

<b>Opening Hymn</b> .....	Hymn Board
<b>Opening Acclamation</b> .....	BCP 355
<b>Song of Praise</b> <i>Come Thou Long Expected Jesus</i>	Hymnal 66
Come, thou long expected Jesus, born to set thy people free; from our fears and sins release us, let us find our rest in thee. Israel's strength and consolation, hope of all the earth thou art; dear desire of every nation, joy of every longing heart.	
Born thy people to deliver, born a child and yet a King, born to reign in us forever, now thy gracious kingdom bring. By thine own eternal spirit rule in all our hearts alone; by thine all sufficient merit, raise us to thy glorious throne.	
<b>The Collect of the Day</b> .....	BCP 236
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<b>Gospel Hymn</b> <i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i>	Hymnal 56
Dec.1 O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel, that mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.	Dec. 8 O come, thou Wisdom from on high, who orderest all things mightily; to us the path of knowledge show, and teach us in her ways to go. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.
Dec. 15 O come, O come, thou Lord of might, who to thy tribes on Sinai's height in ancient times didst give the law, in cloud and majesty, and awe. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.	Dec. 22 O come, thou Branch of Jesse's tree, free them from Satan's tyranny that trust thy mighty power to save, and give them victory o'er the grave. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.
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	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
<b>Dec. 1 1st Advent</b>	Jeremiah 33:14-16 Bible p. 965	Psalm 25:1-10 BCP 614	1 Thessalonians 3:9-13 Bible p. 1439	Luke 21:25-36 Bible p. 1281
<b>Dec. 8 2nd Advent</b>	Malachi 3:1-4 Bible p. 1163	Canticle 16 BCP 92	Philippians 1:3-11 Bible p. 1429	Luke 3:1-6 Bible p. 1247
<b>Dec. 15 3rd Advent</b>	Zephaniah 3:14-20 Bible p. 1142	Canticle 9 BCP 86	Philippians 4:4-7 Bible p. 1432	Luke 3:7-18 Bible p. 1247
<b>Dec. 22 4th Advent</b>	Micah 5:2-5a Bible p. 1128	Canticle 15 BCP 91	Hebrews 10:5-10 Bible p. 1463	Luke 1:39-55 Bible p. 1243

Prayers of the People

My brothers and sisters, may God strengthen your hearts in holiness. Trusting in Good, let us pray, "O come, o come, Emmanuel; be our hope and our salvation."

God of our hope, make us increase and abound in love for one another. Keep your church on the paths of love and faithfulness. *Silence*

O come, o come, Emmanuel; **be our hope and our salvation.**

God of our hope, usher in your reign of justice and righteousness. May all the world know your peace and safety. Be with those active in the uniformed services especially those on our weekly prayer list. *Silence*

O come, o come, Emmanuel; **be our hope and our salvation.**

God of our hope, you place signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars. Give us the eyes to see, the wisdom to prepare, and the faith to trust in you. *Silence*

O come, o come, Emmanuel; **be our hope and our salvation.**

God of our hope, under your reign divisions are overcome, unity restored: bring the people of this region—from city, village and town—together in a spirit of love and respect. *Silence*

O come, o come, Emmanuel; **be our hope and our salvation.**

God of our hope, remember your compassion and love. Heal and restore the sick and the suffering, the anxious and the grieving, especially those on our weekly prayer list. *Silence*

O come, o come, Emmanuel; **be our hope and our salvation.**

God of our hope, keep us blameless before you that we may meet the coming of our Lord Jesus with joy. May we, and all who have died, rise to life immortal with all your saints. *Silence*

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