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The Episcopal Church  
of St. John the Baptist



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**  
**Sunday December 22, 2019**

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

## The Rev. David DeSalvo, Priest-in-Charge

### LECTIONARY READINGS

[Isaiah 7:10-16](#)

[Romans 1:1-7](#)

[Matthew 1:18-25](#)

[Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18](#)

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### Events Coming Up

- **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.

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**Father Dave's Office Hours This Week**



**The office is closed this week.  
MERRY CHRISTMAS to all!!**

Other hours and weeks, by appointment. Call  
302.824.6272

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## **Christmas Worship Schedule**



**Tuesday Christmas Eve  
Lessons and Carols  
with Holy Communion 7pm**

# Wednesday Christmas Day

## Morning Prayer 9am

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## Last Call for 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.

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## **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

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## 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.

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**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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