



*John the Baptist appeared in the desert, proclaiming a baptism of repentance
Central East Apse stained-glass window, Hans Gottfried von Stockhausen, 1994*

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL
The Second Sunday of Advent
December 7, 2008

Music in December at St. James Cathedral

La Nativité du Seigneur

MESSIAEN COMPLETE ORGAN CYCLE VI

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 7:30 PM

Joseph Adam, Cathedral Organist

St. James Cathedral and St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral present the complete organ works of Olivier Messiaen in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the composer's birth. This sixth and final concert includes Messiaen's most popular work, *La Nativité du Seigneur*. Suggested donation is \$15, students and seniors pay as able. **Information 206-382-4874.**

Tear Open the Heavens

Opus 7 Vocal Ensemble

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 7:30 PM

Opus 7 Vocal Ensemble performs an exciting program of new works, traditional classics and choral gems. Loren Pontén, director. **Information 206-782-2899 or www.opus7.org.**

Candlelight, Carols, and Cathedral Children

A Service of Readings and Carols

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21, 7:30 PM

For most of the Cathedral's history, music by young people has been at the center of our musical offering. The tradition continues with the four extraordinary choirs of the St. James Youth Music Program, Clint Kraus, Director. With conductors Rebekah Gilmore, Ailisa Dannenmiller, and Ellen Pepin, the Cathedral's wonderful youth musicians offer the perfect way to begin the celebration of Christmas with the traditional service of Readings and Carols, with carol sing-along and candle lighting. *Suggested donation \$12, families/students/seniors pay as able.* There will be hundreds of seats available at the door. *Doors open at 7:00 pm. Reserved passes are available online now at www.stjames-cathedral.org/music.*

The Three Cathedral Tenors

New Year's Eve Gala

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 11:00 PM

St. James Cathedral celebrates the New Year with the thrilling voices of St. James Cathedral's most active professional tenors, Howard Fankhauser, Gregory Carroll, and Alex Mansoori, with the Cathedral Chamber Orchestra, James Savage, director. Joseph Adam & Clint Kraus, organ. The Cathedral gala, Seattle's original classical New Year's Eve celebration, will welcome in the New Year with bells and, as always, a New Year's Eve surprise. Suggested donation \$25, students and seniors pay as able. Reserve passes are available in person at the Music Office or online at www.stjames-cathedral.org/music

ORDER OF CELEBRATION FOR the second sunday of advent

Out of respect for the prayer of others,
PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES.

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (Saturday 5:30pm)

FIRST SUNDAY YOUTH CELEBRATION WITH RITE OF WELCOMING (Noon)

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

INTROIT FOR ADVENT II

Populus Sion

chant, adapt. St. James Cathedral



WELCOMING OF THE CHILDREN TO BE BAPTIZED (Saturday 5:30pm)

RITE OF WELCOMING (Noon)

INTRODUCTION OF THE CANDIDATES FOR FULL COMMUNION

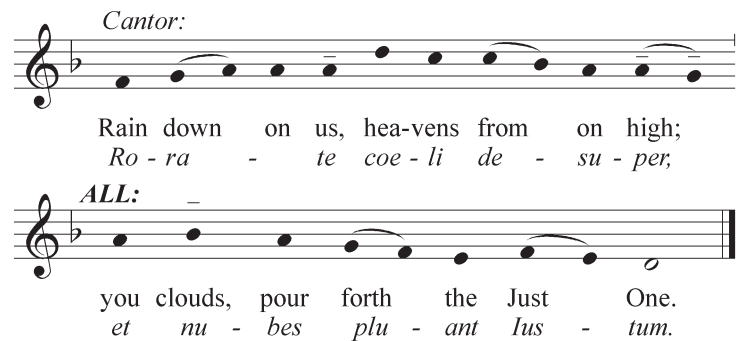
DIALOGUE WITH THE CANDIDATES

AFFIRMATION BY THE SPONSORS AND THE ASSEMBLY All join in the response, **We are.**

SPRINKLING RITE

Rorate celi

chant, adapt. Stratman



OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

READINGS No. 770

PSALM RESPONSE

Psalm 84

Carroll



ALLELUIA No. 237

chant

HOMILY

Father Michael G. Ryan (Saturday 5:30pm)

Father David A. Brant (all other Masses)

DISMISSAL OF THE CATECHUMENS AND CANDIDATES (10:00)

CREED No. 238 *chanted on one tone*

(10:00 and Sunday Evening)

chant, *Jubilare Deo*

Presider Credo in unum Deum,

Schola Patrem omnipotentem factorem cæli et terræ,
visibilium omnium et invisibilium.

*We believe in one God,
the Father, the almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is seen and unseen.*

ALL

Et in u - num Do - mi - num Je - sum Chri - stum,
Fi - li - um De - i u - ni - ge - ni - tum.

*We believe in one Lord,
Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,*

Schola Et ex Patre natum ante omnia sæcula.

eternally begotten of the Father,

ALL

De - um de De - o, lu - men de lú - mi - ne,
De - um ve - rum de De - o ve - ro.

*God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,*

Schola Genitum, non factum, consubstantialem Patri:
per quem omnia facta sunt.

*begotten, not made,
one in being with the Father:
through him all things were made.*

ALL

Qui pro - pter nos hó - mi - nes et prop - ter no - stram
sa - lú - tem de - scén - dit de cæ - lis.

*For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:*

ALL BOW AT THE WORDS OF INCARNATION, SUNG BY THE SCHOLA:

Schola Et incarnatus est de Spiritu Sancto ex Maria Virgine,
et homo factus est.

*by the power of the Holy Spirit
he was born of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.*

ALL

Cru - ci - fi - xus é - ti - am pro no - bis
sub Pón - ti - o Pi - lá - to; pas - sus et se - púl - tus est.

*For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered, died, and was buried.*

Schola Et resurrexit tertia die, secundum Scripturas.

*On the third day he rose again
in fulfillment of the Scriptures;*

ALL

Et a - scén - dit in cæ - lum,
se - det ad déx - te - ram Pa - tris.

*he ascended into heaven and is seated
at the right hand of the Father.*

Schola Et iterum venturus est cum gloria,
judicare vivos et mortuos,
cuius regni non erit finis.

*He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.*

ALL

Et in Spí - ri - tum San - ctum, Dó - mi - num et vi - vi - fi -
cán - tem: qui ex Pa - tre Fi - li - ó - que pro - cé - dit.

*We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from
the Father and the Son.*

Schola Qui cum Patre et Filio simul
adoratur et conglorificatur:
qui locutus est per prophetas.

*With the Father and the Son
he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.*

ALL

Et u - nam, san - ctam, ca - thó - li - cam
et a - pos - tó - li - cam Ec - clé - si - am.

*We believe in one holy catholic
and apostolic Church.*

Schola Confiteor unum Baptisma in remissionem peccatorum.

*We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.*

ALL

Et ex - spe - cto re - sur - re - cti - o - nem mor - tu - o - rum.

*We look for the resurrection
of the dead,*

Schola Et vitam venturi sæculi.

and the life of the world to come.

ALL

A - - - - - men.

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Berthier

Ve - ni Do - mi - ne, No - li tar - da - re.
(Come, Lord, tarry no longer)

RITE OF BAPTISM (Saturday 5:30pm)

INTERCESSIONS

LITANY OF SAINTS No. 827

BLESSING AND INVOCATION OF GOD OVER BAPTISMAL WATER

PROFESSION OF FAITH All join in the response, **I do.**

ACCLAMATION FOLLOWING EACH BAPTISM

Herbolsheimer

SPRINKLING WITH BAPTISMAL WATER

ENTRANCE OF THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Cantor: Rain down on us, heavens, from on high:
ALL: **You clouds, pour forth the Just One.**

EXPLANATORY RITES

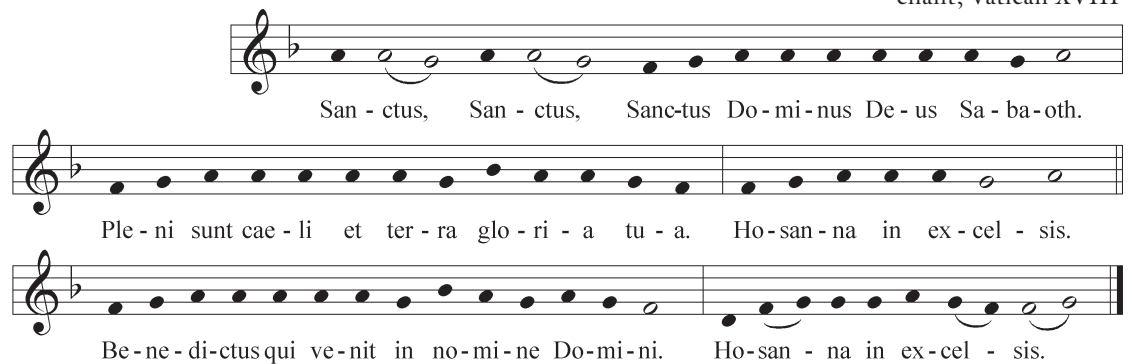
LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE GIFTS

Offertory (10:00)

SANCTUS

chant, Vatican XVIII



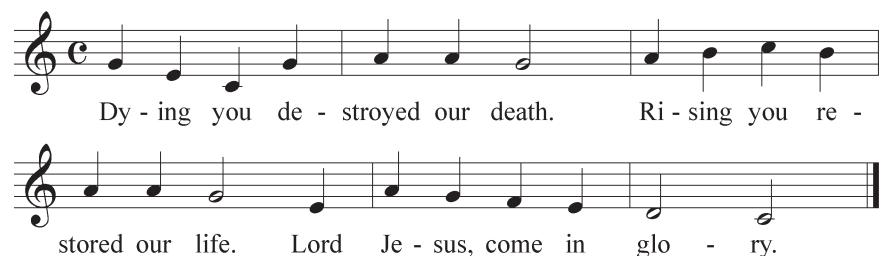
San - ctus, San - ctus, Sanc-tus Do-mi-nus De-us Sa-ba-oth.

Ple-ni sunt cae-li et ter-ra glo-ri-a tu-a. Ho-san-na in ex-cel-sis.

Be-ne-di-ctus qui ve-nit in no-mi-ne Do-mi-ni. Ho-san-na in ex-cel-sis.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Nicolai, adapt. St. James Cathedral



Dy-ing you de-stroyed our death. Ri-sing you re-

stored our life. Lord Je-sus, come in glo-ry.

AMEN

chant

LORD'S PRAYER No. 246

AGNUS DEI

Vatican XVII



R. 1, 2 mi-se-re-re no-bis.
R. 3 do-na no-bis pa-cem.

COMMUNION

Arise, Jerusalem, and stand on high;
and behold the joy that shall come to you from your God.

UPON RETURNING TO YOUR PLACE AFTER HOLY COMMUNION, please **kneel or be seated**. This is the norm for large assemblies in the Archdiocese of Seattle and we thank you for following our practice.

HYMN OF PRAISE

On Jordan's Bank

WINCHESTER NEW

1. On Jor - dan's bank the Bap - tist's cry An -
2. Then cleansed be ev - ery heart from sin; Make
3. For you are our sal - va - tion, Lord, Our
4. To heal the sick stretch out your hand, And
5. All praise the Son e - ter - nal - ly, Whose

noun - ces that the Lord is nigh; A - wake and heark - en,
straight the way of God with - in, And let each heart pre -
ref - uge and our great re - ward; With - out your grace we
bid the fall - en sin - ner stand; Shine forth, and let your
ad - vent sets his peo - ple free; Whom with the Fa - ther

for he brings Glad ti - dings of the King of kings.
pare a home Where such a might - y guest may come.
waste a - way Like flowers that with - er and de - cay.
light re - store Earth's own true love - li - ness once more.
we a - dore And spir - it blest for ev - er - more.

St. James Cathedral - Seattle

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

The Most Reverend Alexander J. Brunett, Archbishop of Seattle

PASTOR

The Very Reverend Michael G. Ryan

IN RESIDENCE

The Reverend David A. Brant
The Reverend Thomas Marti, MM

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CELEBRATIONS of the SACRAMENTS

MASS

Sundays 8 - 10 - 12 & 5:30 pm
Weekdays 8:15 & 5:30 pm
Saturdays 8:15 & "Vigil" 5:30 pm

LITURGY OF THE HOURS Weekdays at 12:10 pm

VESPERS and BENEDICTION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sundays at 4:00 pm.

BAPTISM Communal celebrations are held monthly. A preparation program for parents and godparents is required. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

RECONCILIATION Saturdays, 4:00 - 5:00 pm. A communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated four times yearly in preparation for Christmas and Easter.

MARRIAGE A formal program of marriage preparation over a period of several months is required, however, registered parishioners may begin the scheduling process 14 months in advance.

ANOINTING of the SICK A communal celebration is held regularly. In other situations (anticipated surgery, emergency) please call the parish office.

ECUMENICAL PRAYER with music from Taizé, Fridays at 6:30 pm.

TOURS OF THE CATHEDRAL Groups of 6 or more may arrange a tour by calling Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284

CATHEDRAL BOOKSTORE Open 11:00 am to 3:00 pm weekdays, after Masses on weekends. Call 206-382-4500 for information

ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL PARISH

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Office Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

WELCOME: *If you are a visitor to the Cathedral, we want you to know how welcome you are – whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish here in the Archdiocese. Thanks, in part, to the generosity of visitors like you, we are able to celebrate the Church's liturgy here in a fitting and beautiful way. We are also able to offer a wide range of services to needy people living in the central district of our city.*

SANDWICHES FOR ST. MARTIN'S may be brought to the Coffee Hours today or to the parish office on Monday, December 8, before 3:00 pm.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, Monday, December 8. Masses will be celebrated at 8:15 am, 12:10 pm and 5:30 pm. Also a Mass at 10:00 am for O'Dea High School which is open to all.

MARJORIE RYAN CIRCLE HOLIDAY WREATH SALE

For the fourth consecutive year, the Marjorie Ryan Circle (named in honor of Father Ryan's mother) of the Association for Catholic Childhood (ACC) will be selling the finest quality Northwest 22" mixed Noble Fir wreaths from Hood Canal Evergreens. All profits from this sale go directly to the charitable children's organizations that ACC supports. They will be sold at the Advent Bazaar for \$20 each while supplies last. **If you preordered a wreath it will be available for pick up at the Bazaar today, December 7.**

ADVENT BIBLE STUDY: YEAR OF ST. PAUL—First & Second Corinthians Join us on Tuesdays, December 9 and 16 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm or 7:00 to 9:00 pm-in Cathedral Place, 2nd floor, as we study Paul's second letter to the Corinthians (Homework for December 9: Read 2 Corinthians, chapters 1 through 7.) No Bible experience necessary. *Information*, Helen Oesterle, 206-382-4514, hoesterle@stjames-cathedral.org

THE GIVING TREE provides gifts to low-income and disabled senior clients of Elderhealth Northwest, an adult day health center here in our neighborhood. The Tree will be in Cathedral Hall during the coffee hours today, December 7. It's easy and fun to participate: simply pick up a gift tag and return a wrapped gift to coffee hour by December 14. *Information*, Patty Bowman, 206-382-4515.

PARISH REMEMBRANCE Throughout the year because we are the Cathedral Church, we remember in prayer at Mass and Vespers each of the parishes and missions of the Archdiocese of Seattle on a Sunday near their feast day. This week we remember in prayer the parishes of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Seattle; St. Mary of Guadalupe, Ridgefield; and Immaculate Conception, Arlington and Mount Vernon.

VOLUNTEER CHORE SERVICE ORIENTATION VCS is a program of Catholic Community Services and helps to connect volunteers with people who need chore services and companionship in the Seattle area. Volunteers help to ensure that elders and individuals with disabilities and/or long-term illnesses can remain in their homes among familiar surroundings rather than going to an institutionalized setting. In October, our VCS volunteers contributed over 125 hours of service. If you are interested in joining them in this rewarding ministry, please come to the Orientation to be held in the Pastoral Outreach Center on Tuesday, December 9 at 6:30 pm. (If you are in need of assistance through VCS, their intake number is: 1-888-649-6850). *Information*, Jennifer Ibach, 206-654-4640 or jibach@stjames-cathedral.org.

RESERVED SEATING PASSES AVAILABLE NOW for these extraordinary Cathedral music events: *Candlelight, Carols and Cathedral Children*, the traditional service of Readings and Carols, Sunday, December 21, 7:30 pm. **New Year's Eve Passes** and passes for our spectacular Great Music for Great Cathedrals in February are available online now at www.stjames-cathedral.org/music. Give the gift of Cathedral music this holiday season. Reserved Passes for Cathedral concerts are the perfect gift.

LOOKING FOR A UNIQUE GIFT? The ESL Cookbook makes a great hostess gift or stocking stuffer. Recipes include Father Ryan's great American waffles, Turkish cabbage dolmas, cous cous pied noir, baked Argentine empanadas, Eggplants Conversing and many more delicious recipes from around the world! Available today at the Advent Bazaar for \$15 each. Proceeds support helping refugees and immigrants to learn English and become citizens. *Information*, Christopher J. Koehler, 206-382-4511 or ckoehler@stjames-cathedral.org

IN THE BOOKSTORE Just in, all new Cathedral Christmas Cards! Visit our Advent section for thoughtful readings that will put you in the right mood for Christmas. New titles include our own parishioner Robert Clark's *Dark Water*, a story of art, redemption, and floods in Florence, Italy; Father Richard McBrien's newest book, *The Church: The Evolution of Catholicism* and *Being Catholic Now* by Kerry Kennedy.

SACRIFICIAL SUNDAY GIVING 2009

Please accept the challenge to give "until you feel blessed" and drop your 2009 commitment card in the offering basket today. If you've never made a commitment to Sacrificial Giving, please consider making one this year. *Our goal is not a dollar amount.* Instead, we're going for 100% parishioner participation. We have a long way to go!

Results through Sunday, November 30, 2008:

Pledges received	709
Percent Participation (2,390 registered households)	30%
Participation goal	100%

A CHRISTMAS CAROL On Thursday, December 18, at 7:00 pm in the Pastoral Outreach Center Community Room, you are invited to rediscover Charles Dickens' classic Advent tale, *A Christmas Carol*. The evening will include a roaring fire and hot apple cider, as well as a dramatic reading (lasting about 40 minutes) by parishioner Scott Webster. All are welcome! *Information*, Maria Laughlin, 206-382-4284.

YOUNG ADULTS "WARM HEARTS AND SOLES" Fifth annual Advent sock drive for homeless men continues today, Sunday, December 7, and each Sunday during Advent. We got off to a great start with donations in the first week toward the goal of 2009 pairs for delivery in January 2009. Let's keep it up by dropping off new socks at the Young Adult table in Cathedral Hall after 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 12:00 Sunday Masses, or during the week at 2nd floor Cathedral Place. Such a worthwhile project – let's keep those hearts and soles warm this winter! *Information* youngadults@stjames-cathedral.org or TerryAnn Bowen 206-382-2018.

J-WALKING FOR HIGH SCHOOL TEENS Are you a high school teen who likes to help others and wants to engage your faith in the world? Then J-Walking might be the perfect program for you! Join other teens from local parishes in this 4-month small group process that will start in January. The group will do service, learn about Catholic Social Teaching, discuss their experiences of living out their faith, and pray together. Applications are due December 12. *Information*, Jennifer Ibach 206-654-4640 or jibach@stjames-cathedral.org.

THE CATHEDRAL KITCHEN is in need of clean 16-to 32 ounce plastic containers, with lids. Drop them off at the Parish Office or the Parish Hall. Thank you.



THE YEAR OF ST. PAUL

Next month, we have two unique ways to celebrate the Year of St. Paul. On Wednesday, **January 21, 2009 at 7:00 pm**, St. James will host a countywide prayer for Christian Unity. What better way to celebrate the Year of St. Paul than by praying for the unity of Christians? Our guest preacher will be Dr. Michael Kinnamon, President of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the USA and a widely-respected leader in the ecumenical movement. Bring a friend from another Christian denomination, and bring Paul's vision of the Church to life! The service is co-sponsored by the Church Council of Greater Seattle, the School of Theology and Ministry of Seattle University, and St. James Cathedral. Please visit www.thechurchcouncil.org, or www.stjames-cathedral.org for more information. The following Sunday, **January 25**, we have the rare opportunity to celebrate the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul on a Sunday. Noted scripture scholar Father John Endres, SJ, will be guest homilist at all Masses for the feast.

Advent Bazaar

Sunday, December 7, 2008

Cathedral Place Hall

ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, our annual ADVENT BAZAAR after the morning Masses features favorite St. James items as well as the work of Cathedral artists and friends. Join us in Cathedral Hall for coffee, doughnuts, and a wonderful opportunity to start your Christmas shopping while benefiting a good cause!

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE

- Exclusive **CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS CARDS** featuring the art of our own cathedral – including three brand-new designs
- **COOKBOOKS** and **T-SHIRTS** benefiting St. James ESL
- **CATHEDRAL MUSIC** Get your passes for the stunning music events ahead, including **Advent Readings & Carols**, the **Annual New Year's Eve Gala**, and **Great Music for Great Cathedrals**. (These make great gifts, too!)
- The community of **L'ARCHE** with beautiful candles of all shapes and sizes handmade in their Seattle workshop
- **FAIR TRADE ITEMS** from Catholic Relief Services and Himalaya Traders
- **CHRISTMAS WREATHS** benefiting the Association of Catholic Childhood
- **CRAFT ITEMS** from Cathedral parishioners including Patrick White, Sister Claudette Conrad, and Sister Agnes Le

OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE

- Take a tag from the **ELDERHEALTH GIVING TREE** and bring back a gift for a needy senior in our neighborhood
- This year, give a gift that will make a difference! In lieu of a Christmas gift, give a gift to the **HUNTHAUSEN FUND** in honor of someone special. You'll receive a beautiful Christmas card to send.
- The sixth annual **WARM HEARTS & SOLES** (sponsored by St. James Young Adults) sock drive has a goal this year of 2,009 pairs of new socks for homeless men. Drop socks off at coffee hour or at the parish office during the week.

**Cathedral
Advent
Calendar**

Free with any purchase
at the Advent Bazaar!

