

Serving Today

Minister: The Rt. Rev. John P. Boonzaaijer
Assisting: The Rev. Garrin W. Dickinson
Deacon: The Rev. Dcn. Roberto Cruz
Lay Reader: David Bucy
Lector: Ben Embry
Altar Guild: Cynthia Bucy, *Captain*, Marisol & Amisadai Cruz, Tiia Saunders, Ana Archbold
Choirmaster: Andrew Dittman
Organist: Steven Williams
Acolytes: Nathaniel Boonzaaijer, Isaac Lives, James Dittman, John Dittman
Ushers: Ken Bennett, *Captain* & John Morton
Nursery: Brittany Dean & Rosanna Embry
Counters: David Bucy & Brad Lives
Coffee Hour: Ben & Sarah Embry

Sundays

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:00 am Coffee and Visiting
9:25-10:15 am Christian Education for all ages
(Catechesis)
(staffed nursery available)
10:30 am Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
(staffed nursery available)
5:00 pm Evening Prayer
1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays

Weekdays

8:00 am Morning Prayer (9:00 am Saturdays)
3:05 pm Evening Prayer (Catechism, Wed.)
6:30 pm Evensong (Wed., Parish Prayer List)

The Most Rev. Stephen D. Wood
ACNA Archbishop

The Most Rev. Dr. Ray R. Sutton
Bishop Ordinary, and Presiding

The Rt. Rev. John P. Boonzaaijer
Rector & Suffragan Bishop for Cuba

The Rev. Edward G. Fruin
Assistant Rector

The Rev. Garrin W. Dickinson
Assisting Priest

The Rev. Thomas N. Smith
Artist-in-Residence

The Rev. Deacon Mark W. Woolsey
Mr. Coleman Rafferty
Intern

Mr. Andrew Dittman
Choirmaster

Mr. Stephen Williams
Interim Organist

Sextons
Saint Timothy Students
Niki Duval

Chapel Vestry

Sam Cole
Senior Warden

Bradley Lives (*Junior Warden*)
Adam Reed (*Secretary*)
Kenneth Bennett (*Treasurer*)
Laura Boonzaaijer
Andrew Dittman
Ellen Grasso

Church Planter

The Rev. Dcn. Roberto Cruz
Santa Cruz Hispanic Mission



Fourth Sunday in Advent

Morning Prayer with Sermon
December 22, 2024
10:30 am

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ministry fund here.



Office Hours

Monday - Friday, 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

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*A Faith to Believe · A Place to Belong
A Rule of Life*

The Chapel of the Cross

The purpose of The Chapel of the Cross is the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ by the establishment of a place of worship where fellow Christians may glorify their Lord and Saviour in peace and concord in the historic tradition and doctrine of the Protestant Episcopal Church, as exemplified by low church practice and the liturgy and tenets of the 1928 Book of Common Prayer. We accept the Bible as the Word of God, adhere to the principles of the Apostles' Creed, and the Nicene Creed and will serve mankind in accordance with the will of God.

Announcements

Opportunities This Week

Daily Prayer: 8:00 am (Mon. & Fri. only this week)

Tuesday: Christmas Eve, Holy Communion

Family Service, 5:00 pm; Candlelight Mass, 11:00 pm

Wed: Christmas Day, Holy Communion, 10:30 am

Thursday: St. Stephen, Holy Communion at Cathedral CHC*, noon

Friday: St. John, Holy Communion at Cathedral CHC*, noon

Saturday: Holy Innocents, Holy Communion (instructed Eucharist) followed by Feast of Lights Rehearsal, pizza & games, 9:00 am

Celebrating
This Week

Birthdays

Stephen Williams 12/25

Tonia Berthiaume 12/25

Esther Fruin 12/26

Edwin Archbold 12/27

Catherine Shiveley 12/27

Rosanna Embry 12/27

John Boonzaaijer 12/28

Claire Predtechenskis 12/28

Anniversaries

Kathy & Thom Smith 12/22

Karel & Shari Boonzaaijer 12/26

Congratulations to James and Kristin Reagan as Benjamin Converse is received into Christ's Church today.

Some helps: 1) Have children use restrooms before church; 2) enter quietly, kneel, and quiet your mind in prayer; 3) note hymns, Bible readings, and Psalm; 4) reflect during Postlude; 5) visit with friends in Parish Hall.

Christmas Gathering All are invited to Karl and Laura Boonzaaijer's, 6927 Lacy Blvd, on December 26, the second day of Christmas, 5:00 pm and after. Please bring a festive appetizer or drink to share.

Angel Tree

Sponsored by TLC, the Angel Tree ministry supports FirstLook Pregnancy Center in Waxahachie. Unwrapped gifts may be placed under the tree.

Advent Offering

In addition to regular support from parishes and individual, the annual Board of Foreign Missions Advent Offering supports particular ministries. Please give generously this year! Re-start Knüll Camp; Christmas Missionary Gifts; Cuban transportation. Give online, Plate, or Alms Box.

No Catechesis next Sunday

Circumcision of Christ January 1, Holy Communion, noon at Cathedral CHC*.

Feast of Lights

Sunday, January 5, at 5:00 pm Pageant, Potluck & Dance!

* Cathedral address: 17405 Muirfield Drive, Dallas, TX 75287

Fourth Sunday in Advent

*Generally, we stand to sing, sit to listen, and kneel to pray.
All baptized Christians are welcome to the Holy Communion.
Food & drink should be saved for after the service. Silence all electronic devices.*

Prelude*Es ist ein Ros' entsprungen*Johannes Brahms

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Processional*Come, thou long expected Jesus*

StuttgartHymn 1

General Confession, Absolution & Lord's PrayerPB Pg 6

Versicles, Antiphon & Venite (*Psalm 95*)PB Pgs 7-9 (Hymn 605)

*Our King and Saviour draweth nigh; * O come, let us adore him.*

Psalm 77PB Pg 433

First LessonJeremiah 33:7-16Bible Pg 584

Canticle*Benedicite (Gaul)*PB Pg 11

Second Lesson1 Thessalonians 1Bible Pg 872

Canticle*Benedictus*PB Pg 14 (Hymn 635)

BaptismPB Pg 273

Apostles' CreedPB Pg 15

Versicles, Suffrages & Collect for the DayPB Pgs 16 & 95

Collects for Peace & GracePB Pg 17

Prayer Anthem*Jubilate Deo (Psalm 100)*Vincent Novello

Prayers & General ThanksgivingPB Pg 18

Welcome

Sermon Hymn*The Lord will come and not be slow*

YorkHymn 312

Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem.

SermonThe Rector

Offertory*Prepare the way, O Zion*arr. Dittman

Presentation*Saviour of the nations, come (st. 7)*ATD 78

*Please come forward to the rail during the offertory
presentation for birthday and anniversary blessings.*

Prayers of the People & Blessing

Recessional*Wake, awake, for night is flying*

Sleepers, WakeHymn 3

Closing Prayer

Please remain kneeling until candles have been extinguished.

Postlude*Nun Komm, der Heiden Heiland*J.S. Bach

*This service will continue with Holy Communion
for those who wish to remain.*