DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK

(BCP pages 67-86, 99 & 95, Advent III, Yr 2A Ordinary Weekday Introit: Philippians 4, Psalm 85

Rejoice in the Lord alway and again I say, Rejoice / Let your moderation be known unto all: for the Lord is at hand. Be careful for nothing: but in all things, by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God. (Ps) Lord, thou art become gracious unto thy land: thou hast restored the fortunes of Jacob. Glory be... [Repeat Antiphon]

MONDAY (16) *Advent Feria* (Violet) 5:30 pm Numbers 24.2-7,15-17a; Ps 25.4-9; Matthew 21.23-27

TUESDAY (17) *Memorial* (Red) 12:15 pm *Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr, c.115* Introit: Ps 119, Pt 21; Romans 8.35-39 Gradual: Ps 116.1-9; John 12.23-26

WEDNESDAY (18) *Advent Ember Day* (Violet) 7:30 am Pr Bk Propers, page 210, Collect page 95 Introit: Ps 119, pt 19; Gradual: Ps 85.1-3

THURSDAY (19) *Advent Feria* (Violet) 12:15 pm Isaiah 54.1-10; Ps 30; Luke 7.24-30

FRIDAY (20) *Advent Ember Day* (Violet) 5:30 pm Pr Bk Propers page 100, Collects pages 213, 95 Introit: Ps 72.1-7; Gradual: Ps 85.1-13

Confessions: 6:00-630 pm

SATURDAY (22) *Advent Ember Day* (Violet) 10:00 am Pr Bk Propers page 100, Collects page 95 Introit: Ps 72.1-7; Gradual: Ps 85.1-13

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Saint Thomas's Church

(Congregation Established 1874) Rejoice, o heavens, and be joyful, O earth!

O LORD Jesu Christ, who at thy first coming didst send thy messenger to prepare thy way before thee: Grant that the ministers and stewards of thy mysteries may likewise so prepare and make ready thy way, by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, that at thy second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable people in thy sight; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

December 15, 2019

The Third Sunday of Advent

EARLY EUCHARIST AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

Plain Celebration: Prayer Book, pages 67-86 Propers, pages 99 & 95, Introit: Psalm 33.1-6; Gradual: Psalm 80.1-3

SUNG EUCHARIST AT HALF-PAST NINE

Book of Alternative Services Rite Music of the Mass: Mass of the Good Shepherd, Matthew Larkin

Greeting and Trisagion

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD *Revised Common Lectionary*

Homily: Fr Ipema Creed The Prayers of the People *(as announced)* Confession & Absolution & the Peace

THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn 'When came in flesh in incarnate Word' *(See music sheet) WALSALL* Eucharistic Prayer no. 3 The Lord's Prayer ate

The Lord's Prayer, etc.

Communion Motet: '*Rejoice in the Lord alway*'

Rejoice in the LORD alway, and again I say, rejoice. Let your softness be known unto all men: the LORD is e'en at hand. Be careful for nothing: but in all prayer and supplication, let your petitions be manifest unto God with giving of thanks. And the peace of GOD, which passeth all understanding, keep you hearts and minds through CHRIST JESU. Amen. (Phil 4.4-7)

Hymn 65 'Hark the glad sound! the SAVIOUR comes' Prayer after Communion, Blessing & Dismissal BRISTOL

Anon $(16^{th} c)$

MORNING PRAYER (MATTINS) AT HALF-PAST TEN

Prayer Book, pages 6-11, 99 & 95, Psalms 11 & 12; Isaiah 28.9-22 & Revelation 3.7-end During Advent - Surge, Illuminare, *page 28*, replaces Te Deum

CHORAL EUCHARIST AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK

Music of the Mass: Missa XI: Orbis Factor

Prelude: Gottes Sohn ist kommen, BWV 703J.S. BachIntroit: Gaudete (Sung by the choir)Mode i

Rejoice ye in the Lord alway and again I say, rejoice ye. Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand. Be careful for nothing, nor troubled, but in all things, by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God. (Phil 4.4-6) Lord, thou art become gracious unto thy land: thou hast restored the fortunes of Jacob. (Ps 85.1)

All kneel for the Collect for Purity, Summary of the Law, Kyrie Eleison & the Collect of the Day

First Reading: Isaiah 35.1-10	
Psalm 146.4-10—Lauda, anima mea	Tone VIII,2
Second Reading: James 5.7-10	
Sequence Hymn 66 "CREATOR of the starry height"	Conditor Alme Siderum
Gospel: Matthew 11.2-11	
Creed (Prayer Book, page 71)	Merbecke
Homily: Fr Ipema	
Offertory Hymn 196 'Lo! from the desert homes'	CROFT'S 136 th
<i>The people sit at the conclusion of the hymn</i> <i>and stand again as the thurifer approaches for the censin</i>	<i>g</i> .
Prayer over the Gifts	
Intercessions (<i>please stand, kneel, or sit</i>) R / Lord, hear our prayer	
Invitation, Confession and Absolution (pages 76-77)	
Sursum Corda, Sanctus & Benedictus (pages 78-81)	
Eucharistic Prayer (pages 82-83)	
The Lord's Prayer <i>(page 85)</i>	Merbecke
Peace, Prayer of Humble Access & Agnus Dei (pages 83 & 84)	
Communion Hymn 'When came in flesh in incarnate Word' (See music sha	eet) WALSALL
Motet: ' <i>Canite tuba</i> '	Palestrina
Sound ye the trumpet in Zion, for the day of the Lord thy God is near. Lo, Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain shall be made low. Come n mercy. (from Joel 2.1 & Isaiah 40.4)	
Prayer after Communion & Blessing (page 85 & 86)	
Hymn 548 'Come, thou long-expected JESUS'	STUTTGART

Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Postlude: Wachet auf! ruft uns die Stimme

SOLEMN EVENSONG & DEVOTIONS AT SEVEN O'CLOCK

Prelude: Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland, BWV 659	J.S. Bach	
Hymn 73 'Thy kingdom come' on bended knee'	IRISH	
Versicles and Responses (Prayer Book, pages 20-21)		
Psalms 13 & 14 (page 343)	Tones III,4 & IV,6	
First Lesson: Isaiah 32.1-18		
Magnificat (page 21)	Fauxbourdons Tone III,2, Frank Nakashima	
Second Lesson: 1 Timothy 1.12–2.8		
Nunc Dimittis (page 22)	Fauxbourdons Tone VI, Frank Nakashima	
Creed through Collects (pages 22-24, 99 & 95)		
An Advent Prose	Mode i	
Prayers and Thanksgivings (The General Thanksgiving, page 14, may be said)		
Sermon: Fr Brinton		
Hymn (Collection) 65 'Hark the glad sound! the SAVIOUR comes'BRIA		

DEVOTIONS

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Josef Rheinberger		
ighteousness: let the earth open, and let them		
and: thou hast turned away the captivity of		
AD PERENNIS VITÆ FONTEM		
m heaven;		
R / Containing in itself all sweetness.		
of thy passion: Grant us so to reverence the holy		
elves the fruit of thy redemption; who livest and d without end. Amen.		
Tone VI		
e most hö -ly Sac-ra-ment.		
O PRÄISE the LORD, all ye na-tions : laud him, all yë peo-ples. For his merciful kindness is ever more		
r ev-ër. Praise the LORD. Glory be to the		
s in the beginning, is now, and ever shall		
FLOWERS AND THE DECORATIONS IN THE CHURCH		

ON CHRISTMAS DAY are the gift of the congregation. Please use the envelopes provided. You may make a thanksgiving or memorial offering.