

Love First

Advent Calendar

Where do you see small glimmers of hope right now?

1

Do something kind for someone.

2

Make a list of your 10 favorite things from 2025.

3

Write a letter to someone who has carried hope for you when you had none.



Donate toys or clothes to a local charity or shelter.

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Describe a promise you wish to make to yourself this season.

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What promise do you want to make to yourself this season?

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What story of hope from your past wants to be remembered today?

Spend the day showing gratitude for the things you have.

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How might you turn to wonder today?

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How does giving create ripples of hope?

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What steals your peace? What restores it?

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Write a compassionate letter to yourself.



What emerges in you when you are truly still?

15

Gather three small objects that represent resilience. Create a hope shelf.

19

Go for a walk or drive to enjoy the Christmas lights.

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Is someone you know experiencing a time of darkness? How might you share God's light with them?

Take a photo with the theme "marvel" and share it!

16

Share a tiny brave moment.

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What new beginning is quietly forming for you in the year ahead?

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Snuggle up with a cup of coffee or hot cocoa. Be still.

25

Attend a Christmas Eve Candle Light service.

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Sing or listen to Christmas carols.

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Journey with us this Advent Season at Love First

Every Advent, we light candles, sing carols, and pray for Christ's coming because we believe God entered a frightened world to bring good news. This season, let us insist on hope and trust that good news is greater than fear.



**Sunday
November
30th**

1st Sunday of Advent

Advent Workshop for all ages.
Come craft and play in the
Fellowship Hall following worship.
Plus Holiday Card Sale!



**Sunday
December 7th**

2nd Sunday of Advent

Grief and the Holidays.
Join others to discuss
navigating the season
while also grieving.

5:00pm in the library



**Friday
December 12th**

Young at Heart
Christmas Party & Potluck 11:30am in
fellowship hall. There will be music,
laughter, bingo, & sharing good food.
*Please bring a wrapped gift bingo
prize and a potluck contribution.*



**Sunday
December 14th**
**3rd Sunday of
Advent**

Advent
Grief Service
4:00 PM

Join us for a
quiet and reflective
worship experience.

**Sunday
December 21st**



4th Sunday of Advent

Pop-Up Pageant
Holiday Bake Sale

*An Advent Spiral is a gentle,
contemplative spiritual practice
that invites participants into
a embodied experience of
of light growing in darkness.*



**Thursday
December 18th**

Advent Spiral
7:00PM
in the Ed. Wing



**Wednesday
December 14th**
**Christmas Eve
Candle Light Services**
3:30 & 5:00PM



**Sunday
December
28th**

Sunday January 4th
Ephiphany

*Ephiphany Worship Service
with Star Words!*



1st Sunday After Christmas

Come receive a blessing
as part of the
worship experience.