

First Sunday of Advent

December 3rd, 2023

Holy Eucharist

8:30 a.m., Rite One

The Word of God

Prelude	<i>Toccata On "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"</i>	Matthew McConnell
Processional	<i>Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending</i>	#57
Opening Acclamation		p.323
Collect for Purity		p.323
The Decalogue		p.317
Trisagion		S-102
Collect of the Day		p.325
Lessons		Insert
Gospel Hymn	<i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> <i>(Vs 1 & 6 before, Vs 7 after)</i>	#56

Gospel		
Sermon		The Rev. Scott A. Arnold
The Nicene Creed		p.326
Prayers of the People		p.328
Confession and Absolution		p.330
Sharing of Peace		p.332
Announcements		
Offertory	<i>What Wondrous Love Is This (piano)</i>	Southern Harmony arr. John Carter

Doxology		#380
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The Holy Communion

Eucharistic Prayer I		p.333
Sanctus		S-114
The Lord's Prayer		p.336
Breaking of The Bread		p.337
Communion Hymns		(Alleluia III) #202, #207
Post-communion Prayer		p.339
Blessing		p.339
Hymn	<i>Hail To The Lord's Anointed</i>	#616
Dismissal		
Postlude	<i>Paeon On "Wachet Auf"</i>	David Lasky

The Service of Holy Eucharist

11:00 a.m., Rite Two

The Word of God

Prelude	<i>Toccata On "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"</i>	Matthew McConnell
Processional	<i>Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending</i>	#57
Opening Acclamation		p.355
Collect for Purity		p.355
The Decalogue		p.350
Trisagion		S-102
Collect of the Day		p.357
Lessons		Insert
Gospel Hymn	<i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> <i>(Vs 1 & 6 before, Vs 7 after)</i>	#56

Gospel		
Sermon		The Rev. Scott A. Arnold
The Nicene Creed		p.358
Prayers of the People Form V		p.389
Confession and Absolution		p.330
Sharing of Peace		
Announcements		
Offertory	<i>What Wondrous Love (choir)</i>	Charles Dupree
Doxology		#380

The Holy Communion

Eucharistic Prayer B		p.367
Sanctus		S-130
The Lord's Prayer		p.364
Breaking of The Bread		p.364
The Communion of the People		
Communion Hymns		(Alleluia III) #202, #207
Post-communion Prayer		p.365/p.366
Blessing		
Hymn	<i>Hail To The Lord's Anointed</i>	#616
Dismissal		
Postlude	<i>Paeon On "Wachet Auf"</i>	David Lasky

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion at St. Mark's. Persons of any age who do not wish to commune, but simply wish to receive a pastoral blessing, should come forward, crossing their arms over their chest. Parents should assist small children to dip their wafer in the chalice to prevent spilling.

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LEM : Gordon Faulk; Josh Lane
Ushers: Todd Lampkin; John Park
Counters: Gordon Faulk; Carolyn Miller
Acolyte: Dominic Contreras
Altar Guild: Cathy Cook, Jan Byrne, George West
Fellowship: Jerry & Pat Boling

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARK'S ...

TODAY, December 3, 2023

Adult Sunday School 9:50a.m.

Sunday School 10a.m.

Evensong with a Twist 5:30p.m. (potluck following)

Al-Anon 7:30p.m.

EFM 5:00p.m.

MONDAY, December 4, 2023

A.A. Noon

TUESDAY, December 5, 2023

Silver Sneakers exercise class 9a.m. (Ray Hall)

A.A. Noon

WEDNESDAY, December 6, 2023

Bible Study 11a.m. Chapman Hall

Holy Eucharist with Unction 5p.m.

THURSDAY, December 7, 2023

Silver Sneakers exercise class 9a.m. (Ray Hall)

A.A. Noon

Al-Anon 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, December 8, 2023

A.A. Noon

SATURDAY, December 9, 2023

A.A. 9a.m. (Women only)

SUNDAY, December 10, 2023

Holy Eucharist 8:30a.m. and 11a.m.



St. Mark's Episcopal Church

The Rt. Rev. Glenda Curry, Bishop of Alabama

The Rt. Rev. Brian Prior, Assisting Bishop

The Rev. Scott A. Arnold, Rector

Yuliya Childers, Organist

“St. Mark’s Episcopal Church exists to worship and glorify Almighty God. We seek to be a welcoming community which reflects God’s unconditional love and nurtures spiritual growth by worship, prayer, education, service and fellowship.”