



The Season of Advent

November 29 through
December 23, 2020

Sundays at 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m.

Reusable Bulletin for Virtual Worship

Join us on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/stalbansindy1/>
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The service comes from The Book of Common Prayer

Each week, the Collect, Lessons, Psalm, Gospel, and response for the Prayers of the People can be found on our website, as a link on our Facebook page, and/or in an email.

A Prayer for Light

(Please light the appointed candles on your Advent wreath)

**Celebrant
People**

Let us pray.

Grant us, Lord, the lamp of charity which never fails, that it may burn in us and shed its light on those around us, and that by its brightness we may have a vision of that holy City, where dwell the true and never-failing Light, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Penitential Order: Rite Two

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Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**
Celebrant Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord your God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these." *Mark 12:29-31*

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
All **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.**
We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Collect

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray. ...
People **Amen.**

First Lesson

Reader *A reading from ...*
Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God**

Psalm/Response

Second Lesson

Reader *A reading from ...*
Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God

The Holy Gospel

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ, according to ...
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.** *(The Gospel is read)*
Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Reflection

The Rev. Debbie Dehler

The Nicene Creed

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We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We 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 became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with 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.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. Who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified. Who has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Joys and Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

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The Peace

Celebrant
People

The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you!

Blessing

Announcements

Dismissal

Celebrant
People

Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Do you have special, emergency or any pastoral care needs?

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