

CELEBRATE THE Season

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2019

Gathering begins at 6:00 pm
Prayer & lighting of candles at 6:30 pm
Hors d'oeuvres, dessert, wine & coffee
Cost \$15 / person or \$105 / table

TICKET SALES DATES

NOVEMBER 16-17 & 23-24

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Instructions for Hosting Celebrate the Season

- All tables are 60" round and seat eight. They will be covered with a white table cloth which you can cover with placemats, runner, or other cloth.
- You are responsible for decorating your table. We ask you to be mindful of the Advent season. Your decor should include a candle, which we will light during opening prayer. Do not light any candles before prayer. No electrical outlets will be provided.
- In order to set your table you will need dinner or large salad plates, forks, spoons, knives, water glass, coffee cup, wine glass, and napkins. All food will be served on disposable clear plates so your plates remain clean and can still be seen.
- Coffee, wine, cream, sugar, water, ice and a light supper will be provided.
- You may set up your table any time between 9 am and 12 noon on December 14.
- Hosts are not required to fill their table. If you like to decorate, but prefer we fill the table for you, we will be happy to take care of that.
- Hosts reserving seats at their table must have a list of their guests and pay for them by December 7th.
- Tickets cost \$15. Hosts receive one free ticket. If a table has two hosts we ask you to split the cost of one ticket.
- Please do not give gifts to your guests. It makes it awkward when all tables are not doing this. We want everyone to feel welcomed and special.
- Although there will be a clean-up crew, please assist with clean
 -up at the close of the evening. We ask that you take all of your
 serving pieces and place settings home to wash them.
- This is an adult-oriented evening. There are no activities or child care provided for young children. Parents can make a determination if their teen-aged children would enjoy an evening of prayer, conversation, hor d'oeuvres and wine. (Wine will not be served to anyone under 21.)