

Week of Fourth Sunday in Advent

Monday, December 21, 2026 · Advent · 2026–2027 Church Year · Three-Year Series B

Appointed Readings

First Reading: 2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16

Psalms: Psalm 89:1-5 (19-29) (antiphon: v. 8)

Epistle: Romans 16:25-27

Gospel: Luke 1:26-38

Hymn of the Day

LSB 357 — O come, O come, Emmanuel

Daily Lectionary

Old Testament: Isaiah 42:1-25 · **New Testament:** Revelation 9:1-12

Also Commemorated: St. Thomas, Apostle

O ALMIGHTY God, Whom to know is everlasting life: Grant us perfectly to know Thy Son Jesus Christ to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life; that following His steps we may steadfastly walk in the way that leadeth to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.

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