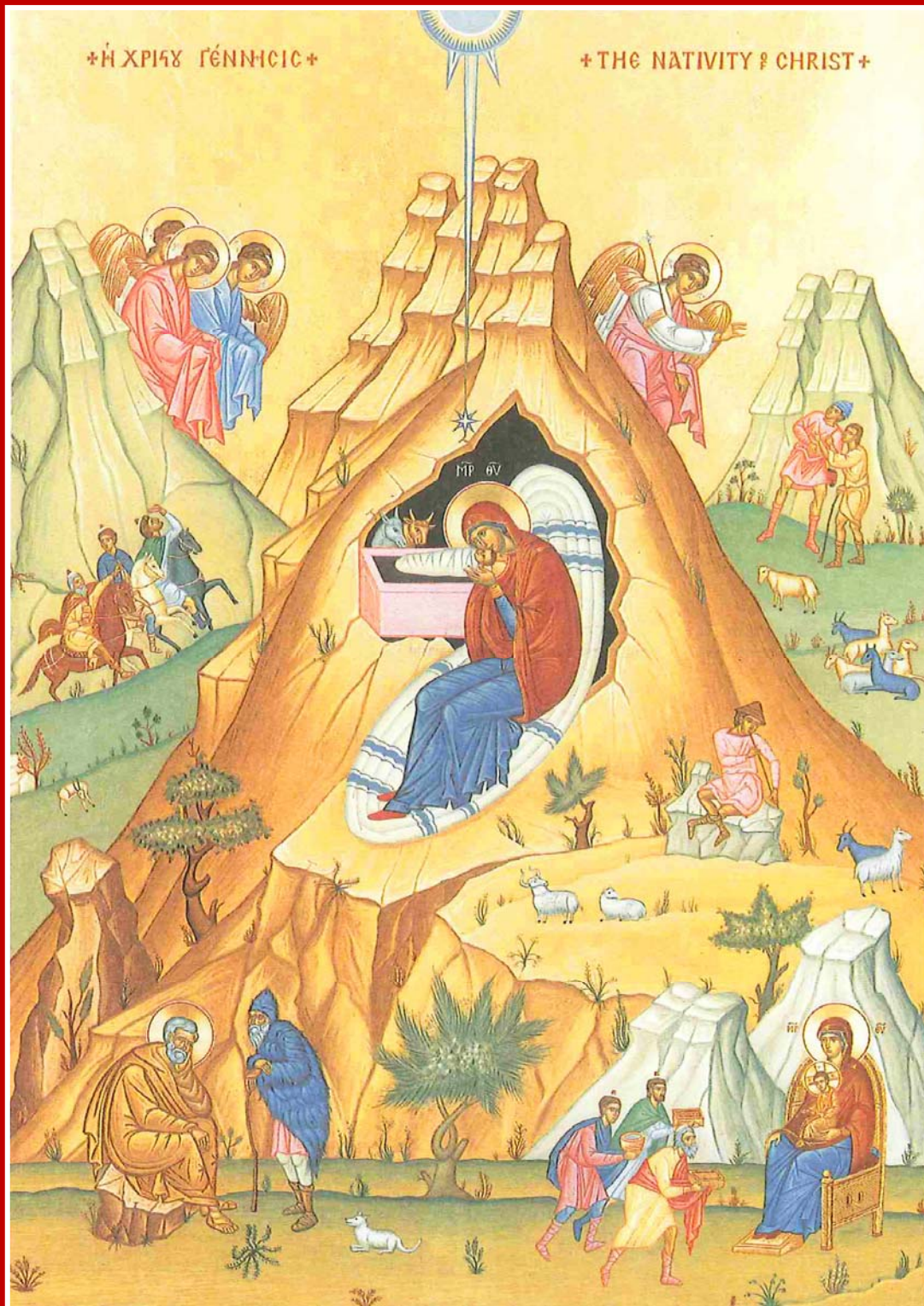


# CHRIST IS BORN!



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CHRISTMAS EVE 2011

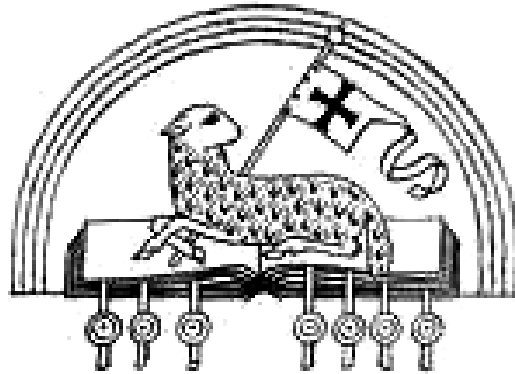
# ST. MICHAEL'S BY-THE-SEA

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Carlsbad, California

## **CHRISTMAS EVE**

11 pm Solemn High Mass



### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

*See Rite I Booklet in Pew Rack.*

Opening Hymn	O Come, All Ye Faithful	12, vs. 1-3
Gradual Hymn	Angels We Have Heard on High	42, vs. 1-3
Offertory Anthem	Every Valley	<i>John Ness Beck</i>
Communion Anthem	Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming	<i>Michael Praetorius</i>
Communion Hymn	Silent Night	33, vs. 1-3
Closing Hymn	Hark! The Herald Angels Sing	27, vs. 1-3
Benediction Solo	Ave Maria	Franz Schubert <i>Karensa LeGear, Soprano</i>
Postlude	Prelude in E-Flat Major Op. 99 No. 3	<i>Camille Saint-Saens</i>

## **THE COLLECT**

O God, who hast caused this holy night to shine with the illumination of the true Light: Grant us, we beseech thee, that as we have known the mystery of that Light upon earth, so may we also perfectly enjoy him in heaven; where with thee and the Holy Spirit he liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

## **THE LESSON Isaiah 9:2-7**

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shined. Thou hast multiplied the nation, thou hast increased its joy; they rejoice before thee as with joy at the harvest, as men rejoice when they divide the spoil. For the yoke of his burden, and the staff for his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor, thou hast broken as on the day of Midian. For every boot of the tramping warrior in battle tumult and every garment rolled in blood will be burned as fuel for the fire. For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government will be upon his shoulder, and his name will be called "Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, upon the throne of David, and over his kingdom, to establish it, and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and for evermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

*Reader*        The Word of the Lord.

*People*        **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 96

*The Psalm is sung responsively by the cantor and choir/congregation.*

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song; \*  
sing to the Lord, all the whole earth.
  - 2 **Sing to the Lord and bless his Name; \***  
**proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.**
  - 3 Declare his glory among the nations \*  
and his wonders among all peoples.
  - 4 **For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; \***  
**he is more to be feared than all gods.**
  - 5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; \*  
but it is the Lord who made the heavens.
  - 6 **Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! \***  
**Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!**
  - 7 Ascribe to the Lord, you families of the peoples; \*  
ascribe to the Lord honor and power.
  - 8 **Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; \***  
**bring offerings and come into his courts.**
  - 9 Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; \*  
let the whole earth tremble before him.
  - 10 **Tell it out among the nations: “The Lord is King! \***  
**he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;**  
**he will judge the peoples with equity.”**
  - 11 Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;  
Let the sea thunder and all that is in it; \*  
let the field be joyful and all that is therein.
  - 12 **Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy**  
**before the Lord when he comes, \***  
**when he comes to judge the earth.**
  - 13 He will judge the world with righteousness \*  
and the peoples with his truth.
- Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit**  
**As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.**

## THE EPISTLE Titus 2:11-14

For the grace of God has appeared for the salvation of all men, training us to renounce irreligion and worldly passions, and to live sober, upright, and godly lives in this world, awaiting our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all iniquity and to purify for himself a people of his own who are zealous for good deeds.

*Reader*        The Word of the Lord.  
*People*        **Thanks be to God.**

## THE ALLELUIA

*All stand. Cantor sings:*



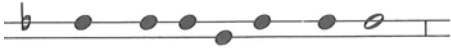
*All repeat alleluia.*

*Cantor sings versicle.*

*All repeat alleluia.*


## THE GOSPEL Luke 2:1-20

*Reader* The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke.

*People*   
*Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord.*

In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that all the world should be enrolled. This was the first enrollment, when Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all went to be enrolled, each to his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and lineage of David, to be enrolled with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child. And while they were there, the time came for her to be delivered. And she gave birth to her first-born son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn. And in that region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with fear. And the angel said to them, "Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all the people; for to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a babe wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men with whom he is pleased!" When the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has made known to us." And they went with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. And when they saw it they made known the saying which had been told them concerning this child; and all who heard it wondered at what the shepherds told them. But Mary kept all these things, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

*Reader* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*   
*Praise be to thee, O Christ.*

# THE ALTAR FLOWERS

are given to the Glory of Almighty God in thanksgiving  
for the Incarnation of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, by...

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*Susan Fancher, in loving memory of her dear husband Jack;*

*Art and Oriole McLean, in loving memory of their son Mark;*

*Sally Vigil, in loving memory of her husband Joseph Vigil  
and brother Ed Klosterman;*

*The McKean Family, in loving memory of  
Martha and Bruce McKean;*

*Fran Meyers, in loving memory of her son Patrick;*

*David, Eileen, and Daniel Hoppen, in loving memory of  
Bernice and Neil Smith and Jack Hoppen;*

*The Kitting Family, in loving memory of their loved ones;*

*Dave and Donna Berger, in loving memory of Bill Reedy,  
loving father and grandfather;*

*Edgar DeMaris, in loving memory of Bonnie Moore DeMaris;*

*Millie Kerr, in loving memory of her husband Richard,  
her parents, and her sisters;*

*Tom Sowden, in loving memory of John Schroeder, Bob and  
Helen Stephenson, and Jim and Margaret Sowden;*

*Tim and Chris Brookhart, in loving memory of  
Ray and Marilyn Brookhart;*

*Jackie Montamble, in loving memory of her husband Don.*

*Ron and Marie Smeltzer, in loving memory of  
Frank and Josephine Marx, and William and Ella Smeltzer;*

*and in loving memory of Claud Phillips  
by his family.*

## **WELCOME**

We are honored that you have chosen to worship at St. Michael's by-the-Sea.

Please fill out a welcome card (in the pew racks) and place it in the offering plate, or give it to a priest after mass. For information about St. Michael's and its ministries, please pick up a brochure from the tract rack at the back of the church.

## **FIRST FRIDAY LUNCH BUNCH & BIBLE STUDY**

Join us on **Friday, January 6** for lunch, fellowship, and Bible Study.

Lunch is served immediately following the Noon Mass. (Suggested lunch donation: \$5.) After lunch, Fr. Kraft continues his series of First Friday presentations on understanding the Biblical narrative - the overarching story that connects all the stories from Genesis through Revelation. Bring your Bible! Please RSVP to the office by Thursday, January 5 or sign up online at [www.stmichaelsbythesea.org](http://www.stmichaelsbythesea.org).

## **NEWCOMERS' COFFEE**

Are you new to St. Michael's within the past several months? Come join the parish clergy for coffee and conversation in the library on **Sunday, January 15** following the 10:30 am mass. We look forward to getting to know you!

## **ALL WOMEN'S BOOK, CRAFT, and DESSERT (ABCD) CLUB: JANUARY MEETING**

Attention all St. Michael's women! Please join us for the next ABCD Club meeting on **Thursday, January 19** at 7 pm at the home of Rachael Atamian,

260 Plumosa Avenue, Vista, 92083. (Carpooling is encouraged as parking is limited.)

We will banter about brilliant books (for January's meeting, read *Heaven is for Real* by Todd Burpo), create captivating crafts, devour delicious desserts,

and form fabulous friendships! Sign up online at [www.stmichaelsbythesea.org](http://www.stmichaelsbythesea.org)

or call the office at 760.729.8901.

## **COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEER(S) NEEDED**

Do you have a gift for hospitality? Consider volunteering to prepare Coffee Hour! In particular, a volunteer is needed on the first Sunday of each month to prepare for the Coffee Hour that follows the 8 am mass. For more information, please contact Rosemarie Evans at 760.720.1354.

Thank you!

## **2012 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES ARE READY FOR PICK UP!**

St. Michael's parishioners: your 2012 contribution envelopes boxes are in alphabetical order on tables in Ede Hall, ready for you to pick up! Please initial next to your name on the "Confirm Pick Up of Contribution Envelopes" form, and include your email address if you have one. If you can't find your box of envelopes, please fill out the "Missing Your Contribution Envelopes?" form, and a box will be ready for you to pick up next week.

## **PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THE LAST WEEK IN DECEMBER**

The parish office will be closed from Monday, December 26 through Friday, December 30. It will reopen on Tuesday, January 3.

## LIFE LINE SCREENING

St. Michael's by-the-Sea is pleased to offer preventive health screening in collaboration with Life Line Screening on **Monday, January 9** from 8 am to 5 pm in Ede Hall. Life Line Screening uses painless, accurate sonogram technology to "see" plaque build-up in arteries, which can cause strokes. When detected early, 80% of strokes can be prevented. Pre-registration is required; call 800.324.1851. Flyers with more information are available in Ede Hall.

## INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

*Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:6-7)*

### ***Please pray for the concerns of our parish family:***

Susan, Elayna, Chris, Susan, Ruth, Katherine, Kevin, Sandy, Pat, Dee Dee, Peggy, Janice, Phil, Maurie, Grace Ann, Chelsea, Vic and Skippy, Barbara, Joyce, Ernie, Stephanie, Ruth, Bob, Teagan and family, Jackie, Maureen, Evelyn, Annette and family, Pearl, Kathy, Jeff, Jenny, Jason and Darren and Jeff, Terry and Lisa, Darren, Bob, Mike and Tating, Debra, Bobby, Jessie, Dave, Bobby, John and Michelle, Steve, Mike and Ashley, Terry, Dan, Steve, Gary and Zenna, Brett, Frank, Nuha, Joey, Justin, Jeff, Diane, Mike, Paul and Dylan, Karen, Jake, Nic, Jane, Katie, the Wilson family, Sadie and Marcel, Adeeb

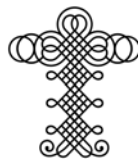
### ***Please pray for our family members in the armed forces:***

Jonathon

### ***Please pray for the repose of the soul of:***

Sue

*Prayer requests may be written in the Red Intercessory Prayer Book at back of the church, or submitted by calling the parish office at 760.729.8901, emailing [diana@stmichaelsbythesea.org](mailto:diana@stmichaelsbythesea.org), or by visiting our website at [www.stmichaelsbythesea.org](http://www.stmichaelsbythesea.org) (click the Resources tab).*



*Our mission is to be a beacon of God's truth and love  
through the richness of traditional Anglican worship,  
in the equipping of saints to bear witness to Christ wherever they may be,  
and by sharing in Christ's work of reconciliation and healing in the world.*

## CHRISTIAN FORMATION FOR ALL AGES

### SUNDAY

<b>Adult Forum</b>		9:15 am, Ede Hall
Dec. 25	No Adult Forum (Christmas Day)	
Jan. 1	No Adult Forum (New Year's Day)	
Jan. 8	The Baptism of Christ and Christian Baptism – Fr. Kraft	
<b>Children's Nursery</b> (6-weeks to 36-months)		9 am – noon, Boyd Bldg.
<b>Children's Sunday School</b> (3-year-olds to 5 <sup>th</sup> grade)		9:15 am, Boyd Bldg.
<b>Youth Sunday School</b> (Grades 6-12)		9:15 am, Boyd Bldg.

### WEDNESDAY

*Wednesday evening programs begin with Evening Prayer and Mass at 6:15 pm in the chapel  
Childcare is available for children ages 6 weeks through 5<sup>th</sup> grade.*

<b>Catechumenate</b> Next session begins Jan. 25.		7 pm, Library
<b>SOUL Youth Ministry</b> (Grades 6-12)		7 pm, Boyd Bldg.
<b>Bible 101</b> On Christmas hiatus. Class resumes on Jan. 11		7 pm, Ede Hall
<b>Choir Rehearsal</b> Rehearsals resume Jan. 4		7 pm, Choir Loft
<b>Brotherhood of St. Andrew - Study &amp; Prayer</b>		3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, 7 pm, Library

### FRIDAY

<b>First Friday Lunch Bunch &amp; Bible Study</b> (Jan. 6)		1 <sup>st</sup> Friday, 12:30 pm, Ede Hall
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### SATURDAY

<b>Brotherhood of St. Andrew – Service</b>		1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday, 8:45 am
<b>Daughters of the King</b>		2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday, 9 am, Ede Hall

## WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

### Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:30 pm Rite II (chapel)  
Sunday: 8 am Rite I, 10:30 am Rite I (Sung Mass)

### Weekday Masses (Chapel)

Tuesday: 9 am (Rite I)  
Wednesday: 8 am (Rite I), 6:30 pm (Rite II), Compline at 8:30 pm  
Thursday: 9 am (Rite I)  
Friday: 12 noon – A Public Service of Healing (Rite II)

### Daily Office

Morning and Evening Prayer are offered daily at 8:45 am and 5:15 pm,  
or 15 minutes before Mass.

## †CLERGY†

**Priest-in-Charge:** The Rev. Doran Stambaugh SSC

Office: Extension 102

**Curate:** The Rev. Matthew Canter

Office: Extension 107

**Assistant Priest:** The Rev. H. Ivor Kraft

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## MINISTRY & ADMINISTRATION STAFF

Music Director - Susan Lutz

Organist - Dr. Josephine McGrath

Sub Organist - Mary Beth Lutz

Youth Ministers - Mark & Naomi Nielsen      Children's Minister - Maria Mahaffey

Membership Coordinator - Ginny Unanue

Parish Administrator - Diana Bennett      Parish Accountant - Marti Harvey

Administrative Assistant – Linda Mumford

## VESTRY

Sr. Warden – Anthony Vanaria

Jr. Warden – Debra Saenz

Treasurer – Allen Sweet

Clerk – Linda Mumford

### Vestry 2012

Phil Gilbert – Finance

Charles Larson – Prayer and Care

Holly Ordway – Administration

Anthony Vanaria – Vision

Laura Weaver – Fellowship

### Vestry 2013

Roger Bodemer – Christian Formation

Bob Brooks – Property Maintenance

Karen Gleason – Sat. and Sun. Worship

Debra Saenz – Special Projects

### Vestry 2014

Lynn Behymer – Outreach

Adam Belt – Communications

Tom Sowden – Investments/Stewardship

## STANDING NOTICES

### Pastoral Emergencies

Call 760.729.8901, press 1, leave your phone number and an emergency pager will be activated when you hang up.

### Receiving Holy Communion

If you are a baptized Christian and believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If by intinction (dipping), please allow Chalice Bearers to dip the host in the Chalice. Those not receiving Holy Communion are invited to come to the rail, cross their arms, and receive a blessing.

### Holy Communion for Children

The norm in this parish is for all children, Second Grade and up, to attend the First Holy Communion classes with parents during Eastertide, and then be officially admitted to Communion on the Feast of Pentecost. Because of an older tradition that rightly acknowledges that baptized children are full members of the Body of Christ, some children younger than Second Grade are mature enough to receive with an appropriate level of understanding and respect, and may do so at the parents' discretion with the approval of the priest.

### Marriage

A "Requirements for Marriage" booklet is available in the tract racks and on our website. Read the information, fill out the form and send it in to the office, and one of the priests will respond to discuss preparation and arrangements.

### Baptism

Baptisms are primarily held on major feast days throughout the year during the Holy Eucharist. A "Baptism at St. Michael's by-the-Sea" booklet is available in the tract racks and on our website. Parish membership of at least one parent is a prerequisite for the baptism of infants and young children. For more information, contact the parish office.

### Flower & Sanctuary Light Memorials

Envelopes are available in the back of the church and chapel, at the gazebo and in Ede Hall. Please follow the instructions on the envelope and deposit the envelope at the gazebo, or place in the mailbox outside the office door.

### Burial

Burial preparation booklets are available in the tract racks and on our website. Contact the parish office after reading the booklet, and a clergy member will meet with you to discuss arrangements. racks in the Parish Hall, in the office, and on our website.