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The Episcopal Church
of St. John the Baptist



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Sunday December 15, 2019

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
10:00 am Holy Eucharist Enriching our Worship

**Both services will include an invitation to
the Sacrament of Healing**

The Rev. David DeSalvo, Priest-in-Charge

LECTIONARY READINGS

[Isaiah 35:1-10](#)

[James 5:7-10](#)

[Matthew 11:2-11](#)

[Psalm 146:4-9](#)

or [Canticle 15](#) [or Canticle 3]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Events Coming Up

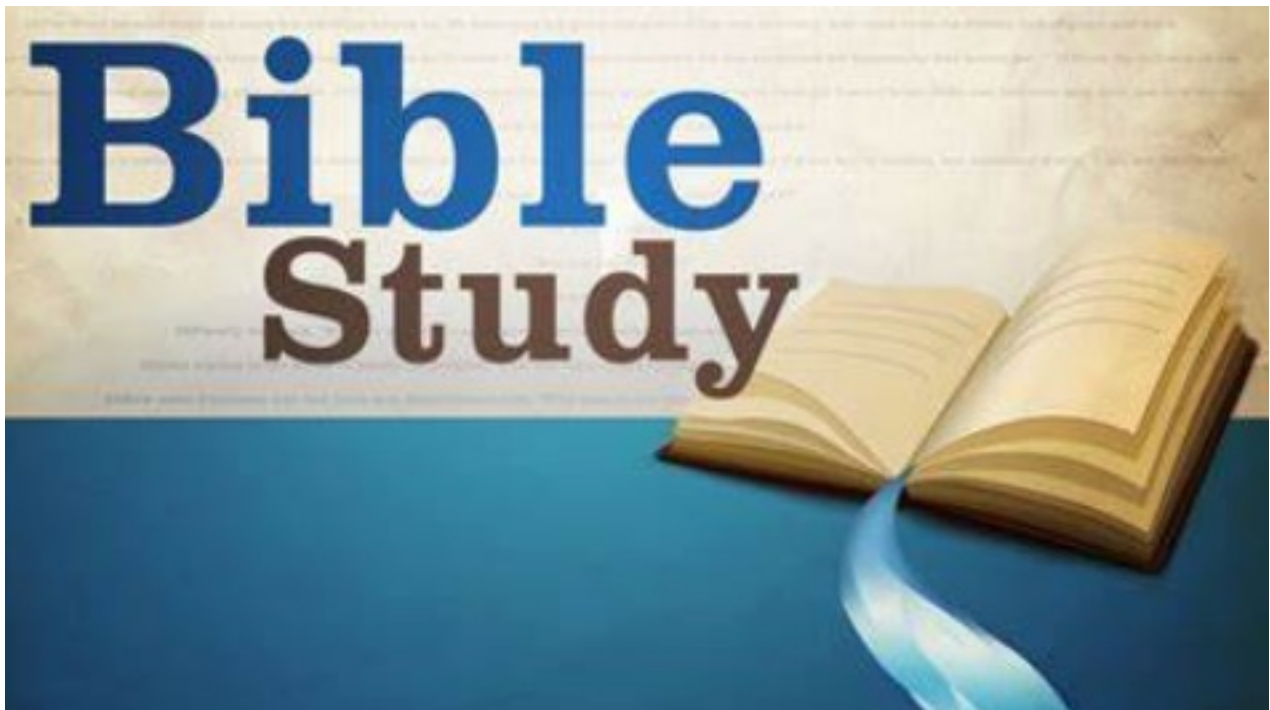
- **Bible Study, BYO Lunch:** Wednesday, Dec 18, 12:15pm in the Rectory
- **Christmas Eve Lessons and Carols with Holy Communion:** Tuesday, Dec 24, 7:00pm
- **Christmas Day Morning Prayer:** Wednesday, Dec 25, 9:00am
- **Parish Annual Meeting:** Sunday, Jan 20, 11:00am (after the 10am service) with light lunch to follow.



Father Dave's Office Hours This Week

Tuesday, Dec 17, 10am - 2pm
Wednesday, Dec 18, 10am - 2pm
Thursday, Dec 19, 10am - 2pm

Other hours and weeks, by appointment. Call
302.824.6272



Bible Study with Fr. Dave
Wednesday 12:15PM in the Parish Hall

BYO Lunch

Dec. 18 Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

Theme: God is With Us

Christmas Poinsettias



Celebrate the memory of a loved one -- or honor them in life -- with a beautiful poinsettia to decorate the church for Christmas!

Envelopes are available in the back of the church or donations (with instructions for the dedication) may be mailed to the church at PO Box 249, Sanbornville, NH 03872

GOOD NEWS ! GOOD NEWS! PARISH HALL CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT SIGNED!!!

A contract was signed with Rourke Fine Building of Wolfeboro on Dec 4th and the StJB addition project is moving forward! Our general contractor, John Rourke, is now pursuing town building permits and estimates the project will take about 6 months, once ground breaking occurs – a summer/fall 2020 completion is

expected.



Building elevations, shown by (L to R): Dave Giunta, StJB Vestry Sr Warden; John Rourke, Builder; Kirt Gillum, StJB Building Committee Chair; StJB's Father Dave DeSalvo

PARISH ANNUAL MEETING



Our Parish Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 20 at 11am with a light lunch to follow.

The agenda includes:

- Election of one new member to Vestry, replacing Pat Chumack (to whom we give many thanks for her service!)
- Election of two delegates and two alternates to the 2020 Diocesan Convention
- Updates on our accomplishments of 2019 and exciting expectations for 2020.

Father Dave requests that we each please prayerfully consider whether we have a call to serve on the Vestry or as a delegate to Convention.

Prayer List: Elijah, Jack, Claire, Joanne L., Tim, Sean, Mickie, Jenifer and

family, Paul, Joanna, Nathan, Fran, Jeff, Maria, Ashley, Dan, the Walker family, Joe and Carol, Anne, Justin, Sue A. & Jim, Barry, Marge, Harry, Ed D., Al, Becky, Thomas, Sebrina and Tyler, Julia, Diane, Brandice and family, Pat F., Hazel, Jim & Michelle, Wendy, Elaine, Carol Anne, Dave, John, Amos, Tess, Kirt, Jeffrey, Mike, Diane, Michele, Tomas, Ann, Briana, Peggy Sue, Kathy, Martha, Linda, Jeff D., Deidre, Stacy, Baby "P", Marshall and Victoria, Patty, Caroline.

Military Prayer List: Jeremy, Colton, Kevin, David, Maxwell, Martin.



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