



ADVENTures *a weekly newsletter*

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October 10, 2021 The Twentieth 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=NWFhZVhVdEY1Z5dzRCSjNVQzZlZQT09>

Meeting ID: 937 9020 7331

Passcode: 988930

From your smartphone, dial 312 626 6799

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We Can All Consume the Blood of Christ

We are pleased to re-start the provision of The Blood of Christ to all communicants. Paul will consecrate the wafer and wine as normal. Rather than using a Chalice and an Intinction Cup, we offer individual small plastic cups about the size of a large thimble containing some wine. Cups are separated in a serving tray with sufficient space for people to lift the cup without their fingers touching adjacent cups. Or a communicant may insert the wafer into the cup using intinction, the Eucharistic practice of partly dipping the consecrated bread into the consecrated wine before consumption by the communicant. If consumed by drinking from a cup at the altar rail, the communicant will then place the empty cup in a separate tray. The plastic cups will be discarded after rinsing and disposing any remaining consecrated wine following Altar Guild practices. And, if you choose not to receive the wine, which is quite OK, you may cross your arms across your chest after consuming the wafer. This method for distributing the consecrated wine is customary in several Protestant denominations including The Praise Community on Wed. nights. The Assistant will handle the tray with cups and another person will collect the empties. If you prefer that the Assistant hold the cup while you consume, we can do that.

The Vestry approved this means of consuming the wine. We welcome your feedback if you believe additional changes should be made. We are trying to respect COVID guidelines while resuming full Eucharistic practices, something many of you have requested.



Center for Aging in the Digital world, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization empowering seniors *with digital literacy* invites members of Advent Church, 60 years and older, to our **Connectedness CONVO** information session.

Come join us on Wednesday, October 13 and Sunday, October 17 after the worship service to learn how you can benefit from the hands-on learning program **Discover Digital Literacy!** that is offered for **FREE**. COVID-19 pandemic has especially underscored this 21st century life-skill of being able to use technology and services offered through the internet!

This Week at Advent

Sunday, October 10

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, October 11

6:30 p.m. Men's Night Out

Tuesday, October 12

7:00 p.m. West Shore Healing Room

Wednesday, October 13

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, October 14

Sunday, October 17

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

Server Schedule Today, October 10

8:00 a.m.

Assistant Dick McCormick

10:00 a.m.

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Lector Dick McCormick

Prayers of the People Dick McCormick (Form 5)

Usher Peter Meckes

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Counter Anne Crothall (10/12)

Close Advent Peter Meckes

Server Schedule October 17

8:00 a.m.

Assistant Kathleen Huffman

10:00 a.m.

Assistant Denise Geyer-Keller

Lector Denise Geyer-Keller

Prayers of the People Denise Geyer-Keller (Form 6)

Usher Jim Edwards

Intercessory Prayer Ray Busony

Counter Anne Crothall (10/18)

Close Advent Denise Geyer-Keller

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

The West Shore Healing Room

The West Shore Healing Room will open on Tuesday, October 12 at Advent.. Led by Bill Benedict, The West Shore Healing Room, which is certified by the International Association of Healing Rooms in Spokane, Wash., will have a team to offer personal prayer for physical and emotional healing.

The room will be open on the second Tuesday of each month from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. No appointment is necessary and there is no charge. Appointments for prayer at other times can be made by calling 216-407-3220 or emailing to westshorehealing@gmail.com. The International Association of Healing Rooms coordinates 2,946 healing rooms in 68 countries.

Prayer Request

Health and Recovery

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| 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

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| 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 | |
| Shirley Wilton, Grandmother of Bruce Bunn | |
| David Arkley, son of Bill & Judy Arkley | |

Safety Protection

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.

All Saints' Day

Advent will be celebrating All Saints' Day on Sunday, October 31. Please forward names of any family members, friends, or significant people in your life who have *passed away since All Saints' Day 2020 (November 2 2020)* to Jo-Ann in the office by Tuesday, October 26 (advent.church@sbcglobal.net or 440-871-6685, or by signing their name on the signup sheet. These people will be acknowledged during the Prayers of the People at both services on October 31.

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.

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.

Financial Statements

Your third quarter financial statements are available on the table in the Narthex. Please call the office (440-871-6685) if there are any questions.