Cathedral of Saint Matthew the Apostle

Washington, District of Columbia



ADVENT

First Sunday of Advent

November 29, 2026

Saturday Vigil, 5:30pm, 9:00am and 11:00am

Celebration of the Eucharist

Please take a moment before the liturgy to silence your phone and remove as many distractions as possible from your attention.

PRELUDE Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland Bach

Come Savior of the Nations

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (11:00) Normand Gouin

To You, O Lord, I Lift My Soul

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul; in you, my God, I place my trust. Let not my enemies exult, nor waiting hearts be put to shame. O Lord, make me know your ways. Teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth, and teach me; for you are the God of my salvation. I have hoped in you all day long. Remember your compassion, O Lord, and your merciful love, for they are from of old.

ENTRANCE HYMN **Worship 409**

SLEEPERS, WAKE!

BLESSING/LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

READINGS AND RESPONSORIAL PSALM **WORSHIP 1002**

Lord make us turn to you; show us yout face and we shall be saved.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION **Worship 328**

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS Jacques Berthier

Kyrie eleison, Kyrie eleison.

PREPARATION Vom Himmel Hoch, Da Komm' Ich her Pachelbel

(From Heaven to Earth I Come)

PREPARATION MOTET G. P. da Palestrina

(11:00) Ad te levavi

Unto you have I lifted up my soul. O my God, I trust in you, let me not be put to shame; do not allow my enemies to laugh at me; for none of those who are awaiting you will be disappointed.

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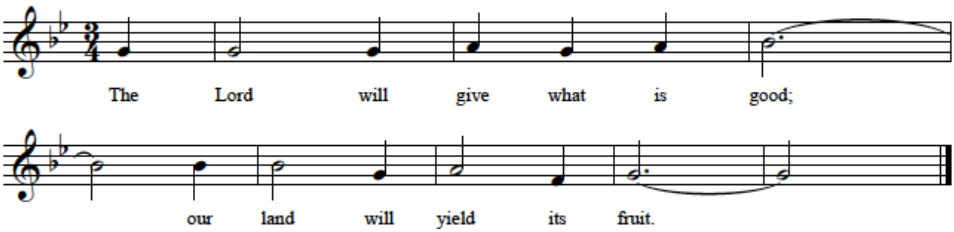
EUCHARISTIC PRAYER ACCLAMATIONS

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY DEUTSCHE MESSE **Worship 350**
MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION **Worship 216**
When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.
GREAT AMEN DANISH AMEN **Worship 370**

LAMB OF GOD MASS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT Lucien Deiss

COMMUNION ANTIPHON (11:00) Andre Thomas
Keep Your Lamps, Trimmed and Burning

COMMUNION HYMN James Biery
THE LORD WILL GIVE WHAT IS GOOD



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COMMUNION MOTET (11:00) Paul Manz
E'en So, Lord Jesus Quickly Come

RECESSIONAL HYMN Worship 403
THE KING SHALL COME WHEN MORNING DAWNS

POSTLUDE "Nun komm der heiden Heiland" BWV 661 JS Bach
(Come, Savior of the Nations)





An Advent
Festival of Lessons and Carols

December 13, 2026 at 7:30 pm

The Schola Cantorum, Festival Singers and Cathedral Lectors
present
An Advent and Christmas Tradition

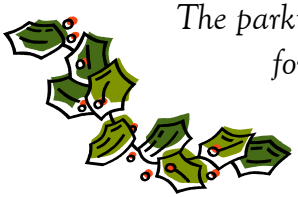
Featuring

The Great "O" Antiphons in Latin Chant

with the Sublime Music bith ancient and New

Followed by a Parish ***Christmas Carol Sing-along***
in the Great Hall
with Wassail, Egg Nog and Christmas cookies.

Free and open to the public.
The parking garage will remain open late
for this special celebration.





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