

ADVENTURES a weekly newsletter

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September 26, 2021 The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Worship with the Diocese of Albany at 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=NWFXZVhnVGdEY1Z5dzRCSjNVQzlZQT09

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 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.

Men's Night Out

Come join us for good food and fellowship, Monday October 11 at, 6:30 p.m. at BJ's Brewhouse and Restaurant, 25779 Brookpark Road, North Olmsted. Please let Peter Meckes know you'll be joining us: 440-657-5286 (Home) 440-915-6306 (Cell) or nosonut5830@att.net.

This Week at Advent

Sunday, September 26

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

Monday, September 27

Tuesday, September 28

Wednesday, September 29

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Advent Wednesday Morning Prayer Group

7:00 p.m. The Praise Community

Thursday, September 30

Sunday, October 3

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

Bev Cummings

Friends of Advent

Toni Kulma, wife of Pastor Kulma
Ken Wood Jim Johnson
Eliza Jennings residents

Fr. Richard Lutz
Betty Clark
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

Shirley Wilton, Grandmother of Bruce Bunn

Molly Hirz, daughter of Lynn from Shining Star

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 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

Server Schedule October 3

8:00 a.m.

Assistant Acolyte Dick McCormick Kylie Bunn

10:00 a.m.

Assistant Dick McCormick

Lector Dick McCormick

Prayers of the People Dick McCormick (Form 4)

Usher Max Gage

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Counter Anne Crothall (10/4)

Close Advent Max Gage

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



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.