

# Christmas

AT ST. PAUL'S

Pray & Prepare

## PREPARE:

Advent Retreat – Saturday, December 3, 9:30 - 11:30 am

Explore the richness of the season with guided reflection, group discussion, and solo time on the church grounds

Advent Forum – Sunday, December 4, 10:10 am

Join Fr. Daniel and a panel of lay presenters for an “Advent Explainer.” Meet in the St. Hilda Room and learn new things about a familiar season

## GATHER:

Music & Merriment– December 2, 6:30pm

Gather in the church for festive organ music before heading over to the lighting of the tree on the Green, then come back for cider and a bonfire

Sunday Organ Recitals - Sundays at 4:00 pm

Experience the sounds of the season with weekly organ recitals featuring special guest musicians

## WORSHIP:

Weekday Daily Prayer

Join for prayer and meditation on Facebook or Zoom during the week (see website for schedule)

Compline By Candlelight – Sundays 9:00 pm

End and begin the week immersed in the chanted prayers of the church, onsite and online

Advent Lessons & Carols – December 11:00, 5:00 pm

Readings, carols, and anthems expressing the wonder and hope of Advent

Light in the Darkness – December 20, 6:00 pm

a service of prayer and healing for those struggling at this time of year

Christmas Eve – December 24

- 3:00 pm – Children and Families celebration
- 6:00 pm – Festive Eucharist with Choristers (5:45pm Prelude)
- 10:00 pm – Festive Eucharist with Adult Choir (9:30pm Prelude)

Christmas Day – December 25, 11:00 am

Traditional festive liturgy of lessons, carols, and Holy Eucharist

## GIVE:

Support Person-2-Person

Help Person -2-Person gather diapers to fill their non-food pantry

## REFLECT:

Burning Bowl – December 31, 6:00 pm

A popular year-end ritual to carry forward what we need and release what we don't