



Weekly Announcements and Events for December 29 to January 5, 2024

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **OFFICES CLOSED**

The Church offices will be closed from December 24 to January 1.

#### BRADLEY ON VACATION

Bradley will be on vacation from December 30 through January 22. For prayer list requests, please contact Ailsa Tessier or Susie Holmes. For Glad Tidings inquiries, please email office@nativityonline.org

#### THE COLOR OF COMPROMISE

Join us for a 12-session study of The Color of Compromise by Jemar Tisby, an eye-opening exploration of the American church's complicity in racism and a call to respond with courage and conviction. Beginning January 8, we'll meet weekly on Zoom each Wednesday from 7 to 8:30 pm. We'll unpack Tisby's historical insights and discuss actionable steps for justice and reconciliation in our communities. Each session offers space for reflection, meaningful connection, and thoughtful engagement with others dedicated to understanding and addressing racial injustice. This study is open to all; we welcome you to join us in this important journey toward equity and healing. We invite you to sign up to receive the Zoom link for the study.

#### FILM SCREENING: PHILADELPHIA ELEVEN

Join us in Corlett Hall on January 5 for an inspiring evening of food, film, and discussion. We'll start with a potluck dinner at 5 pm, followed by a screening of The Philadelphia Eleven from 6 to 7:30 pm. This compelling documentary tells the story of 11 women who, in 1974, defied church rules to be ordained as Episcopal priests, reshaping the church and inspiring future generations. A panel discussion will follow, exploring the film's themes and the legacy of these trailblazing women. This free event is open to all.

### Adult Pilgrimage to the UK

Join us on a transformative pilgrimage through Scotland and England in 2025! Explore historic Christian sites like Edinburgh, Lindisfarne, Bamburgh, and Durham Cathedral, where you'll walk in the footsteps of saints and delve into the rich tapestry of faith. Experience guided tours, spiritual reflections, and the beauty of these sacred lands. For more details on this enriching journey, check out this blog post and register today.

# CALENDAR

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

8:30 am: Rite II Eucharist, spoken (Nave) 10:30 am: Rite II Eucharist, with Music (Nave)

(Corlett Hall)

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 5

8:30 am: Rite II Eucharist, spoken (Nave)

9:30 am: Choir Warm-up (Nave)

10:30 am: Rite II Eucharist, with Music (Nave)

(Corlett Hall)

