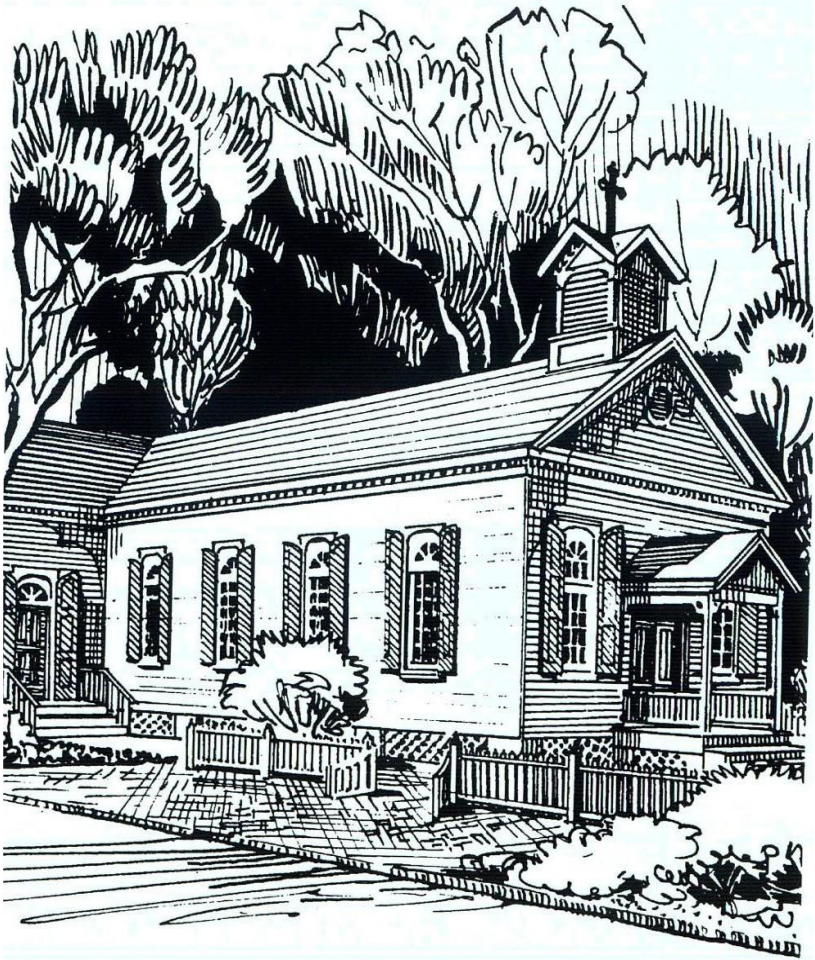


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## THE FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

DECEMBER 1, 2024

*(Visitors are warmly welcomed to All Saints' Church. Those not familiar with our service will see that we use two books, the Book of Common Prayer, 1928, and the Hymnal. Hymn numbers are preceded by the symbol # and page numbers in the Book of Common Prayer are indicated by BCP.)*

### HOLY COMMUNION

Prelude

Hymn #484	<i>Lift Up Your Heads</i>	Truro
Collect for Purity		BCP 67
The Decalogue		BCP 68-69
Decalogue Responses (#701 Merbecke)		
The Collect for the First Sunday in Advent		BCP 90
The Epistle:	Romans 13:8	BCP 90f

Hymn #11	<i>The King Shall Come</i>	St. Stephen
The Holy Gospel:	Saint Matthew 21:1	BCP p. 91
The Nicene Creed		BCP 71

*(During the following hymn Pre-K through fifth grade children are welcome to gather at the chancel steps before processing to Children's Chapel.)*

Hymn #9	<i>Hark! A Thrilling Voice Is Sounding</i>	Merton
The Sermon		Fr. Will Brown

### THE OFFERTORY

Offertory Anthem:	<i>Come Jesus Holy Son of God</i>	Handel/Hopson
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*Come, Jesus, Holy Son of God, come.  
 Thy truth unseal. Thy love reveal.  
 Lord, hear Thou in mercy our prayer to Thee.  
 Send forth Thy light, come in might.  
 For Thee we long. Hear Thou our prayer.  
 To be glory and evermore.*

Presentation Hymn #139	<i>Old Hundredth</i>	
Prayer for the Church		BCP 74
General Confession		BCP 75
Sursum Corda and Preface		BCP 76
<i>Sanctus et Benedictus</i>	Hymn#797 Willan	BCP 77
Canon		BCP 76
The Lord's Prayer		BCP 82
<i>Agnus Dei</i>	Hymn #712 Willan	

Ecce Agnus Dei

*Priest:* Behold the Lamb of God, behold him that  
taketh away the sins of the world.

*Answer:* Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come  
under my roof; but speak the word only, and my  
soul shall be healed.

Communion

*(Any person Baptized in the Name of the Father, the Son, and  
the Holy Ghost, and who acknowledges the Presence of our  
Lord in this Holy Sacrament is welcome to receive Holy  
Communion.)*

Communion

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 82

Dismissal

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*Answer:* And with Thy Spirit.

*Priest:* Let us bless the Lord.

*Answer:* Thanks be to God.

The Blessing

BCP 84

Hymn #3

*Wake, Awake, For Night Is Flying*

Sleepers, Wake

Postlude:

*O Come, Emmanuel*

Wilbur Held

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God  
and in loving memory of  
Rives and John Houser  
by her children.*

*Lay Reader*

*Mary Lou Mirocha*

*Ushers*

*Vann Middleton*

*Clayton Penhallegon*

*Altar Guild*

*Jinanne Parrish  
Dawna Bicknell Tanner*

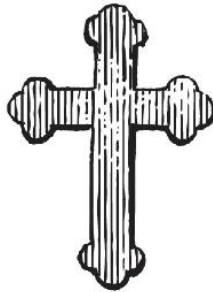
*Melissa Bruhn  
Sangrail Deal Bremer*

*Acolytes*

*Pierce Garland*

*Wyatt Davis*

*Luther Chastain*



## **MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

### **Sunday, December 1—The First Sunday in Advent**

- 8:45 a.m. Adult Scripture Study
- 9:00 a.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 9:00 a.m. Youth Bible Study
- 10:00 a.m. Sensory Sunday (Youth and Children)
- 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion
- Covered Dish Lunch and Advent Wreath Making
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

### **Wednesday, December 4**

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Group Meeting
- 4:00 p.m. Knitters Guild Meeting
- 5:20 p.m. St. David Children's Choir Rehearsal (Ages 6-14)
- 5:30 p.m. Body and Soul

### **Saturday, December 7**

- 9:00 a.m. All Saints' ECW Bazaar

### **Sunday, December 8 - The Second Sunday in Advent**

- 8:45 a.m. Adult Scripture Study
- 9:00 a.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 9:00 a.m. Youth Bible Study
- 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
- 5:00 p.m. Holy Communion

### **Wednesday, December 11**

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Group Meeting
- Noon - Book Club Meeting ("The Life Impossible" by Matt Haig)
- 4:00 p.m. Knitters Guild Meeting
- 5:20 p.m. St. David Choir Rehearsal
- 5:30 p.m. Body and Soul

### Visiting All Saints Today?

The clergy, vestry and people of All Saints' warmly welcome you to our church. We hope that you will introduce yourself so that we can greet you. We invite you to complete this and place it in the offering plate or leave it with an usher or our Rector.

- Please add me to the church's distribution list so that I can be kept informed about All Saints' services and other activities. \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to receive a telephone call from the Rector. \_\_\_\_\_
- Please let me know how to become a member of All Saints'. \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

# ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Thomasville, Georgia

The Rt. Rev. Frank Logue..... Bishop of Georgia  
The Rev'd George Willcox Brown, III..... Rector

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Mrs. Penny Carpenter	Mr. Mike Tanner, Sr. Warden
Mrs. Rosamond C. Davis	Mr. Putt Wetherbee
Mrs. Ashley Jackson	Dr. Douglas McPherson
Mrs. Kathy Lanigan	Mrs. Carol Singletary, Clerk
Mr. Vann Middleton	

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Assistant to the Parish Secretary.....	Mrs. Natalie Watson

## PARISH OFFICERS

Vergers .....	Mr. A. Ramsey Singletary
Parish Treasurer .....	Mr. C. Bradford Jackson
Altar Guild.....	Mrs. Kim Bragg

## SUNDAY SCHEDULE

**MORNING**  
10:30 a.m.  
Holy Communion or  
Morning Prayer

**EVENING**  
5:00 p.m.  
Holy Communion or  
Evening Prayer

Saints Days and Holy Days as announced

Nursery facilities are provided from 8:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Sunday.

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