

Advent Calendar

Take a line from God's Word from the Sunday readings, pray with it on Sunday and act out the Word daily in your own life during the following week.

1st Sun of Advent	***'God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.'***
Nov 30th Mon:	Notice God's goodness in people and give thanks for them;
Dec 1st Tue:	Pray for those who cannot see their own beauty and gifts;
Dec 2nd Wed:	Give time today to someone who is alone or sad;
Dec 3rd Thu:	Fast today in solidarity with those who hunger;
Dec 4th Fri:	Ask for the gift of hope, for yourself and for others;
Dec 5th Sat:	Let go of imperfections and rejoice in God's creation all around you.

2nd Sun of Advent	***'Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help'.***
Dec 7th Mon: `	Notice acts of mercy and compassion done by others today;
Dec 8th Tue:	Pray with Mary today – let her share her joy and hope with you;
Dec 9th Wed:	Pray for those whose path in life is difficult;
Dec 10th Thu:	Notice how the Lord walks with you every step of this day;
Dec 11th Fri:	Prepare your heart for Christ's coming – take time for prayer;
Dec 12th Sat:	Give thanks for all the opportunities this day offers you to love others.

3rd Sun of Advent	***'My soul rejoices in my God.'***
Dec 14th Mon:	Give thanks for what makes your heart rejoice;
Dec 15th Tue:	Notice where you lack joy – ask in prayer for the gift of joy;
Dec 16th Wed:	Give thanks for God's faithfulness to you;
Dec 17th Thu:	Pray for all who are downhearted and depressed;
Dec 18th Fri:	Prepare a space to connect with those you couldn't meet this year;
Dec 19th Sat:	Be conscious today of the Lord for whom you are waiting….open your heart.

4th Sun of Advent	***I will sing forever of your love, O Lord'***
Dec 21st Mon:	Give thanks for the love you have known in your life;
Dec 22nd Tue:	Be the Lord's hands and feet for someone this day;
Dec 23rd Wed:	Watch and wait today, and notice God's goodness all around you;
Dec 24th Thurs:	Pray for peace in all families, for all communities, for all nations;
Dec 25th Fri:	Christmas Day - Emmanuel, God-with-us;
	Know that God is with you in each moment of every day.