

# Second Sunday of Advent

December 4, 2016 ~ 11:00 a.m.

Prelude		arr. Wilson
	<b>Balm in Gilead</b>	
Silent Meditation		<b>Isaiah 44:6</b>
	<b>Thus says the LORD, the King of Israel and his Redeemer, the LORD of hosts: "I am the first and I am the last; besides me there is no God."</b>	
Welcome and Announcements		
Chimes		
Introit		Root
	<b>The Lord Is in His Holy Temple</b>	
Lighting of the Advent Candles		
Vocal Solo		Penny Morche
	<b>My Tribute</b>	
Call to Worship		<b>Psalms 138</b>
Prayer of Adoration, Approach, Confession		
Hymn		<b>#133</b>
	<b>Hark! The Herald Angels Sing</b>	
Offertory		Harrington
	<b>There's A Song in the Air</b>	
Presentation of Gifts and Doxology		<b>#625</b>
Prayer of Dedication		
Vocal Solo		Penny Morche
	<b>Christmas Medley</b>	
Pastoral Prayer and Intercession		
Hymn		<b>#136</b>
	<b>The First Noel</b>	
Scripture Reading		<b>(p. 1276)</b>
	<b>John 7:32-53</b>	
Sermon		Revd. John Flanagan
	<b>The Invitation of Jesus</b>	

## The Sacrament of Holy Communion

### THE LOAF

For on the night of his arrest, Jesus took bread, gave God thanks and then broke it, saying, This is my body that is for you.

Do this and remember me.

For the bread we eat day by day:

**God be blessed for ever.**

For the bread of the great day that feeds us for new life:

**God be blessed for ever.**

Jesus, true and living bread, touch all our days and fit us for your new day's dawning:

**God be blessed for ever.**

Nourish us with bread for the journey, disciples in your way this day and always.

**Come, Holy Spirit; feed us with your love and renew us with your life.**

### THE CUP

In the same way, Jesus took the cup after supper and said, This is the cup of the new covenant in my blood.

Do this, as often as you drink it, and remember me.

For the wine that makes hearts glad:

**God be blessed for ever.**

For the wine that seals the covenant:

**God be blessed for ever.**

Jesus, true and living vine, make hearts glad and lives safe.

**God be blessed for ever.**

Enliven us with the wine of the kingdom, this day and always.

**Come, Holy Spirit; fill us with your love and renew us with your life.**

### THE PROCLAMATION

As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life:**

**Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

Hymn

**#125**

**Joy to the World!**

Closing Words

Choral Response

**O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,**

**O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.**

**We'll praise His name forever, we'll praise His name forever,**

**we'll praise His name forever, Christ the Lord.**

Benediction

Postlude

Smith

**Victory through Faith**