

Advent 1, Year C  
December 1, 2024 9:00am  
Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
Emmanuel Episcopal Church

**\*\*Music today from the 1982 Hymnal.\*\***

**Prelude:** *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* arranged by Leo Sowerby;  
Tom Collins, Organ

**Call to Worship:** *Church Bells will ring*

*(all stand, as are able, and remain standing until the Collect)*

**Lighting of the Advent Wreath**

*(Members of the congregation will come forward and light the candles of the wreath appropriate to the day.)*

**Processional Hymn:** #56 *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* (verses TBA)

**Opening Acclamation** *(All stand as are able)*

Presider: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**People:** ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

Presider: Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Presider: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith:

Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

## Kyrie # S 91

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.  
Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Music: From *Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena*, Healey Willan (1880-1968). By permission of Oxford University Press.

## The Collect of the Day (Advent 1, year C)

Presider: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with thy spirit.**

Presider: Let us pray.

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## Listening to the Word of God

### First Lesson: Jeremiah 33:14-16

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

*After the reading, the Lector will say:* The Word of the Lord.

***People: Thanks be to God.***

### Psalm appointed for the day: Psalm 25:1-9

- 1 To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul;  
my God, I put my trust in you; \*  
let me not be humiliated,  
nor let my enemies triumph over me.
- 2 Let none who look to you be put to shame; \*  
let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.
- 3 Show me your ways, O LORD, \*  
and teach me your paths.
- 4 Lead me in your truth and teach me, \*  
for you are the God of my salvation;  
in you have I trusted all the day long.
- 5 Remember, O LORD, your compassion and love, \*  
for they are from everlasting.

6 Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; \*  
remember me according to your love  
and for the sake of your goodness, O LORD.

7 Gracious and upright is the LORD; \*  
therefore he teaches sinners in his way.

8 He guides the humble in doing right \*  
and teaches his way to the lowly.

9 All the paths of the LORD are love and faithfulness \*  
to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

### The Second Lesson from the New Testament: 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith.

Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

*After the reading, the Lector will say:*           The Word of the Lord.

*People:*           ***Thanks be to God.***

Gradual Hymn: #66 *Come, Thou long-expected Jesus* (verses 1, 3)

Gospel: **Luke 21:25-36** (*All stand as are able*)

*Celebrant:* The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People:*       ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

Jesus said, "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

Then he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

"Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

*Presider:* The Gospel of the Lord.

**People:** ***Praise be to Thee, O Christ.***

**Sermon** *(All are seated)*

Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, O.P.

**Special Music (Solo):** *We Shall Behold Him* by Dottie Rambo; Jacob Yancy-Pewitt, Soloist

**The Nicene Creed** *(All stand as are able)*

***We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.***

***We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.***

***Through him all things were made.***

***For us and for our salvation***

***he came down from heaven:***

***by the power of the Holy Spirit***

***he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.***

***For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;***

***he suffered death and was buried.***

***On the third day he rose again***

***in accordance with the Scriptures;***

***he ascended into heaven***

***and is seated at the right hand of the Father.***

***He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.***

***We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.***

***With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.***

***He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.***

**Prayers of the People** *(All kneel as able)*

Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

*A brief silence is kept*

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all people: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers; especially Sean Rowe our Presiding Bishop, Diana Akiyama our Bishop, and for Patti Hale our priest; that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land especially Joe our President, Donald our President-Elect, Kate our Governor, Boomer our State Representative,



Dick our State Senator, Val our House Representative, Drew, John & Melissa our County Commissioners, Jessica and Joe our Mayors that they all may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

We beseech thee for the members of the armed services at home or abroad and for all first responders of law enforcement and fire service. Grant safety and courage for all those who put their lives at risk every day for the common good, and give peace to their families.

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor all those who in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. We remember especially those who have asked for our prayers: Carol & Ron, Brian & Ingrid Sullivan, Hayden Reeves, The Nasburg Family, Michael Stewart, Betty Carroll, Celeste & Steve Tyson, Judy, Ginna, Jeff Clark, Chase, Jim, Wayne, Trish, Wayne Murray & Family, Tom Collins, Maylee Brock, Amy Grile, Gene, Loanne Lark, Carol-lee, Wendy, Larry & Terri K.

We remember before you all those who are close to our hearts, either silently or aloud, as we are led..... *(long pause)*

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear; beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. **Amen.**

**Prayer of Confession and the Absolution** *(All kneel as are able)*

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

**Almighty God,**

**Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,**

**maker of all things, judge of all men:**

**We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins**

**and wickedness,**

**which we from time to time most grievously have committed,**

**by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty,**

**provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us.**

**We do earnestly repent,**

**and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;**

**the remembrance of them is grievous unto us,**

**the burden of them is intolerable.**

**Have mercy upon us,**

**have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;**

**for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,**

**forgive us all that is past;**

**and grant that we may ever hereafter**

**serve and please thee in newness of life,**

**to the honor and glory of thy Name;**

**through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The Presider alone stands and offers the absolution*

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The Presider then says the following verses of assurance:*

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him:

*“For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”* Romans 6:22-23

## The Peace

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: ***And with thy spirit.***

## Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Hymn: #73 *The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns* (vrs 1-3, 5)

The Great Thanksgiving     *All stand as are able*

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: ***And with thy spirit.***

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: ***We lift up unto the Lord.***

Presider: Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

People: ***It is meet and right so to do.***

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Because thou didst send thy beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

***Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:  
Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.***

*(The people kneel or stand as they prefer)*

All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks, he brake it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." +

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of this; for this is my Blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me." +

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, according to the institution of thy dearly beloved Son our Savior Jesus Christ, we, thy humble servants, do celebrate and make here before thy divine Majesty, with these thy holy gifts, which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; rendering unto thee most hearty thanks for the innumerable benefits procured unto us by the same.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us; and, of thy almighty goodness, vouchsafe to bless and sanctify, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, these thy gifts and creatures of bread and wine; that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; most humbly beseeching thee to grant that, by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we, and all thy whole Church, may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee; humbly beseeching thee that we, and all others who shall be partakers of this Holy Communion, may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy

Son Jesus Christ, be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

And although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins, to offer unto thee any sacrifice, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **AMEN.**

### The Lord's Prayer

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:  
***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.***

### The Breaking of the Bread

*A period of silence is kept*

### Fraction Anthem

Presider: Alleluia. Christ, our Passover, is sacrificed for us.

**People: *Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.***

*A brief silence is kept*

*The Prayer of Humble Access is prayed in unison*

***We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.***

*Invitation:* “Behold the Lamb of God. Behold him who takes away the sins of the world.” (*John 1:29b*) These are the gifts of God, for you, the people of God.

*(All baptized Christians of any denomination and including children are welcome to come forward and receive the Eucharist. We receive the host (wafer) in the hand and we sip from the Chalice. If you cannot sip from the common cup, hand the host (wafer) to the server who will dip the wafer into the wine and hand it back to you. Please receive it with your fingers and consume it right away. If you are not yet baptized, please come forward anyway and receive a blessing. If you desire to receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest to indicate it to the priest.)*

**Music During Communion:** #59 Hark! A Thrilling Voice is Sounding

**Post-Communion Prayer:**

*Presider:* Let us pray together.

***Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom.***





Chris Hewitson, Lucious and Sarah, Michael, Lois, Eddie, Mark Archer, The Davenport Family, Lance & His Family, Carma & Bill, Nick & Megan, Elizabeth R., Abby, Mike and Dawn Crow, Virginia & Larry O'Neal, Caroline Stewart, The Potmesil Family, Jeff Hines, David B., Matt, Ryan, Cindy, Tina Jones, Mark and Judy Jennings, Tim, Heather Baird & Family, Carol & Ron, Brian & Ingrid Sullivan, Hayden Reeves, The Nasburg Family, Michael Stewart, Betty Carroll, Celeste & Steve Tyson, Judy, Ginna, Jeff Clark, Chase, Jim, Wayne, Trish, Wayne Murray & Family, Tom Collins, Maylee Brock, Amy Grile, Gene, Loanne Lark, Carol-lee, Wendy, Larry & Terri K.

### EVENTS this week:

- Wednesday, November 27 – Tuesday, December 3: The parish office will be closed as Kerri will have family in town for Thanksgiving.
- Coos Food Cupboard M-W-F 12:00pm-2:00pm, **Closed for Thanksgiving**
- Tuesday, December 3, 11:00am-3:00pm, P.E.O. Meeting
- **NO MORNING PRAYER services until 1/8/2025.**
- Wednesday, 2:00pm, Emmanuel Choir Rehearsals
- Thursday, December 5, 6:00pm, Contemporary Choir Rehearsal
- Saturday, December 7, 5:00pm, Holy Eucharist at St. Mary in Gardiner.

### Server's This Sunday 12/1/24: Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:00am Lector: Jeff McKeown LEM/Intercessor: Dave Kronsteiner  
Music Director/Organist: Tom Collins  
Audio/Visual: Sr. Amy Linder, OP and Nancy Layne  
Ushers: Brian Sullivan, Jay Davidson, Mark Jennings  
Presider: Sr. Amy Linder, OP  
Priest: Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, OPA  
Coffee Hour: Cindy Harper and Carla Courtney  
Counters: Jay Davidson, Jill Davidson  
Altar Guild #4: Janet Huggins, Barbara Tellian, Ingrid Sullivan,  
Loanne Lark

## Server's Next Sunday 12/8/24: Choral Eucharist, Rite II

9:00am Lector: Nat Jaeggli LEM/Intercessor: Terrye Laird

Music Director/Organist: Tom Collins

Contemporary Choir: Neville Cordell, Pam Chaney, Nancy Clarke,  
Kerry Oxford, Mark Jennings, Al Rumsch, Jennifer Ortega

Audio/Visual: Sr. Amy Linder, OP and Nancy Layne

Ushers: Brian Sullivan, Jay Davidson, Mark Jennings

Priest: Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, OPA

Coffee Hour:

Counters: Jay Davidson, Jill Davidson

Altar Guild #1: Sue Wall, Dedee Ousley, Diana Wall

## Announcements

### **Pledge cards**

If you haven't returned your 2025 pledge card, please do so before Friday, December 13, so a budget draft can be presented to our Vestry at their December meeting and important decisions made. If you need a pledge card sent to you, please let Kerri in the parish office know. Pledge cards can also be picked up in the parish office or the church entryway. Thank you for your support!

### **Christmas Poinsettias**

If you would like to make an offering toward the poinsettias that decorate our church at Christmas time in memory of or thanksgiving for a loved one, please contact the church office, and your remembrance will be included in the Christmas bulletins. [Administrator@episcopalcoosbay.org](mailto:Administrator@episcopalcoosbay.org) or 541-269-5829.

## A Call for Help & Sponsorship...

# HRACC: Celebration of Life

Saturday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024

### *Transforming the traditional Homeless Persons' Memorial*

An annual event on the longest night of the year, to recognize those who died unnecessarily as a consequence of homelessness. We welcome all community members to join together celebrating in dignity: with food, art and unity.

### Schedule of Activities & Creative Opportunities:

- ★ **11:30 am:** FREE breakfast at Coos Bay Fire Station(CBFS):
  - Dignity Arch Art creation and Raffle Drawings.
- ★ **1 - 4 pm:** Enjoy snacks, warm drinks & the arts at local Venues:
  - Coos Head Food CoOp (Open Art Studio),
  - So It Goes (Open Mic),
  - Time Bomb (Live music),
  - Front St. Bike Shop (Mini horse & art bike rides, raffle),
  - Egyptian Theater: Human rights film & resource tables,
  - Chalk Labyrinth at Gazebo in Mingus Park.
- ★ **6 - 8 pm** Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 400 Highland Ave, CB:
  - **6 - 7:15 pm:** FREE Dinner & Raffle Drawings.
  - **6:45 pm:** Lilah Bidwell Human Dignity Award.
  - **7:15 pm:** Dignity Arch Candlelight Memorial (outside).
  - **4 - 7 pm:** The HRACC SunStore will be a place to redistribute community donations and services to all participants.

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### For more information contact:

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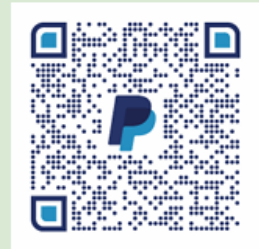
**SunStore & Online Auction**  
Camping supplies, batteries, warm clothing, socks & shoes, feminine hygiene items, raingear, hand warmers, mittens, hats, propane tanks, gift cards from a store of your choice (\$10 - \$50).

### **FIVE WAYS TO GIVE...**

#### **1. Donate items:**

CBFS (12/18-12/21)  
Community Drop Boxes (TBD)

#### **2. SCAN HERE:**




#### **3. Mail check made to HRACC:**

a 501-(c)3 Non-profit org. to  
POB 1501, Coos Bay, 97420

#### **4. Help with Online Auction:**

November 29th - December 15th

#### **5. Volunteer today!!**

 Contact us today.

### **Vestry**

Nancylee Stewart, *Sr. Warden*.....Al Rumsch, *Jr. Warden*  
Jennifer Hope .....Jason Davidson  
Beth Bennison.....Chuck Wall  
Terrye Laird.....Dave Kronsteiner.....Pam Chaney  
Diana Wall, Clerk   Bob Huggins, Treasurer

### **Parish Staff**

Kerri Coldren, Administrator  
Grant Cable, Sexton  
Tom Collins, Music Director  
The Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, OPA, Rector

### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon - Fri. 9:00AM to 5:00 PM\*\*

Phone: 541-269-5829 Email: [Administrator@episcopalcoosbay.org](mailto:Administrator@episcopalcoosbay.org)

### **Rector's Office Hours**

Tues, Wed, Fri 9:00am-Noon

Available at other times by appointment.

Cell Phone/text (541) 654-3758 Email: [rev.patti.hale@gmail.com](mailto:rev.patti.hale@gmail.com)

### **Useful Websites**

Emmanuel Parish: [www.episcopalcoosbay.org](http://www.episcopalcoosbay.org)

The Episcopal Church: [www.episcopalchurch.org](http://www.episcopalchurch.org)

The Lectionary Page: [www.lectionarypage.net](http://www.lectionarypage.net)

Forward Movement: [www.forwardmovement.org](http://www.forwardmovement.org)

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