and not through our own works or merits.