



# the Parish of St. Dunstan

*On the traditional lands of the Sto:lo Nation*

December 22, 2019

*Advent Lessons & Carols*



# Welcome!

This is a diverse & safe congregation for people wherever they are on their journey with Christ. We are an inclusive church which means we celebrate women in leadership, children at the Eucharist & welcome LGBTQ+ people to participate fully in the community.

## W O R S H I P

### **Advent Lessons & Carols:**

*This beautiful service retells the story of the human longing for God & our need for healing. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, know that you are not alone.*

## A D V E N T C H A L L E N G E

care  share

*This year the local ministry initiative of the Diocese of New Westminster is supporting*

### **Urban Aboriginal Ministry**

*UAM reaches out to First Nations people from across Canada who are living here in Vancouver. These individuals sometimes find themselves in desperate situations & need support & help. For more information, visit our website & check out the news item titled **Advent Challenge**.*

*Please designate all donations to **Care+Share**.*

# Gathering the Community

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*the Invitation to Prayer*

## Advent Lessons & Carols

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*the Book of Genesis (2:4b-6, 8-9, 16-17) & Prayer*  
**Creator of the Stars of Night, Choir**

*the Book of Genesis (3:1-9, 22-24) & Prayer*  
**The Tree of Life, 488**

*the Prophet Isaiah (40:1-11) & Prayer*  
**There's a Voice, 106**

*the Prophet Isaiah (65:17-25) & Prayer*  
**Lion and Lamb, 597**

*the Gospel according to Luke (1:5-25) & Prayer*  
**Don't Be Afraid**

*the Gospel according to Luke (1:26-38) & Prayer*  
**Heavenly Message, 269**

*the Gospel according to John (1:1-14) & Prayer*  
**When Long Before Time, 307**

*the Prayers of the People & the Offering*  
**People Look East, 91**  
*the Lord's Prayer*



## Sending the Community

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*the Blessing*  
**All Who Are Thirsty**

**Coffee and refreshments are served in the hall following the service.  
Please visit the Welcome Table in the hall if you have any questions.**

# Christmas Eve

6pm, 10:30pm



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