

WEEK 2
4th December

Advent Noticeboard



Advent Calendars

CAFOD sign-up for daily reflections <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Advent-calendar>

For Adults: <https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/advent/calendars/advent-calendar-for-adults/>

For Children: <https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/advent/calendars/childrens-advent-calendar/>

Responding to the Call of Creation Advent Calendar:

<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Handlers/Download.ashx?IDMF=8e3063ed-f828-48a6-b04c-75b0370dd02e>

An alternative, ecumenical, international, multi-lingual environmental calendar:

<https://www.ecocongregationscotland.org/advent-calendar-2022/>

Resources for Young People & Families

Advent Family Prayer Resources <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Prayer-resources/Advent-family-prayer-ideas>

The Returning: A video musical reflection on preparing for Jesus' coming in glory. Teens+
<https://youtu.be/PghiE1FcK6M>

Nursery Rhyme Nativity slides with music: <https://youtu.be/ZoBTkKDiA6E>

The Advent Feast – a celebration for families and friends

<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Handlers/Download.ashx?IDMF=07588610-3d91-44b0-b7f6-683eef89b248>

Christmas resources from the Bible Society:

<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/resources/collections/christmas-resources/>

Advent Retreat for Young People in School Years 10-13 at Walsingham House, Abbotswick

10-11th December: <https://bcys.net/events/advent2022/>

Free Jesse Tree Booklet for Families

<http://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/departments/marriage-family-life/family-life/>



The Advent Wreath

<https://jesuitinstitute.org/Pages/Liturgy/Advent.htm>

The Second Week of Advent

Love – 'Agape'

<https://youtu.be/slyevQ1LW7A>

The Jesse Tree – its ornaments tell the story of God in the Old Testament

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/advent/the-jesse-tree/the-jesse-tree-for-the-second-week-of-advent/>

Art & Faith – Video commentary of a work of art inspired by the Sunday Scriptures

<https://www.ignatianspirituality.com/arts-faith-advent-second-sunday-imaginative-prayer-exercise/>

Advent Faith Conversations Week 2

https://www.dmdiocese.org/filesimages/Catechetical%20Services/Advent%202022%20Family%20Resources/Wk%202%20-%20Advent%20Faith%20Conversations_.pdf

**Second Sunday of Advent, Year A
Responsorial Psalm**

<https://www.cjmmusic.com/psalms/advent-christmas/2nd-sunday-of-advent-year-a-2/>

Prayers & Reflections

Advent Readings by Fr A Graffy

<https://www.whatgoodnews.org/advent-readings>

Bishop Barron on the Spirituality of Advent:

<https://youtu.be/MAWnDA5cWD8>

GoHealth Waiting Well Advent Journey

<https://gohealth.org.uk/ww2022/>

A short reflection on the coming Of Christ

https://youtu.be/u65m_-LLfs

Listen to St Matthew's Gospel:

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/the-gospel-according-to-st-matthew/>

CAFOD's Advent Prayers:

<https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Advent-prayers>

Charitable Appeals

Reverse advent calendar to collect and donate items to local charities

<https://www.caritasbrentwood.org/news/advent-resources/>

Brentwood Catholic Children's Society:

<https://www.bccs.org.uk/christmas/>

Support for the People of Ukraine

<https://www.caritasbrentwood.org/ukraine/>

Mary's Meals

<https://bigfamilychristmas.marysmeals.org.uk/big-family-christmas-table/>

The Passage to ending homelessness –

Big Give Christmas Challenge

<https://passage.org.uk/>

For fundraising ideas:

<https://cafod.org.uk/Fundraise/Parish-fundraisin>

"Mark the season of Advent by loving and serving others with God's own love and concern."

– Saint Mother Teresa of Calcutta

