



FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 20

We Light the Candle of Love

10 AM Family Worship
Annual Christmas Pageant
by the Church School

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Sunday, December 20
2PM—5PM



Gather in Chapin Hall
Bring the joy of song to homebound friends and neighbors. Return for cocoa, cookies, and fellowship.



AN ADVENT ORIGAMI EVENT

Help us fold Origami Stars to decorate the sanctuary

Workshop: Sunday, December 6
11:30—12:30 PM Fiorilli Room
Or pick up directions to make at home.



CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

Thursday
December 24

We light the Christ Candle

Two opportunities:

5 PM A Family Service

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11 PM A Candlelight Service
with story, song, and the
Sacrament of Holy Communion



CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

Friday
Dec. 25

9 AM —Chapel
Celebrate the miracle of love



1st Sunday after Christmas

December 27 10 AM Worship
A Carol-Sing Service



New Year's Sunday

January 3 10 AM Worship
A New Year's Revelation ~ Communion



Epiphany Sunday

January 10 10 AM Worship
A Star Gift Service—gifts for everyone!

COME JOIN US !

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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

November 29

We Light the Candle of Hope

10 AM Worship
Text: Luke 21: 25-36
Sermon: Raise your Heads!
Donna Manocchio preaching



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 6

We Light the Candle of Peace

10 AM Worship with Communion
Text: Luke 3:1-6
Sermon: Open your ears!
Barbara Libby preaching



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 13

We Light the Candle of Joy

10 AM Worship
Text: Luke 1:39-45
Sermon: Leap for Joy!
Donna Manocchio preaching
American Sign Language Interpreted Service

ADVENT GATHERING

November 29
5-7PM

Chapin Hall
All church event ...
Bring food to share
and come to enjoy preparing
for the season...



LESSONS AND CAROLS SERVICE

December 6
4 PM—Sanctuary
Traditional service of
scripture and song.
A Holiday Reception will follow
(Snow date: Dec. 13)



COOKIE WALK

December 13
After worship - Chapin Hall

To support the
Music Program
(Snow Date: Dec. 20)



ECUMENICAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Wednesday, December 2
5:30—9 PM

St. Elizabeth Seton RC Church



Advance registration
required and available in
Chapin Hall



SERVICE OF REFLECTION AND HEALING

Saturday, December 12
5 PM - Chapel

A time for comfort, community,
healing, and hope...

MEDITATION & QUIET TIME

Wednesdays—December 2, 9, & 16
9 am—11 am 6:30—8pm in the Chapel

Are you seeking "time away" during a busy,
sometimes hectic season? Drop-in for awhile...
Come to sit, to pray, to wait, to listen, or to
reflect... Come make an origami star...
Resources will be available.



WAYS YOU CAN GIVE TO OTHERS THIS ADVENT...

- Annual Toy Collection for the children of Niantic Prison Women - Bring unwrapped toys for infants thru teens
December 13
- Food collection and Baby Items - Bring non-perishable food items and baby essentials to the manger
December 20
- Warm Heart Tree—Bring hats, gloves, mittens, scarves to warm those in need
Throughout December and Janu-