

## Weekend Service Schedule

**Saturday, 5:00 PM**

**Holy Communion Service**

This service is a great option when Sundays are too busy! The priest announces page numbers, etc. making this a great way to become familiar with the Episcopal order of service.

**Sunday, 8:30 AM**

**Holy Communion Service with Organ and Choir;  
nursery available**

This service allows worshippers to experience the tradition of the rich history of the Episcopal Church. The music is a mix of traditional and well-tempered contemporary styles, with organ and full choir.

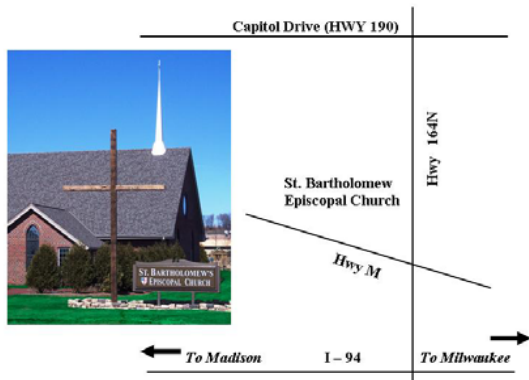
**9:45 AM Children's and Adult  
Christian Education &  
Hospitality**

**Sunday, 11:00 AM**

**Holy Communion Service with Praise Band,  
nursery available**

This service is contemporary in format, presentation and selection of music while still remaining true to the Episcopal tradition. The text and songs are projected on a large screen and music is accompanied by a multi-instrumental Praise Band.

*Directions: One mile South of Capitol  
Drive on Hwy 164N ;  
1.5 miles North of I-94*



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## Advent & Christmas Special Events

Advent is a period of preparation for the birth of our Lord. Advent begins four Sundays before Christmas and is the start of the Christmas season, which lasts through the Baptism of Our Lord. Advent is a time of joyous anticipation, but also of penance and preparation for the great Christmas feast. An Advent brochure "Suggested Readings and Prayers for the Home" is available at the church as an aid in this season of preparation and anticipation.

### Advent Lessons & Carols Sunday, December 6 4:00 PM

A festive service anticipating the coming of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ into this world. The service is followed by a time of fun and hospitality with a visit by St. Nicholas. Child care available upon advanced request.

### Advent Series: Mondays, Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14, 21 6:30 PM

Have you ever wondered about passages like the one from John 6:14, where it says: When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world?" This Advent, Fr. Tom will lead a 4-part series on "A Christian look at Old Testament prophecy and the coming of the Messiah." This program will also incorporate references to how these prophecies were used to help inform the text of Handel's "Messiah." This classic and favorite piece will once again be performed by the Milwaukee Symphony Chorus later in the month of December. If you're not sure but curious about this study, look up Deuteronomy 18:15-19a and see if you find some interesting parallels to John 6:14. During Lent 2010 a second part will be offered as a follow-up to this series, looking at Old Testament prophecy and the idea of the "Suffering Servant."

### Advent of Hope: Honoring the Past While Living in the Present Wednesday, December 16 6:00 PM

A Healing Service will be followed by an interactive presentation "Advent of Hope: Honoring the Past While Living in the Present" given by our Parish Nurse, Mary Mauer. A hospitality time follows the program.

### Family Movie Event Saturday, Dec. 12 3:00 PM

Join us as we watch "A Charlie Brown Christmas" and enjoy cookies, cider, etc.

### Children's Pageant: Sunday, December 20th 4:30 PM

Join us for an original production, "Mary Remembers". This will be performed by children of the parish. The pageant will be followed by a potluck dinner in the parish hall. Invite family, friends and neighbors.

## Join Us!

### Celebrate the Season at St. Bartholomew

#### Thanksgiving Eve Service

Wednesday, November 25, 2009— 7:00 PM

Holy Communion Service

#### Christmas Eve

Thursday, December 24, 2009

4:30 PM

Holy Communion Service with Praise Band,  
4:00 PM Prelude music, child care will be provided

7:00 PM

Holy Communion Service with Christmas Carols

11:00 PM

Holy Communion Service,  
Incense, Choir & Christmas Carols

#### Christmas Day

Friday, December 25, 2009

10:00 AM

Traditional Holy Communion with Christmas Carols  
This service is followed by our annual  
**Emergency Service Workers Dinner**  
(see more info. in the right side panel)

#### Epiphany

Wednesday, January 6, 2010

6:00 PM Holy Communion Service with Reception  
following the service

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## Epiphany Series

**Mondays, Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1 6:30 PM** A DEAD SEA SCROLLS EXHIBIT IS COMING TO MILWAUKEE and we want to be there. The Dead Sea Scrolls and the Bible: Ancient Artifacts, Timeless Treasures will open at the Milwaukee Public Museum on January 22, 2010 for a limited engagement. In recent years the popular press has provided many accounts of the Dead Sea Scrolls and the controversy surrounding their discovery and publication. Sensational accusations of deception and suppression, and even competing claims made by respectable scholars, have both excited and confused the public. Yet the diverse and complex nature of the evidence has sometimes made it difficult for sincere, open-minded readers to get to the heart of the issue. To help address some of these issues, St. Bartholomew will offer a four part series, facilitated by Fr. Tom, utilizing video, photographs and historical material. An optional group tour, to see the exhibit, will also be offered as a part of this program.

### Special Mission and Outreach Opportunities

**5th Annual Mitten Tree:** The ECW will once again be collecting mittens, hats, scarves to be distributed at Pewaukee/Waukesha area food pantries and soup kitchens. Items will be collected throughout November.

**Emergency Service Workers Dinner: Friday December 25 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM** Dinner for emergency workers in Pewaukee and surrounding communities and all those who would like to share a Christmas meal in fellowship with others. Watch for sign-up sheets on how you can help!

**St. Bartholomew's SCRIP Program** is a great way to get your holiday shopping done AND help fund our Mission and Outreach programs. Make a list of where you want to shop, check the "master book" and see if that store is listed, purchase a gift card to use to shop at that store or give the card as a gift. The master book and order forms are located in the Parish Hall near the Communication Center. If you have questions, please contact the parish office.

**Information regarding other seasonal outreach ministries will be published throughout Advent.**