

2020 ADVENT BIBLE STUDY

Zoom, 10:00 AM, Tuesdays, Nov 10 – Dec 15

Join Zoom Meeting

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Lesson I: Nov 10, What do Episcopalians believe?

Please read the General Thanksgiving from Morning Prayer, Rite I, pgs 58-9, Rite II, pg 101; A Prayer of St. Chrysostom, Rite I, pg 59, Rite II, pg 102, and think about “that we show forth thy praise, not only with your lips, but in our lives.”

Lesson II: Nov 17, How and why do we celebrate Baptisms and Holy Eucharist?

Please read Holy Baptism, pgs 299-308; Catechism, pgs 844-862; Prayers of the People, pgs 383-393.

Lesson III: Nov 24, What about Confirmation, Marriage, Reconciliation, etc.?

Please read James 5:13-16; 1 Cor 12:4-7, 12-27; Mark 10: 35-45; Acts 6:1-7, 15:1-27; 1 Tim 3:8-13, 5:17-22; Titus 1:5-9; For the choice of fit persons for the ministry, pg 256, BCP.

Lesson IV: Dec 1, Do we have daily services and seasonal ones?

Please read pgs 136-140, BCP, Daily Devotions for Individuals and Families; pgs 15-30, BCP, The Calendar of the Church Year.

Lesson V: Dec 8, What is the Triduum and why so many creeds?

Please read Psalm 118; Apostle’s Creed, pg 96, BCP; Nicene Creed, pg 358, BCP; Creed of St. Athanasius, pgs 864-5, BCP.

Lesson VI: Dec 15, Is the Bible important to Episcopalians? What is the polity of the Episcopal/Anglican Church?

Please read Of the Sufficiency of the Holy Scriptures for Salvation, pgs 868-9, BCP; Of the Old Testament, pg 869, BCP; Lambeth Conference of 1888, Resolution 11, pgs 877-8, BCP.

You will need a Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and a Bible for these classes. Email me at andrea.rittenhouse@verizon.net if you plan to attend on Zoom. Let me know if you need a BCP and I’ll get you one and put it on the Vestry table in the Jones Room for you to pick up at your convenience.