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St. Mary's Episcopal Church

A parish in the Diocese of Pennsylvania

December 24, 2023 - 10:00 p.m. - *Christmas Eve*

Our Mission: God is calling the people of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Wayne, Pennsylvania to follow Jesus' teaching to love God with all our hearts, souls and minds; and to love our neighbor as ourselves. Therefore we love and embrace each other, friend and stranger alike in worship, service and prayer as we seek to live in and share God's Word.

- Adopted by the St. Mary's Vestry, May 2015



Pre-Service Music

From the oratorio *Messiah*, by George Frideric Handel composed in 1741:

Chorus 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.

Pastoral Symphony

Recitatives

There were shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

Chorus Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth, goodwill toward men.

Hymn 107 Good Christian friends, rejoice (*Sung by All, Congregation remains seated*)

In dulci jubilo

Organ Carol *In dulci jubilo (In sweet rejoicing)*

Marcel Dupré

Tower Bells

After the ringing of the bells, please stand and join in the singing of the hymn in procession.

The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Hymn in Procession 83 O come, all ye faithful

Adeste fideles

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

Collect for Purity

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**

Canticle *Alleluia (Cantata 142)*

Johann Sebastian Bach

*Alleluia, Alleluia, O praise-ed be God All raise your voices, Sing with thankful voices;
Thou God today hast giv'n us joy, Hold fast to Him and praise His name eternal.*

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have given your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him, and to be born this day of a pure virgin: Grant that we, who have been born again and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit; through our Lord Jesus Christ, to whom with you and the same Spirit be honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The people sit.

First Reading

Isaiah 62:6-12

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

Upon your walls, O Jerusalem, I have posted sentinels; all day and all night they shall never be silent. You who remind the LORD, take no rest, and give him no rest until he establishes Jerusalem and makes it renowned throughout the earth. The LORD has sworn by his right hand and by his mighty arm: I will not again give your grain to be food for your enemies, and foreigners shall not drink the wine for which you have labored; but those who garner it shall eat it and praise the LORD, and those who gather it shall drink it in my holy courts. Go through, go through the gates, prepare the way for the people; build up, build up the highway, clear it of stones, lift up an ensign over the peoples. The LORD has proclaimed to the end of the earth: Say to daughter Zion, "See, your salvation comes; his reward is with him, and his recompense before him." They shall be called, "The Holy People, The Redeemed of the LORD"; and you shall be called, "Sought Out, A City Not Forsaken."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Remain seated

Psalm 97 *Congregation repeats the Antiphon after the Cantor, then sings Antiphon again after the Psalm.*



To - day is born our Sav - ior, Christ the Lord.

1 The Lord is King;

let the earth rejoice; *

let the multitude of the isles be glad.

2 Clouds and darkness are round about him, *

righteousness and justice are the foundations of his throne.

3 A fire goes before him *

and burns up his enemies on every side.

4 His lightnings light up the world; *

the earth sees it and is afraid.

5 The mountains melt like wax at the presence of the Lord, *

at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.

6 The heavens declare his righteousness, *

and all the peoples see his glory.

7 Confounded be all who worship carved images

and delight in false gods! *

Bow down before him, all you gods.

8 Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice, *

because of your judgments, O Lord.

9 For you are the Lord,

most high over all the earth; *

you are exalted far above all gods.

10 The Lord loves those who hate evil; *

he preserves the lives of his saints

and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.

11 Light has sprung up for the righteous, *

and joyful gladness for those who are truehearted.

12 Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous, *

and give thanks to his holy Name.

Second Reading

Titus 3:4-7

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to Titus.

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy, through the water of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit. This Spirit he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The people stand.

Gradual Hymn 96 Angels we have heard on high

Gloria

Holy Gospel

Luke 2:(1-7) 8-20

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke

People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

In those days a decree went out from Emperor Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration and was taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. All went to their own towns to be registered. Joseph also went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to the city of David called Bethlehem, because he was descended from the house and family of David. He went to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child. While they were there, the time came for her to deliver her child. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in bands of cloth, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.] In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for see-- I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!" When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Lucy Ann Dure

Nicene Creed

All stand.

**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

The Word has been made flesh, the light of God's love has broken through our darkness, the daystar from on high now shines in our hearts. Filled with the joy of Jesus' birth, let us pray together in the power of his Spirit, responding, "*O come, let us adore Him.*"

That the Prince of Peace may guide the leaders of the nations, and all men and women everywhere, into the ways of freedom and truth; *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

For Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael, Presiding Bishop of our Church, Daniel, our Bishop and Lucy Ann our priest, that they may guide us in our journey to Bethlehem, uniting the whole Church as we live into our spiritual kinship with one another; *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

For those for whom the darkness has suffocated hope: the lonely, the fearful, the hungry, and those who bear a private grief; that they may see the dawn of God's love and grace revive the eternal hope that never fades away; *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

For our families and friends, and for all our absent sisters and brothers; for those who are sick, especially *(Congregation reads the names aloud)* **Jennifer Lurie, Irene Steinhardt, Lisa Hart, Victoria Coates, JoAnne Vereneck, Jim Cobb, David Seavey, Scott Ziglar, Marylu Hill and her family, Craig and Ann Marie Erickson, Diana Hoogstraten, Magali Behrmann, & Avanya** *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

That we may be released from the captivity of our sins, set free from the places of interior blindness that cause us to choose darkness over light; that we may be forgiven by the power of the Holy Spirit; *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

That we who gather to share the Holy Eucharist, and all those throughout the world who come to receive this sacrament, will bear witness to Christ who is born in our hearts; *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

In the wonder of this night, let us continue to offer our petitions for all those we love, and all those whom we find difficult to love. *Silence*

Let us pray,

O come, let us adore Him.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect

Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

The Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

The congregation kneels.

Celebrant and 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 Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

All stand.

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Carol *See amid the winter's snow*

John Goss



(The Congregation is invited to sing verses 2,5,6 with the choir)

1. (Choir) See, amid the winter's snow, Born for us on Earth below,
See, the tender Lamb appears, Promised from eternal years.
Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.
2. (*Sung by All*) Lo, within a manger lies He who built the starry skies;
He who, throned in height sublime, Sits among the cherubim.
Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.
3. (Choir) Say, ye holy shepherds, say, What your joyful news today;
Wherefore have ye left your sheep On the lonely mountain steep?
Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.
4. (*Choir*) "As we watched at dead of night, Lo, we saw a wondrous light:
Angels singing 'Peace On Earth' Told us of the Saviour's birth."
Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.
5. (*Sung by All*) Sacred Infant, all divine, What a tender love was Thine,
Thus to come from highest bliss Down to such a world as this.
Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.

6 (*Sung by All*) Teach, O teach us, Holy Child, By Thy face so meek and mild,
 Teach us to resemble Thee, In Thy sweet humility.
 Hail, thou ever blessed morn, Hail redemption's happy dawn,
 Sing through all Jerusalem, Christ is born in Bethlehem.

The people stand

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord,
People **And of thine own have we given Thee.**

Eucharistic Prayer A

The people remain standing. The Celebrant, whether bishop or priest, faces them and sings

Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* And al - so with you.

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.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because you gave Jesus Christ, your only Son, to be born for us; who, by the mighty power of the Holy Spirit, was made perfect Man of the flesh of the Virgin Mary his mother; so that we might be delivered from the bondage of sin, and receive power to become your children.

Sanctus (*Sung by Choir*)

Marc-Antoine Charpentier
 (*Messe de Minuit pour Noel*)

*Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
 Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis.
 Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.*

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.

The people kneel or stand.

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or to lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

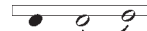
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: 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.


A-men.

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

People and Celebrant

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 Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Then may be sung or said

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*Agnus Dei, Agnus Dei, Agnus Dei,
qui tollis, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis.
Qui tollis, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem*

Lamb of God, Lamb of God, Lamb of God,
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace

The Celebrant continues

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Carol *A stable lamp is lighted* (*Sung by Choir*)

David Hurd

Words by Richard Wilbur, the second
Poet Laureate of the United States

A stable lamp is lighted Whose glow shall wake the sky;
The stars shall bend their voices, And ev'ry stone shall cry.
And ev'ry stone shall cry, And straw like gold shall shine
A barn shall harbor heaven, A stall become a shrine.

This child through David's city Shall ride in triumph by;
The palm shall strew its branches, And ev'ry stone shall cry.
And ev'ry stone shall cry, Though heavy, dull, and dumb,
And lie within the roadway To pave His kingdom come.

Yet He shall be forsaken, And yielded up to die;
The sky shall groan and darken, And ev'ry stone shall cry.
And ev'ry stone shall cry, For stony hearts of men:
God's blood upon the spearhead God's love refused again.

But now, as at the ending, The low is lifted high;
The stars shall bend their voices, And ev'ry stone shall cry
And ev'ry stone shall cry, In praises of the Child
By whose descent among us The worlds are reconciled.

Communion Hymn 79 O little town of Bethlehem

St. Louis

(*Verses 1,2,5 sung by all, verse 3 sung by choir, omit verse 4*)

After Communion, the Celebrant says Let us pray.

The People may join in saying this prayer

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.

Hymn 87 Hark! the herald angels sing

Mendelssohn

During the singing of this hymn, Acolytes will come to each pew and begin lighting candles for Silent Night.

Please kneel.

Christmas Blessing

May Almighty God, who sent his Son to take our nature upon him, bless you in this holy season, scatter the darkness of sin, and brighten your heart with the light of his holiness. **Amen.**

May God, who sent his angels to proclaim the glad news of the Savior's birth, fill you with joy, and make you heralds of the Gospel. **Amen.**

May God, who in the Word made flesh joined heaven to earth and earth to heaven, give you his peace and favor. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the singing of Silent Night.

Closing Hymn III Silent night, holy night

Stille Nacht

Dismissal

Celebrant Let us bless the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Voluntary

Von Himmel hoch, da komm ich herr (From Heaven above... to earth I come)

Johann Pachelbel

Our Grateful Thanks

On behalf of St. Mary's, I would like to express our gratitude and appreciation for the special gifts that have made possible the instrumentalists and additional singers for this service. They have greatly enhanced our worship, and the beauty of this Christmas Eve service.

String Ensemble: Ruotao Mao, violin, Carlos Rubio, violin, Alisa Seavey, viola, Tallia Schiff, cello, Douglas Mapp, bass

As Choirmaster, I am grateful to the members of St. Mary's Choir who contribute so much to the weekly worship at St. Mary's, and especially during these Advent and Christmas seasons.

I would also like to express appreciation to Kim Scheidt, a parishioner of St. Mary's, for enhancing the communion music by her playing of the flute, and I thank Josh Kraybill, (currently a student at the Cleveland Institute of Music) for his role in this service as the assisting organist. A Blessed and Merry Christmas to one and all.

Dr. Gordon Turk, Organist & Choirmaster

Thank You To Our Incredible Altar Guild

Especially during the Christmas season we are aware of all the gifts of time and talent that the members of our Altar Guild share with us in their ministry to beautify our worship and glorify our Lord all the year round. We thank our Altar Guild Chair Mary Dixon, and Altar Guild members Maria Steinhardt, Susan Huck, Barbara Zimmer, Janice Radford, Enid Ball, Laurie Buechle, Carl Lohmann, Joyce Randolph, Elizabeth Morrill, Edith Helms and Aldys Davis for their thoughtful planning, careful coverage of all the services, attention to detail, and care for all that is involved in tending of the altar. To God be the glory!

Invitation & Announcements

To all who are lonely and need friendship; to all who are discouraged and need good news; to all who mourn and need comfort; to all who are tempted and need help; to all who are sinners and need forgiveness; to all who are complacent and need disturbing; to all who thirst for the water of life; to all who love Christ and would follow Christ, this church opens wide its doors and bids you WELCOME!

We welcome all visitors to St. Mary's this evening. Let's Connect. Joining from the website? Send us an email; On Facebook? Leave a comment/message us; Joining in-person? Sign our guest book by the front door.



Tonight is Sunday, December 24, 2023 -

Christmas Eve 10:00 p.m. - Holy Eucharist Rite II
(livestreamed and recorded)

Live Stream - Brian Lanouette

Acolyte: - Greg Kelleher, Griffin and Owen Connor

Chalice: Elizabeth Morrill

Prayers of the People: Brook Hunt

Readers: Nate Connor, Ellen Buerklin

Altar Guild - Mary Dixon, Susan Huck

Usher - Scott Scheidt

Parish Cycle of Prayers

This week in our parish cycle of prayers, we pray for the families of **James Cobb and Andrew & Caroline Clifford.**

Advent Greens on the High Altar are given by Nicole Marie to the glory of God and in loving memory of her father Raymond Scott Drumheller.

Advent Greens on the Lady Chapel Altar are given by the Dixon family to the glory of God and with thanksgiving for Betty and Frank Rippel

The Sanctuary light is given by the Dixon family to the glory of God and in loving memory of Loretta and John Bickford.

Please pray for those in ongoing need of our prayers and all on our parish intercession list at St. Mary's:

Jennifer Lurie, Irene Steinhardt, Lisa Hart, Victoria Coates, JoAnne Vereneck, Jim Cobb, David Seavey, Scott Ziglar, Marylu Hill and her family and Craig & Ann Marie Erickson, Diana Hoogstraten, Magali Behrmann and Avanya.

Also included on the prayer list are our friends John Paul, Peggy Wilson, Emma Cavanaugh-Kerr, Nancy Melanson, Stan Compton, Kevin, Arlene, Bill Thompson, Marnie Schultz, Mike Mattingly, Dan Bailey, Joe Stellabotte, Father Hentzi Elek, Glenn Geib & Carole Beideman.

The names read aloud today include St. Mary's parishioners and family members of parishioners. Please say aloud the names of your loved ones during the Prayers of the People when the lector pauses for the congregation to add their own petitions.

Please note: *Kindly let our Parish Administrator Nicole Marie know if you would like yourself or another prayed for at our services. It is our practice to take individuals off the Intercession list after four weeks (unless more time is requested).*

The Church Office will be closed this week.

Next Sunday, on December 31 we will have both Rite I and Rite II Holy Eucharist services.

There will be no daily offices from December 25, 2023 through January 1, 2024. Daily offices will resume on Tuesday January 2, 2024.

For all other Announcements please subscribe to our weekly email newsletter, The Chimes. You may sign up for emails at the bottom of our website homepage at: www.stmaryswaynepea.org The Chimes usually comes out every Friday around 10am. If you do not receive the email in your inbox, be sure to check your spam folder. Also you may find The Chimes published weekly here: www.stmaryswaynepea.org/echimes (Please note that our web site will not be updated until after January 2, 2024).

CHRISTMAS 2023
SAINT MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
FLOWER MEMORIAL'S GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF:



The Rev. Raymond Atlee
The Rev. Charles E. Greene
The Rev. Richard Cooper
The Rev. Keith Druley
The Rev. William Kier
Howard G. Clarke, Priest

The Mansley and Sausser Families

Iva May Johnson
Eleanor Johnson

Departed Members of St. Mary's

The O'Donovan, Georgia and Larrabee families

Lt. Col. Rudi Viener

Raymond Scott Drumheller
Marion and Richard Schweitzer
Marion and Calvin Drumheller
Alice and John Ritschard
Nellie and George Moon
Harry Rogala
Nora Schweitzer
Robert "Bob" DeLong
Jacob Dancey
Baby Sandra Drumheller

Sally Graham Kuhne
Marguerithe Kuhne-Stassen
Walrave Kuhne
Frances W. Graham
Thomas K. Graham

Nestor and Robertina Alexander

Hannah Sullivan Randolph

"Pete" Doerr
Anne and Gilbert Megargee
Susan Rex
Mary Anderson

F. Ryan Spiess
Charles Smith
Harry and Sara Spiess
Fred and Sereta Brown
Robert Smith
Ken Cutler
Carlton Brown

Louis Glass
Nancy Fago

Mary and Harry E. Thoms, Jr.
Doris and Harrison S. Tyson, Sr.

Gordon and Dorothy Kidder
Evelyn and Charles Allen

Beloved members of the Campion, Erickson, Felps,
Gallagher and Martin families

David Helms

Ilse Meyer

Edward Meyer

And all beloved members of the Meyer, Petersen,
Theuerkauf and Helms families

Arnold and Uarda Hilpert

Robert and Helen Connor

Carl and Lucille Huiskamp

Maurice and June Gudgel

David Gudgel

Rodger and Barbara Blackwell

Marjorie Poulter

Ruth C. Blackwell

Frank and Eleanor Detwiler

Earl and Emma Bauer

Betty and Frank Rippel

Joseph A. Dixon

Bob Kirchoff

Gordon and Lois Kingsberry

The faithful departed of the Smith, Kingsberry and
Brunet families

J. Roland Smith

Christopher Roland Smith

Bruce B. Wilson

Kennedy B. Middendorf

Mary R. Morriss

Frank H. and Raymonde D. Cutaiar

Carl T. and Ann Hoffacker

Michael P. N. Hoffacker

Clayton S. Wetzel, Jr.

Clayton S. Wetzel, Sr., Latona Wetzel and Katharine J.
Wetzel

Glenn, Jr. and Pauline Mains

Glenn D. Mains III

Matthew Mains

Margaret Mains McCarter

Basil and Margaret Mills

Margaret Henderson

Alfonso and MaryAnn Ferrara

Christopher Glenn Ferrara

Sue Holden

Margaret Blair and Eugene Lombard Morgan

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