

PRIVATE PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS AFTER RECEIVING COMMUNION

I adore thee, O Christ, and I bless thee, because by thy Holy Cross thou hast redeemed the world.

I thank thee, O heavenly Father.

I thank thee, O Divine Son.

I thank thee, most Holy Spirit of God.

I praise, bless, and magnify thee, O Holy, Blessed, and Glorious Trinity for thy power, wisdom and love, displayed in this wonderful Sacrament, beseeching thee that through its grace and virtue I may be so hallowed in body and soul, that I may be counted worthy, through the merits of Christ, to praise and adore thee with thanksgiving in thy kingdom forever. Amen.

GRANT, that what I have received with my mouth, O Lord, I may keep with a pure heart; and that from this temporal gift may come unto me life everlasting.

MAY thy Flesh which I have taken and thy Blood which I have drunk, O Lord, cleave unto my inmost soul; and grant that no spot of sin may abide in me, whose meat hath been thine incorrupt and holy sacraments. Who livest and reignest for ever and ever. Amen.

Thanksgiving following Communion (*Said in unison*)

*BCP* p. 83

HYMN # 211 Come with us, O Blessed Jesus

Post Communion Prayers (*Kneeling*)

*American Missal*

The Blessing

*BCP* p. 84

HYMN #4

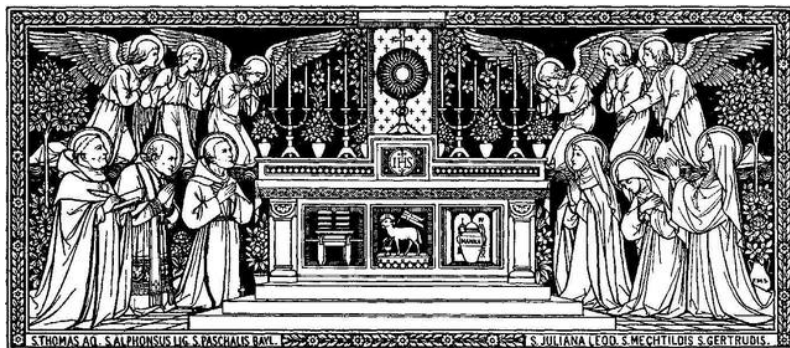
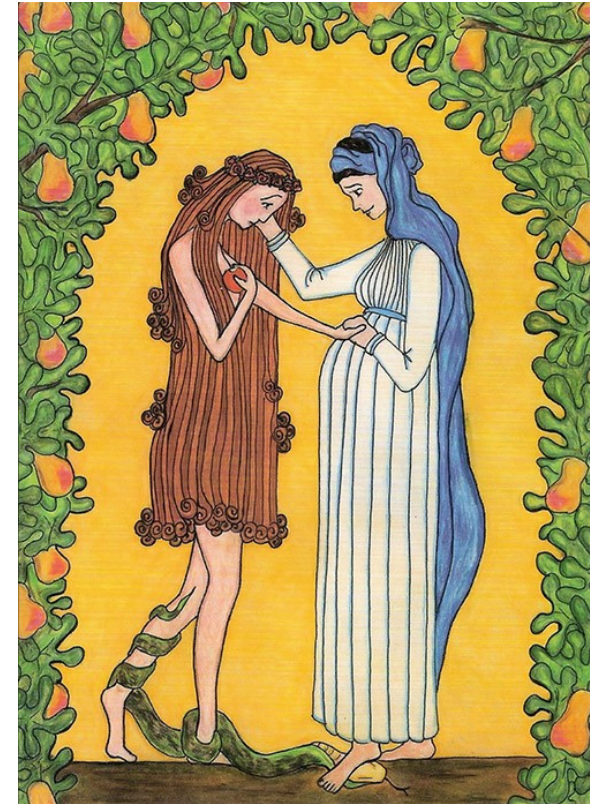
Rejoice! Rejoice Believers

*Greenland*

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

GAUDETE SUNDAY

DECEMBER 17, 2023



CHURCH OF THE  
RESURRECTION

Anglican Catholic Church

# THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 17, 2023

10:00 A.M.

## THE ANTE-COMMUNION

HYMN # 3	Wake, Awake For Night Is Flying	<i>Sleepers Wake</i>
Introit		<i>American Missal</i>
The Collect for Purity		<i>BCP</i> p. 67
Summary of the Law		<i>BCP</i> p. 68
<i>Kyrie</i> (Hymnal # 702)		John Merbecke
Collects		<i>BCP</i> p. 93, 90
The Epistle: I Corinthians 4:1-14		<i>BCP</i> p. 94
Gradual		<i>American Missal</i>
HYMN # 440	Watchmen Tell Us of the Night	<i>Aberystwyth</i>
The Gospel: St. Matthew 11:2-11		<i>BCP</i> p. 94
Nicene Creed ( <i>All Standing</i> )		<i>BCP</i> p. 71
Sermon		Fr. McQueen
HYMN # 1	Come Thou Long Expected Jesus	<i>Stuttgart</i>

## THE OFFERTORY

*At the presentation of the gifts, the Celebrant presents them to the Lord*

Doxology	<i>Old Hundredth</i>
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### *Mass Intentions*

*Priest.* PRAY brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

*Answer.* MAY the Lord receive this sacrifice at thy hands, to the praise and glory of his Name, to our benefit, and to that of all his holy Church.

Prayer for the Church	<i>BCP</i> p. 74
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## THE HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation and Confession (Said in unison)	<i>BCP</i> p. 75
Absolution and Comfortable Words	<i>BCP</i> p. 76

Sursum Corda and Preface	<i>BCP</i> p. 76
Sanctus and Benedictus (Hymnal #796)	John Merbecke

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Amen. Blessed is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Prayer of Consecration	<i>BCP</i> p. 80
The Lord's Prayer ( <i>Said in unison</i> )	<i>BCP</i> p. 82
Agnus Dei (Hymnal #706)	John Merbecke



O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world  
*Have mercy upon us.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world  
*Have mercy upon us.*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world  
*Grant us thy peace.*

Prayer of Humble Access ( <i>Said in unison</i> )	<i>BCP</i> p. 82
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*Priest.* BEHOLD the Lamb of God; behold him that taketh away the sins of the world. Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof;

*Answer.* But speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.

*Those who have been baptized and confirmed, or are ready and desirous to be confirmed, are admitted to the Holy Communion.*