

CHURCH *of the* INCARNATION



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"Be not afraid; for I bring you good tidings of great joy
which shall be to all the people."
Luke 2:10

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Christmas Eve

December 24, 2021
Contemporary Service

ORDER OF SERVICE

SONG

O come all ye faithful
Joyful and triumphant
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem
Come and behold Him
Born the King of Angels
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

O sing, choirs of angels
Sing in exultation
O sing, all ye citizens of heaven above
Glory to God, all
Glory in the highest
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

All Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SONG

Hark the herald Angels sing
Glory to the newborn King
Peace on earth and mercy mild
God and sinners reconciled

Joyful, all ye nation rise
Join the triumph of the skies
With Angelic host proclaim
Christ is born in Bethlehem
Hark the herald Angels sing
Glory to the newborn King

Hail the heaven born Prince of Peace
Hail the Son of righteousness
Light and life to all He brings
Risen with healing in His wings

O Come All Ye Faithful

O Lord, we greet Thee
Born this happy morning
Jesus, forevermore be Thy name adored
Word of the Father
Now in flesh appearing
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
O come, let us adore Him
Christ the Lord

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Christ the Lord

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing (King of Heaven)

Mild He lays His glory by
Born that man no more may die
Born to raise the sons of earth
Born to give them second birth
Hark the herald Angels sing
Glory to the newborn King

King of heaven come down
King of heaven come now
Let Your glory reign, shining like the day
King of heaven come
King of heaven rise up
Who can stand against us?
You are strong to save in Your mighty name
King of heaven come

Christ by highest heaven adored
Christ the everlasting Lord
Late in time behold Him come
Offspring of a virgin's womb

Mild He lays His glory by
Born that man no more may die
Born to raise the sons of earth
Born to give them second birth
Hark the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King

King of heaven come
King of heaven come
King of heaven come
King of heaven come
King of heaven come down
King of heaven come now
Let Your glory reign, shining like the day
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Who can stand against us?
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King of heaven come

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you make us glad by the yearly festival of the birth of your only Son Jesus Christ: Grant that we, who joyfully receive him as our Redeemer, may with sure confidence behold him when he comes to be our Judge; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSON

Isaiah 9:2–4, 6–7

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined. Thou hast multiplied the nation, and not increased the joy: they joy before thee according to the joy in harvest, and as men rejoice when they divide the spoil. For thou hast broken the yoke of his burden, and the staff of his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor, as in the day of Midian. For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 24

Who may climb the mountain of the Lord
Who may stand in His holy place
Only those whose hands and hearts are pure
Will receive the blessing of the Lord

Open up the ancient gates
Open up the ancient doors
Let the King of glory in

Who is the King of glory
The Lord strong and mighty
The Lord of heaven's armies
He is the King of glory

Who may climb the mountain of the Lord
Such a generation
Who may stand in His holy place
Who seeks God
Only those whose hands and hearts are pure
Will be in your presence
Will receive the blessing of the Lord
Right relationship

THE EPISTLE

Titus 2:11–14

The grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world; Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ; Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE

Simeon's Song

Hush your crying now blessed one
I've been waiting for you oh so long
Just to hold you in my arms
Makes my heart rejoice

You will be the light
My eyes have seen the Messiah
For Christ has finally come
As the prophets foretold
The kingdom of God has come

Perfect beautiful holy babe
I've longed to see your face
Promised hope of Israel

THE GOSPEL

Matthew 1:18–25

Deacon ✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Matthew.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child of the Holy Spirit; and her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly. But as he considered this, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, "Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary your wife, for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit; she will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins." All this took place to fulfil what the Lord had spoken by the prophet: "Behold, a virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and his name shall be called Emmanuel" (which means, God with us). When Joseph woke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took his wife, but knew her not until she had borne a son; and he called his name Jesus.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SEQUENCE

Simeon’s Song

My eyes have seen the Messiah
For Christ has finally come
As the prophets foretold
The kingdom of God has come

THE SERMON

Father Thomas Kincaid

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

- Leader*

Father, in this holy night, your Son was born as a child among us. Renew your Church as the Body of Christ.
Lord, in your mercy
- People*

Hear our prayer.
- Leader*

In this holy night, shepherds in the field heard good tidings of joy. Grant us grace to preach the gospel of Christ’s love.
Lord, in your mercy
- People*

Hear our prayer.
- Leader*

In this holy night, Christians the world over celebrate the birth of your Son, our Savior. Open our hearts that he may be born in us today.
Lord, in your mercy
- People*

Hear our prayer.
- Leader*

In this holy night, your angels sang “Peace to God’s people on earth.” Strengthen those who work for peace and justice in all the world, and bring stability and calm where chaos and conflict reign.
Lord, in your mercy
- People*

Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night, there was no room for your Son at the inn. Protect with your unfailing love those who have no home and all who live in poverty.
Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night, your Son came as a light shining in the darkness. Bring comfort to all who suffer in body, mind or spirit.
Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night heaven is come down to earth, and earth is raised to heaven. Grant rest to all those who have passed through death in the sure and certain hope of everlasting life.
Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All kneel.

Deacon & People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Celebrant stands and gives the Absolution, after which all stand.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with your spirit.

All greet one another with a sign of peace in the name of the Lord.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDRENS SERMON (2 PM)

BIRTHDAY BLESSING

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OFFERTORY SONG

O Holy Night

The Minister begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

O Holy night! The stars are brightly shining
It is the night of our dear Savior's birth
Long lay the world in sin and error pining
'Til He appears and the soul felt its worth
A thrill of hope the weary world rejoices
For yonder breaks a new and glorious morn
Fall on your knees; O hear the Angel voices
O night divine, O night when Christ was born
O night divine, O night divine

Truly He taught us to love one another;
His law is love and His Gospel is Peace
Chains shall He break, for the slave is our brother
And in His name, all oppression shall cease
Sweet hymns of joy in grateful chorus raise we
Let all within us praise His Holy name
Christ is the Lord; O praise His name forever!
His power and glory evermore proclaim
His power and glory evermore proclaim!

Fall on your knees; O hear the Angel voices
O night divine, O night when Christ was born
O night divine, O holy night

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant continues with the Preface, which concludes

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Celebrant & People

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

✠ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

All kneel. The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

Celebrant Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:
All Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours,
Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant & People

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread and a period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

Celebrant We do not presume
All to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your abundant and great mercies.
We are not worthy so much as to gather up
the crumbs under your table;
but you are the same Lord
whose property is always to have mercy.
Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood,
that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Persons who wish to have the Holy Eucharist brought to them in their pew should notify an usher.

Instructions for Holy Communion

All Christians who have been baptized with water and in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, who come forward in faith and are permitted to receive Holy Communion in their own church, are welcome to do so on this occasion.

Communion is received in the following way: a priest places the Bread in the palm of your hand, which you then consume; to receive the Wine, hold the base of the chalice, guide it to your lips. The practice of dipping the Bread into the Wine is not permitted. If you do not wish to receive one or both Elements, simply cross your arms over your chest.

If one is not able (e.g. because of a medical condition), or prefers not, to receive either the Bread or the Wine, the Church has always taught that a person still receives all the benefits of Holy Communion. If needed, there is wine from a dedicated gluten-free chalice; just notify a priest when you kneel at the altar rail.

Please feel free to consult with a member of the clergy if you have more questions.

SONG

Away in a manger, no crib for His bed
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head
The stars in the bright sky looked down where
He lay
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay

The cattle are lowing, the poor Baby awakes
But little Lord Jesus, no crying He makes
I love Thee, Lord Jesus!
Look down from the night sky
And stay by my side till morning is nigh

Be near me, Lord Jesus; I ask Thee to stay
Close by me forever, and love me I pray
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care
And take us to Heaven to live with Thee there

Away In a Manger/Worthy Is Your Name

Worthy is your name Jesus
You deserve the praise
Worthy is your name
Worthy is your name Jesus
You deserve the praise
Worthy is your name

Worthy is your name Jesus
You deserve the praise
Worthy is your name

There is a name I love to hear,
I love to sing its worth;
It sounds like music in mine ear,
The sweetest name on earth.
Oh, how I love Jesus,
Oh, how I love Jesus,
Oh, how I love Jesus,
Because He first loved me

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant & People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SONG

Silent night, holy night
All is calm, all is bright
Round yon virgin mother and child
Holy Infant, so tender and mild
Sleep in heavenly peace
Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night
Shepherds quake at the sight
Glories stream from heaven afar
Heavenly hosts sing, Alleluia!
Christ, the Savior, is born!
Christ, the Savior, is born!

Silent Night

Silent night, holy night!
Son of God, love's pure light
Radiant beams from thy holy face
With the dawn of redeeming grace
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

The Celebrant gives the blessing, after which the Deacon says

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

Poinsettias adorning the church are given to the glory of God and...

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Victor Agather, Fifi Agather, Merrilee Agather
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Emily, Alex, Alice, Henry & Lucy Cameron; Ginny & Mark Martinson; Mary Susan, Sam, Sam III & Ellie Hunter; Kate; Lisa, George & Fleming Longino; Philip, Leah, Clay, Tux & Caffey Ewing *by Ellen & Rex McDowell*

My mother, Marie W. Doughty *by Andrew Melsheimer*

The Ministry of many members of Incarnation to and for Nashotah House: Drew Bradford, Tom Graves, Bishop Burton and Elisabeth Kincaid *by The Rev. Canon Ed Monk*

Our dear friends, Drew & Shannon Bradford and Laura & Tom Graves *by The Rev. Canon Ed Monk and Virginia Monk*

Our family *by Connie & Greg Moore*

William Polk Murchison III, Carrie Langdon Murchison, John Alexander Murchison, Broderick Palmer Murchison and Margaret Polk Murchison; the extraordinary family and extraordinary clergy and staff of Church of the Incarnation during these extraordinary moments of challenge, March 2020 to the present *by Mr. & Mrs. William P. Murchison Jr.*

Our precious grandchildren, Jack, Lucy, Covey, Bertie & Campbell *by Gay & David Oxford*

My children, Jenna & Robert and their precious daughters; and Joyce *by Fr. Rick Philputt*

Our beautiful family and the lives of Nellie Jane (Nana) Howell and Sam Sylvester *by the Brian Purdy family*

Eleanor & Sanders Miller *by Lynne & Stephen Sanders*

Our children and four grandchildren, Mary, Henry, Clara & Paul; the clergy and staff of Incarnation; and our tireless Altar Guild directresses, Gay Oxford and Susan Beecher! *by Clara & Steve Smiley*

Laura & Andrew Stallings, Logan, John & Riley Stallings, Wade Stallings, Carmen Gray, Clara & Alden Gray Stallings and Kyla & Phillip Stallings *by Barbara Wall Stallings*

The marriage of Rob Watkins and Gina Perez; the birth of my grandson, Adrian Bush Walters; and Clare & Greg Walters *by Louise Watkins*

Our children, Thomas & Sarah Kate and our new son-in-law, Trey Schwartz *by Ellen & Andy Welch*

Ernie, Michelle, Travis, Mary Margaret & John *by Betty Williamson*

Our family, especially our parents; our dear friends; and the love of Jesus *by Cathy & Jim Wills*

Cathy & Jim Wills *by their grandchildren Jimmy, Mary Claire, Johnny, Clyde, Hallie, Eleanor, Reed & George*

Our children and grandchildren *by Helen & Harry Winters*



— *An Evening of Two Recitals* —

THE COMPLETE ORGAN WORKS OF CÉSAR FRANCK

— *performed by Scott Dettra* —

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 2022
4:30–9:30 PM, CHURCH

Scott Dettra, kicks off a 16-city national tour of César Franck's complete organ works, played from memory in two recitals, to mark the bicentennial of the composer's birth. The recitals are free to attend and will be at 4:30 and 7:30 pm.

A catered French dinner and a lecture by SMU professor, Christopher Anderson, will be held in the Welcome Center between the recitals at a cost. For more information on registration for the dinner and lecture, please visit INCARNATION.ORG/FRANCK.

EPIPHANY NIGHT

SUNDAY,
JANUARY 9 AT 4 PM

Everyone is invited to Choral Evensong in the Church, followed by burning of the greens, blessing of chalk, and dinner in the Great Hall.





INCARNATION 101

take the first step

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30 • 12:30 PM

EDUCATION BLDG., ROOM 205

Come get to know the clergy and staff, learn more ways to get involved, and what membership at Incarnation means! Childcare & lunch provided with RSVP: **INCARNATION.ORG/101**

sunday service times

7:30 AM	TRADITIONAL, NO MUSIC, <i>Church</i>
9 AM	TRADITIONAL, <i>Church</i> CONTEMPORARY, <i>Ascension Chapel</i>
11:15 AM	TRADITIONAL, <i>Church</i> CONTEMPORARY, <i>Ascension Chapel</i>
4 PM	CHORAL EVENSONG & HOLY COMMUNION, <i>Church</i>

weekday service times

8:30 AM MON–FRI	MORNING PRAYER & HOLY COMMUNION, <i>Memorial Chapel & online at facebook.com/groups/incarnationprayer</i>
4:40 PM MON–WED	EVENING PRAYER, <i>Memorial Chapel & online at facebook.com/groups/incarnationprayer</i>
NOON WEDNESDAY	HOLY COMMUNION WITH ANOINTING FOR HEALING, <i>Memorial Chapel</i>
4:40 PM THURSDAY	CHORAL EVENSONG WITH INCARNATION CHORISTERS, <i>Church</i>

Confessions are heard by appointment with any parish priest.

CHURCH *of the* INCARNATION

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