

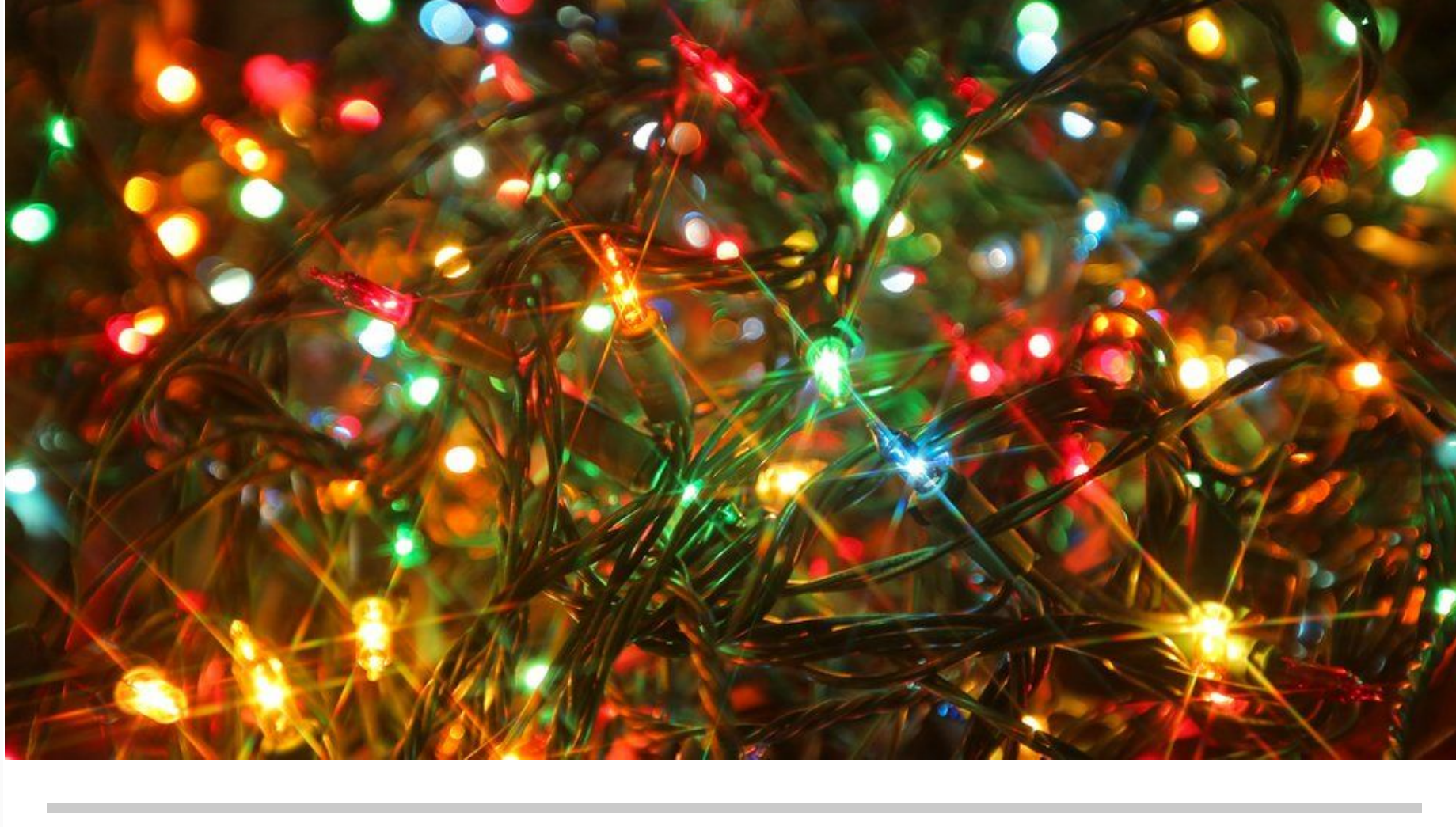
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The Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist

The Rev. David DeSalvo, Priest-in-Charge

Happy New Year!!!



The Second Sunday after Christmas

Sunday Worship Online



9:00 am Morning Prayer

on Zoom

PC/Smartphone/tablet: <https://bit.ly/StJBSundayMorning>

Join by phone: 312-626-6799 or 929-205-6099, Meeting ID: 993 0976 0596, Password: 025189

Guest preacher **The Rev. Willim S. Wade.**

Worship will include "A Sacred Meal for a Dispersed Community" as part of the morning liturgy. Participants are asked to bring bread and wine for the Agape Meal. (See more below.)

(Immediately followed by a Zoom virtual coffee hour)

Note: the Bulletin will be provided on Saturday by email.



Sunday Dec 27 Lectionary Readings

[Jeremiah 31:7-14](#)
[Ephesians 1:3-6,15-19a](#)
[Matthew 2:1-12](#)
[Psalm 84 or 84:1-8](#)

Announcements

- **Morning Prayer:** Sunday, Jan 3 at 9:00 am on Zoom with Agape Meal. **Guest preacher The Rev. William S. Wade.** Followed by Zoom Coffee Hour. *See more about this below.*
- **Bible Study:** Wednesday, Jan 6 at Noon on Zoom. Scripture: 1 John 2:18-3:24. Theme: **Children of God.** Contact Fr. Dave to join the Zoom invite.
- **Study Group:** A *Sacred Ground* study group "circle" has been formed at StJB. The first of ten bi-weekly meetings will be Jan 12 at 7:00 pm on Zoom. Members of the circle will give reports from time to time.
- **Annual Report:** For the Annual Meeting and Parochial Reports, the following reports are due in the next two weeks: Wardens, Priest-In-Charge, Vestry, Treasurer, Children's Education, Organist, DOK, EpiscoGolf, Safe Church (including Covid Safety), Lakes Region Convocation, Bread Ministry, Altar Guild. Please send to Ann Elkins.
- **Save the date: Parish Annual Meeting - Sunday, Jan 24.**



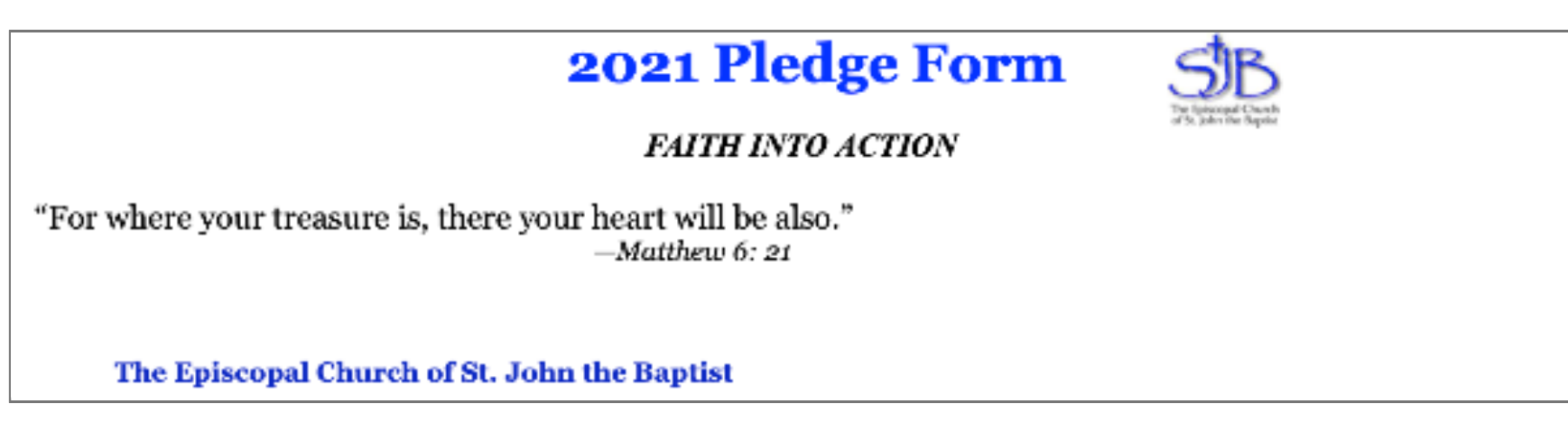
Father Dave's Office Hours

Wednesday, Dec 23 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
 On Zoom: <https://bit.ly/StJBOfficeHours>
 or call Fr. Dave at 302.824.6272

Emergencies, please call Fr. Dave at 302.824.6272

Annual Pledge

**The Church is not the building.
 The Church is the people.**



Thanks to all for sending in your pledge cards and for continuing to support the Building Campaign. We plan to report on progress at the Annual Meeting.

If you have not yet pledged, to see us continue to grow and serve the community, please *click on the form above* or [click here](#) to download a 2021 Pledge Form, print it, complete it and mail it in. Or if you prefer to pledge online, send an email with your pledge information to the church at stjohntb@gmail.com.

From Father Dave

In this world of online, email and video connections, Fr. Dave is busy! If you have not yet seen his messages...



Visit our website's "Church Online" page:
<https://www.stjohntb.org/church-online>
 for pastoral letters, videos and prayers.



Jackie Keating	January 2
Al Poulin	January 2
Pam Tyler	January 2
Vivian Moberg	January 10
Mim Drugg	January 10
Margie O'Kane	January 13
Geneva Clifford	January 13
Christine Koellmer	January 14
Novella Dionne	January 18

Jeff & Christine Koellmer, Jan 18



Prayer List: Elijah, Jack, Claire, Joanne L., Tim, Sean, Jenifer and family, Paul, Joanna, Nathan, Fran, Maria, Dan, the Walker family, Joe and Carol, Sue A. & Jim, Anne, Barry, Marge, Harry, Thomas, Sebrina and Tyler, Diane, Pat F., Hazel, John, Tess, Jeffrey, Michele, Peggy Sue, Martha, Deidre, Marshall and Victoria, Caroline, Julie, Harrison, Paula, Olara, John, Glenda, Tyler, Roberto and family, Meg, Joanne, Martin and family, Tony S., Pamela, Earl, Michael, Galen, Dennis, Evan, Sharon, Ed, Amos and Jan, Steve, Martha C., Dick, Jerry, Brian, Hap, Ken, Tara, Sydney, Murphy, Kathy, Alex, Autumn, Oftin, Bobby's family, Julie, Mary's friends who had to evacuate in Oregon, Kirt and his family, the Froehling family, Ruth, Richard and Lisa, Connie, Meagan, Sai, Mickey, Dave T., Pam D., John, Rick and Nancy, Johnny, Stacey, the Synan/Daniell family, Brian, the family of Marge Walkden, especially Carol and John and Sharon, Joan, for Rhonda and the family of her cousin, for Susan's family, especially Martha and Jane, for Marshall's family, especially Victoria and Dale, Donny's family, Harry's family, Steve, Patty, Jim, Mary Beth's family and the Tylers.

Military Prayer List: Jeremy, Colton, Kevin, David, Maxwell, Martin, Tyler, Alex.



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