

WELCOME TO HOLY CROSS

Worship Outline - Traditional Worship 9am

DIVINE SETTING ONE . . . Second Sunday in Advent

Hark! A Thrilling Voice Is Sounding . . . LSB 345

Invocation / Confession & Absolution

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Once He Came in Blessing . . . LSB 333 verse 2

Psalm 98

Old Testament Reading . . . Isaiah 11:1-10

New Testament Reading . . . Romans 15:4-13

Alleluia and Verse

Holy Gospel . . . Matthew 3:1-12

On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry . . . LSB 344

Sermon

Apostles' Creed / Offering/Offertory / Prayer

Preface / Sanctus / Prayer of Thanksgiving / Lord's Prayer

Words of Our Lord / Pax Domini / Agnus Dei / Distribution

Thank the Lord . . . LSB 164

Post-Communion Collect / Benediction

The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns . . . LSB 348

Worship Outline - Contemporary Worship 11:15 am

Psalm 98

Emmanuel (Hallowed Manger Ground)

Invocation / Confession & Absolution

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Glory (Let There Be Peace)

Old Testament Reading . . . Isaiah 11:1-10

New Testament Reading . . . Romans 15:4-13

Holy Gospel . . . Matthew 3:1-12

Adore

Message

Apostles' Creed

Offering

Prayer / Lord's Prayer

Words of Our Lord / Communion / Benediction

Come and Worship

LOVED TO GROW AND GO

Matthew 3:1-12

Pastor Ty Zucker

¹In those days John the Baptist came preaching in the wilderness of Judea, ²"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." ³For this is he who was spoken of by the prophet Isaiah when he said, "The voice of one crying in the wilderness:

'Prepare the way of the Lord; make his paths straight.'"

⁴Now John wore a garment of camel's hair and a leather belt around his waist, and his food was locusts and wild honey. ⁵Then Jerusalem and all Judea and all the region about the Jordan were going out to him, ⁶and they were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.

⁷But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming for baptism, he said to them, "You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? ⁸Bear fruit in keeping with repentance. ⁹And do not presume to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as our father,' for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children for Abraham. ¹⁰Even now the axe is laid to the root of the trees. Every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire.

¹¹"I baptize you with water for repentance, but he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire. ¹²His winnowing fork is in his hand, and he will clear his threshing floor and gather his wheat into the barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

At times, it is customary for the congregation to stand during the service.
If you are unable to stand, please feel free to remain seated.
Please refrain from entering/leaving during prayer, readings, or sermon.

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THIS WEEK

TODAY

9am Traditional Service
10am Sunday School
11:15am Contemporary Service

MONDAY

7pm Bible Study Men & Women

WEDNESDAY

12pm Ladies Lunchly
@Liberty

THURSDAY

10am Bible Study

UPCOMING EVENTS

LADIES LUNCHLY

12/10 @12pm at Liberty

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

4PM CONTEMPORARY
6PM TRADITIONAL

CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

10:30AM TRADITIONAL WITH COMMUNION

OTHER INFO

FCOC Needs for December include Bagged potatoes and onions and paper towel. Additionally, they are always in need of children's clothes, paper grocery bags, and new towels.

COATS FOR KIDS! We are partnering with FCOC to collect new or slightly used coats for kids. Please place donations in box in the Narthex. **Today** is the **LAST DAY** to donate. **We have collected over 30 coats so far. THANK YOU!!!**

THANK YOU to all who donated for COATS FOR KIDS. Your donations will help ensure that many children in the Flushing area will stay warm this winter.

There is no Happy Hearts get together for December.

This Week's Birthdays

Kurt Hill Wayne Otto
Dave Ransom Charles Wellisley
Dave Kidwell Donald Keith

This Week's Anniversaries

No anniversaries this week.

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We are so glad you are here today!

Please take the time to fill out the communication card inside, as it helps us stay connected with you and gives us the opportunity to reach out to you and answer any questions you may have!

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