



**Book of Common Prayer  
Holy Eucharist  
Third Sunday of Advent**

December 14, 2025, 8:30AM

Readings:

Isaiah 35.1-10	Psalm 146.4-9	James 5.7-10	Mathew 11.2-11
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Presider: The Reverend Denise Doerksen

Sidesperson: Jan Horner

Reader: Lorea Tomsin

Prayers of the People: Karen Foubert

Chalice: Karen Foubert

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **Spiritual Formation in Advent 2025**

Rev. Denise invites you to a series of sessions of Spiritual formation this Advent. Marvellous and knowledgeable facilitators will provide sessions of self-discovery and spiritual enrichment based upon the spiritual disciplines and practises they are most familiar with and excited to share with you. We will share a light supper together each evening.

R.S.V.P. Rev. Denise at [incumbent@holytrinityns.org](mailto:incumbent@holytrinityns.org)

- **Tuesday, December 16th 5-7pm: Contemplating Religious Icons**

Fr. Bill Tarter will present the Icon of St. Symeon and guide us through a contemplative exercise to discover the benefits of praying with religious icons.

- **Christmas Services 2025**

Sunday Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> 7pm – Blue Christmas & Winter Solstice

Wednesday Dec 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Eve 5pm and 7pm

Sunday December 28<sup>th</sup> 10am Christmas Festival of Readings, Music and Holy Communion. **There will be no 830am service.**

## **NOTICES**

- Please send requests for special prayers to Diana Chown at the office 250-656-3223.
- Rev. Denise is posting an audio of her sermons on our website. To access a sermon go to our website <https://holytrinityns.org> and click on Sermons in the menu and choose the sermon for a particular week.
- Contributions to Holy Trinity are tax deductible as a charitable donation on your income tax return. If you would like envelopes for your contribution please send an email to [givings@holytrinityns.org](mailto:givings@holytrinityns.org) or you can make monthly contributions by filling out the pre authorized debit form located at the back of the church.
- Scan the QR code in the bulletin for ways to donate.

Next Week's Readings, *Isaiah 7.10-16; Psalm 80.1-7, 16-18*

*Romans 1.1-7*

*The Gospel Reading Mathew 1.18-25*



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