



Call to Worship ..... *The Lion and the Lamb*

Processional Hymn ..... *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Welcome + Opening Prayer

Song of Praise ..... *Glory To God*

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in Your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under His most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Introit ..... *One Step Away*

Scripture Reading ..... Esther 9:20-32

Song of Response ..... *Shout to the Lord*

[KIDS EXIT · DROP OFF 3YR THRU K]

Gospel Reading ..... Matthew 26:26-32

Sermon ..... "Celebration Continues" ..... Matt Hemsley

*For Such a Time as This: The Politics of Faith, Part XI*

The Nicene Creed + Prayers of the People

Passing of the Peace + Announcements

[KIDS RETURN · PARENTS PICK UP 3YR THRU 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE]

Offertory ..... *Praise His Holy Name*

Doxology + Communion (Prayer A)

Songs of Praise ..... *Come, You Sinners*

*Christ Is Risen*

*The Lion and the Lamb*

Prayer of Thanksgiving + Blessing

Closing Hymn ..... *Crown Him With Many Crowns*

Postlude *Improvisation on "Crown Him with Many Crowns"*

J. Williams/C. Tyler

## Welcome!

We're delighted to have you join us for worship today. If you are a **first-time guest**, please visit our welcome cart just outside the sanctuary to receive a gift and to ask any questions. Or fill out a welcome card located in the pew racks and put it in the offering plate.

## Today

Drop Off Filled Bags of Blessing  
After Morning Services | Outside

Young Adults Thanksgiving Potluck  
6:00 pm | Undercroft

## Discipleship Classes

### Kids Sunday School

10:30 am | Preschool through High School  
Info outside at the Family Ministries table

### Panorama del Nuevo Testamento

10:15 am  
Gunnell House | José Garrigó

### Signs of Love

10:00 am  
Rector's Office | Various instructors

### Why Luther Still Matters

10:30 am  
Common Grounds | Tory Baucum

## Your Giving (Pledge and Plate)

AS OF OCT 31, 2016

RECEIVED	PLANNED	DIFFERENCE
\$2,423,223	\$2,478,956	-\$55,733



## Advent Begins Next Sunday

by Coleman Tyler

Someone recently commented, "Advent is the Rodney Dangerfield of secular seasons—it gets no respect!" But not so in the Christian Church Year! Advent (which means "coming") begins next Sun, Nov 27. It is four weeks of "great expectations" and watchful waiting. And we wait for Jesus to come in two ways: first, as the humble baby of Bethlehem, and second, as the victorious King of Kings, who will come in power to rule the nations. In Advent, our main focus is on the latter, as our prayers and hymns focus on the second coming of Christ in glory and power. So, in the midst of the hustle and bustle of December, let Advent be a time of holy waiting, hoping, and expecting for Jesus to come into our lives in new and unexpected ways, as we prepare for His birth, and His promised return to rule and reign over all.



## Giving to Truro is Easy Online

by Dan March

Did you know that Truro has two easy ways to receive your pledge online? You can use either a credit card or a direct ACH transaction from your bank account. You can set up either of these payment methods for repeating transactions weekly, monthly, or whatever interval you prefer. You will get an automatic notification via email that your transaction is about to be conducted and another when it is complete. ACH transactions offer a convenient, cost effective, and efficient alternative to using paper checks for your pledge. Why do this? Well two reasons: if you're like me, I occasionally forget my checkbook and miss a Sunday, and then maybe follow that by

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## Carols by Glowstick 2016: Christmas Around the World

Truro has been packed out for three years in a row at this hugely popular event, so we've added a second time! Join us for our fourth annual Carols by Glowstick on Sun, Dec 11, at either 5:00 pm or 7:00 pm. We're going to sing a bunch of Christmas carols and songs by the light of thousands of glowsticks, be visited by a fun cast of Christmas characters, and take a journey around the world, enjoying Christmas traditions and musical styles of many different cultures and languages. Afterwards, there will be bonfires, cookies galore, and free pictures with Santa and his reindeer.

**i** Invite friends and neighbors to come with you! If you'd like to be part of helping put this event on, check out the list of needs on p. 3.

## Giving Online CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE

going out of town or just having a senior moment, and I miss a pledge or two. We have all done this at some point and we all try and make up for it, but we occasionally forget. What this means is that Truro does not receive the expected pledge (that the church budgets for). While Truro does have some flexibility by using our credit line to meet payroll and other expenses, this costs interest and is not the best situation for managing our cash flow efficiently and effectively. I've been using ACH now for six months, and it is great! Why not try it—it will really help us!

**i** You can log on to [The City](#) to set up regular giving or to make a one-time donation. Contact Jan Siler with questions: [jsiler@truroanglican.com](mailto:jsiler@truroanglican.com).

## An Easy Way to Give to Truro with Amazon

Do you know about AmazonSmile? Every time you shop at Amazon, Truro can receive 0.5% of your purchase. It's a small amount, but it's a simple and automatic way to give to Truro.

Shopping with AmazonSmile is exactly the same as you're used to when you shop on Amazon. You'll use the same account information, and item prices are the same. The only difference is that you start your shopping at a different web address on your web browser: [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com).

To begin using AmazonSmile, go to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) in your web browser. On your first visit, you need to select an organization to receive donations. After that, AmazonSmile will remember your selection. For Truro to receive donations, you will need to bookmark the AmazonSmile site, and begin all your Amazon shopping from there.

## PARISH EVENTS

### Next Sunday: Liturgy Explained

Next Sun, Nov 27, we will not have any children's programs other than childcare. Instead, Tory and Jamie will be leading a "Liturgy Explained"—they will walk through our Sunday morning liturgy, explaining what we are doing and why we do it. Parents, we encourage you to sit towards the front with your children so that they can see and hear the explanations behind our Anglican liturgy.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

### The Carols by Glowstick Team!

It takes a lot of elves to make this amazing evening successful! Here are some of the roles you can fill to have fun AND help out:

- Set design + decorators
- Parking lot + patio greeters
- Actors
- Glowstick hander-outers
- Cookie/hot chocolate servers

We also need lots of people to bring cookies!

**i** More roles available! Volunteer early to get dibs on your first choice by signing up today at the Family Ministries booth outside, or by contacting Alice Hunt: [ahunt@truroanglican.com](mailto:ahunt@truroanglican.com)

## FAMILY MINISTRIES

### Recap: A Great Youth Fall Retreat!

by Matt Desmarais

Two weeks ago, we brought over 60 students and leaders to the West River Retreat Center for our Fall Retreat. Throughout the weekend, Hannah King spoke to us about God's story and how we fit into it. The students and their small group leaders had lots of opportunities to respond to Hannah's talks in discussion and prayer during their small group time. It was amazing to watch as everyone strengthened their relationships with God and each other. We also had a ton of fun playing glowstick capture the flag and doing some late night karaoke. Overall, the retreat was an amazing opportunity for everyone to experience Jesus and grow closer together as a community.

## Save the Date

### NOVEMBER

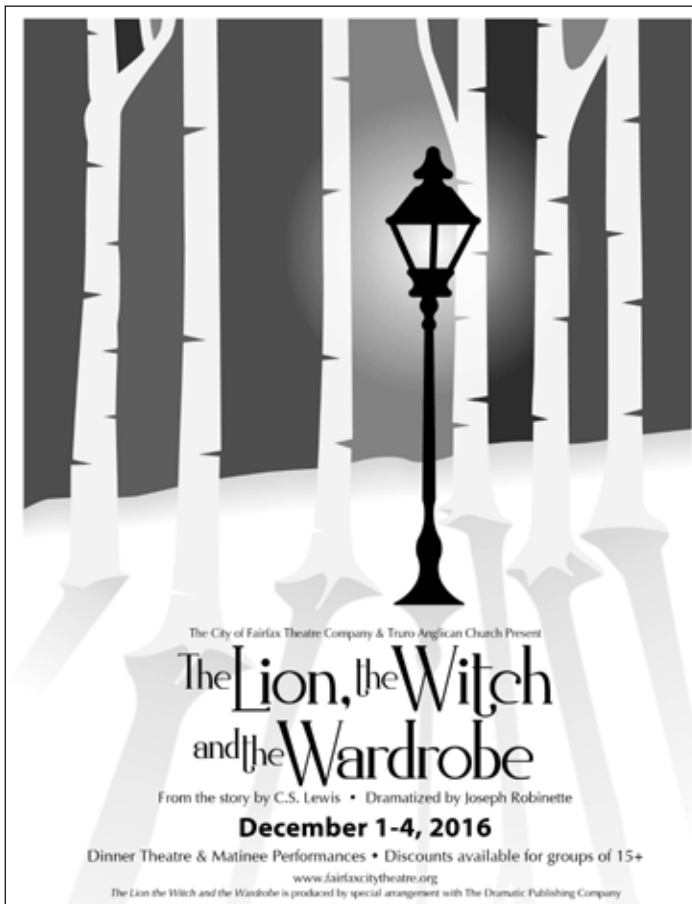
- 27 Liturgy Explained During Service  
9:00 am | 11:15 am
- 27 No Kids Programs  
Children Stay in the Service

### DECEMBER

- 1 *The Lion, The Witch + The Wardrobe*  
thru Dec 4 | fairfaxcitytheatre.org
- 6 Mission Partner Dessert Evening  
7:30 pm | Undercroft
- 11 Carols by Glowstick  
5:00 and 7:00 pm | Sanctuary
- 24 Christmas Eve Services  
2:30, 4:30, 7:30 + 10:30 pm | Sanctuary
- 25 Christmas Day Service  
11:15 am | Sanctuary

### JANUARY

- 1 New Year's Day Services  
11:15 am + 5:00 pm
- 7 Amore Marriage Retreat  
9:00 am - 2:30 pm | Undercroft



## MISSIONS

### Music for Missions: "Handel—With Care & Flair!"

As a fundraising project for Truro Missions, we are producing our third CD, this one featuring some of G.F. Handel's most beloved music. Musicians are Coleman Tyler (organ), Joe Connell (percussion), Susan Wheeler (soprano), and Brandon Showalter (tenor). CDs will be available in early December, just in time for Christmas gifts! Donations (from \$1 to \$1,000!) are gratefully accepted. Coleman will happily connect you with your copy! [ctyler@truroanglican.com](mailto:ctyler@truroanglican.com)



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