

Ante-Communion Rite II
Advent 1
Order of Service, November 27, 2022

Hymn # 61: Sleepers Awake
Opening Acclamation: BCP page 355
Kyrie
Collect of the Day

Lessons

[Isaiah 2:1-5](#)

Psalm 122, BCP page 779

[Romans 13:11-14](#)

Gospel: [Matthew 24:36-44](#)

Homily

The Creed and the Prayers

Nicene Creed: BCP page 358

Prayers of the People Form III, BCP page 387 (*all may unmute themselves when invited to add names*)

Prayer for the Good News Festival

Loving God, Author of life, in You we live and move and have our being. We ask that you revive us again in your mighty Spirit as we prepare our hearts for The Good News Festival. Inspire us to reach out to those who do not know you, and welcome them with open arms, without judgement, so that all may embrace your Good News, answer your call, and dance together with joy. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Anniversary and Birthday Blessings, Special Prayer Requests

The Lord's Prayer

Prayer for Spiritual Communion – said together:

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Blessing

Hymn # 56: O come, O come, Emmanuel, vs. 1-3

Dismissal