

### WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sun., Dec. 8:** Sunday School 9:00 AM, Holy Communion 10:00 AM. Vestry meeting after the service.

**Wed., Dec. 11:** Evening Prayer 6:00 PM.

**Sun., Dec. 15:** Sunday School 9:00 AM, Holy Communion 10:00 AM.

**Wed., Dec. 18:** Evening Prayer 6:00 PM.

**Sun., Dec. 22:** Sunday School 9:00 AM, Holy Communion 10:00 AM.

**Tue., Dec. 24:** Holy Communion 3:00 PM

**Wed., Dec. 25:** Holy Communion 10:00 AM

**Sun., Dec. 29:** Sunday School 9:00 AM, Holy Communion 10:00 AM. Birthday Potluck after the service. (Barry Johnson-12/14)

### FOOD BOX DONATIONS NEEDED!

Please bring items for our food box located in the chapel. Paper items, breakfast foods and canned meats are especially needed.

### *Welcome to St. James!*

Our Church is an Anglican Parish which stands in the unbroken continuity of the One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Our faith is based on the Word of God and on the seven Ecumenical Councils of the Undivided Church. All who have been baptized in the Name of the Trinity and confirmed or intend to be confirmed by a bishop in Apostolic Succession are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If unable to receive Communion, you may come forward to receive a blessing from the priest. To indicate your desire to receive a blessing, please fold your arms over your chest. May the peace of the Lord be always with you!

### **Anglican Province of America Diocese of the Eastern United States**

The Most Rev. Walter H. Grundorf, Presiding and Diocesan Bishop  
The Very Rev. Glenn Spencer, Dean  
Rev. Fr. Kevin Sweeney, Vicar

### **St. James Parish Staff**

Organist: Liana Harbour Lay Reader/Acolyte: Richard Hicks

### **Parish Vestry**

Bob Fraser-Sr. Warden Ken Larson-Jr. Warden  
Richard Hicks-Treasurer Martha Alliegro-Parish Secretary Rae Sinclair

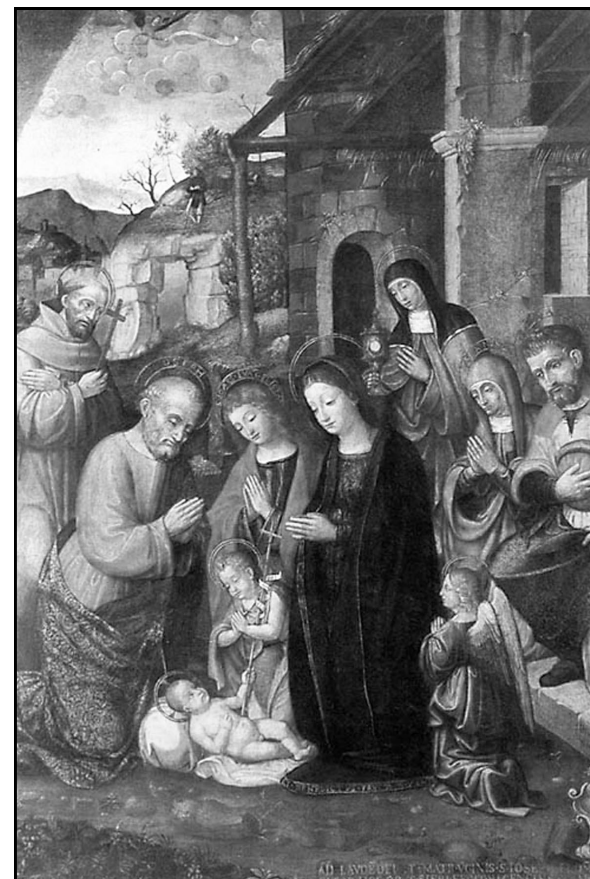
**Service Times:** Sunday Holy Communion: 10:00 AM  
Wed. 6:00PM Evening Prayer

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# ST. JAMES ANGLICAN CHURCH

## ANGLICAN PROVINCE OF AMERICA

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## LESSONS AND CAROLS DECEMBER 4, 2013



ANCIENT WORSHIP...TIMELESS FAITH



## Lessons and Carols

### Opening Prayer

### Opening Carol:

Once in Royal David's city Hymnal 236

### First Lesson:

God tells sinful Adam that he has lost the life of paradise and that his seed will bruise the serpents head.

GENESIS 3:8-15, 17-19

### Carol:

Lo! he comes Hymnal 5  
2nd Tune

### Second Lesson:

God promises to faithful Abraham that in his seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed.

GENESIS 22:15-18

### Carol:

Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates Hymnal 484

### Third Lesson:

The prophet foretells the coming of the Savior.

ISAIAH 9:2, 6-7

### Carol:

Come thou long expected Jesus Hymnal 1 v.1-4

### Fourth Lesson:

The peace that Christ will bring is foreshown.

ISAIAH 11:1-4, 6-9

### Carol:

Hark the herald angels sing Hymnal 27, v1-3

### Fifth Lesson:

The Angel Gabriel salutes the blessed, virgin Mary

LUKE 1:26-35, 38

### Carol :

O Come, O come, Emmanuel Hymnal 2, v.1-3 & 7

### Sixth Lesson:

Saint Luke tells of the birth of Jesus.

LUKE 2:1, 3-7

### Carol:

Away in a manger Hymnal 43

### Seventh Lesson:

The Shepherds go to the manger.

LUKE 2:8-16

### Invitation and Announcements

### Carol:

O come, all ye faithful Hymnal 12