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**The Sunday Celebration of the Eucharist**

 **Advent 1**

 **December 1, 2024**

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**Prelude: Who Would Send a Baby…Mary Kay Beall**

 **Soloist: Gail Cascella**

**Advent Candle Lighting**:

**7:45:** We wait in hope for the morning light, for the love of Christ to illuminate the night. We wait with joy for the Saviors birth; we wait in hope for peace on earth.

**10:00
Sung Refrain: *We wait in hope*:** Verse 1 – Choir then Choir & Congregation - Blue Music Insert

**C:** Advent is a time to wait.

***P:*** *We wait in hope for the Lord: he is our help and our shield.*

**C:** During Advent we wait for light in the darkness.

***P:*** *We wait in hope for the Lord: he is our help and our shield.*

**C:** During Advent we wait for freedom from captivity.

**P:** *We wait in hope for the Lord: he is our help and our shield.*

**C:** During Advent we wait for comfort in sorrow.

***P*:** *We wait in hope for the Lord: he is our help and our shield.*

**C:** During Advent we wait for power in weakness.

***P:*** *We wait in hope for the Lord: he is our help and our shield.*

**C:** This morning, we light the **first candle**. The first candle reminds us that, as we wait upon the Lord, God’s light never ceases to shine. God’s will never ceases to unfold, and God’s grace never ceases to be felt. As we begin the journey of Advent, may we learn to wait upon the Lord with hopeful expectation by celebrating all God has done and anticipating all God will do.

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**C:** Let us pray:

God of all creation, we declare that you are the Eternal One. We confess to you, O Lord, that we easily grow impatient, when your word to us is wait. Ignite within us a new and everlasting hope. We pray this in the name of Christ, our Lord.

***P:*** *Amen.*

**First Reading:** ***Jeremiah*** 33:14-16

**R:** The Word of the Lord.

***P:***  *Thanks be to God.*

**Psalm Response:** ***Psalm 25:1-9***

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|  | *To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul; my God, I put my trust in you; \*    let me not be humiliated, nor let my enemies triumph over me.* |
|  | *Let none who look to you be put to shame; \*    let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.* |
|  | *Show me your ways, O LORD, \*    and teach me your paths.* |
|  | *Lead me in your truth and teach me, \*     for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.* |
|  | *Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love, \*    for they are from everlasting.* |
|  | *Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; \*    remember me according to your love and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.* |
|  | *Gracious and upright is the LORD; \*     therefore he teaches sinners in his way.* |
|  | *He guides the humble in doing right \*    and teaches his way to the lowly.* |
|  | *All the paths of the LORD are love and faithfulness \*    to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.* |

**Second Reading:** ***I Thessalonians 3:9-13***

**R**: The Word of the Lord.

***P:*** *Thanks be to God.*

**10:00 - Gospel Hymn: *The King Shall Come*** - #73 vs. 1,2 & 3

**C:**  My sisters and brothers a reading from the Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

**Gospel: *Luke*** 21:25-36

**C**: The Gospel of the Lord.

***P:*** *Praise to you Lord, Christ.*

**10:00 - after the Gospel:** #73 vs. 4 & 5

**Sermon:**

**Profession of Faith:*****Nicene Creed*** – Page 358 **BCP**

**Prayers of the People**:

**Confession of Sin**: Page 360 **BCP**

**The Peace**

**Announcements:**

**Offertory Hymn: *Sleepers Awake*** - #61

**Offertory Sentence:** Through Christ let us continually offer to God the sacrifice of praise, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge his Name. But to do good and to distribute, forget not; for with such sacrifices God is well pleased.    *Hebrews 13:15,16*

**Preface: Page 378 BCP**

**Sanctus: 7:45 *– Recited***

**10:00 *–*** ***Sanctus –S130***

**Eucharistic Prayer B –** P. 367 **BCP**

**The Lord’s Prayer:**

**Breaking of the Bread:** Christ our Passover

**Communion Song: *Watchman, tell us of the night*** - #640

**Prayer after Communion:** Page 365 ***BCP***

**Blessing:** Please respond “Amen” after each of the biddings.

**Closing Hymn: *Lo! He comes with clouds descending*** - #58

**Dismissal:**

**Prayer of Healing and Wellness:**

***Parishioners:***The Bustle’s, Kathryn Stevenson, Karen Moore, Priscilla Martin, Marilyn Wolter, Jodey Porter, Bill Gill, Bill Speer, Louise Silvanic, Lynda Priepot, Steve Ives, Barbara Renney, Mary Jane Daggett, Ora Mae James and Fr. Glen.

***Family and Friends:*** Brand Ramsey (family friend of The Reynolds), Charlotte (daughter of Holly Quillian), Robert Johnson (son of Lynda Priepot), Betsy Ramsey and Mary and Jack Hertenstein (friends of The Reynolds), Dick Stagner (brother in law of Louise Silvanic), Steve Gillespie (nephew of Gail Cascella), Nicola Moxey (daughter of Christine Pratley), Taryon Degon (granddaughter of Jan Ciancarelli), Carol Johnson’s sister, Christine Booth (Fr. Glen’s sister), Karen Perdue (Gail Cascella’s niece), Kevin-Ford family (family of The Ford’s), Paul Ciancarelli (Jan’s son), Art Sounia (friend of Doreen Colket) and Juliet Clarke (granddaughter of Pratley’s), Joe Fairchild (friend of the Cooley’s), Melanie Moran (friend of Christine) and Emily Ann Norris (family of Linney Reynolds), Marge Schrauth (friend of Fr. Glen), Dan Bryan (brother-in-law of Bob Cabnet), Maxwell Kappel (grandson of The Martin’s), Maxon McNeil (friend of the Shorts), Jayme and Jeremy (family of Cooley’s), and Kathy Harlow (sister of Doreen Colket), John Heath (friend of Jane Bryant), Ron Bernot (Neighbor of Dinny Sayre), Jordan Skeard (nephew of Alice and George Short), Rev. Jane Allen (Short’s priest in Newfoundland), Leo Johnson (friend of Alice and George Short), George Silvanic (Louise’s grandson), Wally Skeard (brother in law to George & Alice Short), Wall, Elisa Hughes, Dr. Greg Gutowski (Priscilla Martin), Steve Harlow (brother-in-law of Doreen Colket), Charles (friend of Mindel De La Torre), Karen Fitzgerald (cousin of Doreen Colket), Beth Hunt (niece of Beverly Hunt).

***Prayers for Safety and Service****:*

Ben Richardson (son of Christine Pratley), Alexander Moxey (grandson of Christine), George Phillip Silvanic (Louise Silvanic’s grandson), Jody Cooley (son of Bill and Donna Cooley), and Logan Valenti (grandson of Nancy Valenti).

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| **1****Love offering** | **2** | **3****9 – 11:00****Food Pantry** | **4****Holy Eucharist & Healing Service and Bible Study****9:30****Virginia Heckerman** | **5**  |  **6****Edie Bustle** | **7** |