



## Christ Church

Second Sunday after Christmas

January 3, 2010

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

### Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. – Second Sunday after Christmas

*No matter who you are, or where you are on life's  
journey, you're welcome here.*

Ringing of the Church Bell

Prelude ***Allegro from Sonata I for Cello and Piano***  
Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)  
Adam Grabois, cello

Introit ***Brightest and Best of the Stars of the Morning***  
MORNING STAR  
Rev. Rush

Hymn # 68 ***What Star Is This, with Beams So Bright***  
PUER NOBIS NASCITUR

Call to Worship Michael Salort

Leader: In a world that is lost

**People: Show us the way.**

Leader: In a world full of lies and deceit

**People: Show us the truth.**

Leader: In a world that is sick and decayed

**People: Show us life and love.**

**All: For You are the way, the truth and the life, Christmas  
day and every day.**

Prayer of Invocation Matthew Salort

Scripture Reading Isaiah 60:1-6 Mike Salort

Musical Meditation ***Star Child*** Haas  
Genesis Choir

A Story for Children Rev. Julie Yarborough

(The 2 and 3-year-olds may leave for Sunday school at this time.  
Church Mice Choir for children pre-K through 1st grade  
may leave at this time.)

Hymn # 63      ***As with Gladness Men of Old***      DIX

Passing of the Peace

Announcements, Joys and Concerns      Rev. Caroline Dean

Silence & Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer*  
***Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done  
On earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread  
And forgive us our debts  
As we forgive our debtors;  
And lead us not into temptation,  
But deliver us from evil,  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory forever.***

**Amen**

Invitation to Sharing

Offertory Anthem      ***Largo from Sonata I for Cello and Piano***  
Marcello  
Adam Grabois, cello

Doxology      OLD 100TH  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Sing praise, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts;  
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(Children pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade may leave for  
Sunday school at this time.)

Scripture Reading      Matthew 2:1-12      Rev. Charles Rush

Sermon      **"The Hope of the World"**      Rev. Rush

Service of Holy Communion

Communion Meditation  
***Canto Primo, Suite No. 1 for Cello, Op. 72*** Benjamin Britten  
***Sarabande from Suite No. 3 for Cello*** J.S. Bach  
Adam Grabois, cello

Benediction      Rev. Charles Rush

Silent Recessional

Postlude      ***Sheep May Safely Graze from Cantata No. 208***  
Bach, arr. Biggs

Greeters: The Vigilante Family

Ushers for 9:30 am: The Nukk-Freeman and Vigilante Families

***Welcome! Visiting today? Please complete a Visitor Card and drop  
into the offering plate and join us for fellowship after today's service.***

The third white candle on the altar is lit in hope of world peace.

### **LATE BREAKING ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**(More announcements are in the Newsletter,  
available in the narthex)**

Here is today's **Sunday school** schedule:

2-3 year olds	Room B-202
Pre-K & K	Room B-203
1st – 5th graders	Assembly in Room B-206
6th and 7th graders	Stay in Worship

**There will be a New Member Sunday on January 10th** at  
the 9:30 service. If you are interested in joining the church  
or have questions, please speak to Chuck, Julie or contact  
Carol Angle, Membership Chair, at jerseyangle(at)aol.com

<b>Sunday January 3</b>	First Worship Service	9:30 am
	Church Mice – Barnwell Hall	9:45 am
	Coffee Hour – Barnwell Hall	10:30 am
	Genesis Choir and Canticle Singers– Sanctuary	10:45 am
<b>Second Sunday After Christmas</b>	Canticle Singers – Lile Hall	11:00 am
	Second Worship Service	11:15 am

Ministers – All Members of Christ Church  
Senior Minister – The Rev. Dr. Charles T. Rush  
Associate Minister – The Rev. Julie Yarborough  
Youth Minister – The Rev. Caroline Dean  
Director of Music – Holly Chatham  
Children’s Choirs Director – Alison Vidal  
Jazz Pianist – Daniel Rufolo  
Seminary Student Intern – Al Bunis  
Office Manager – Cheryl Levy  
Housekeeping – Juan and Rocio Restrepo

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