



Little Brown Church of Sunol

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December 2023 Newsletter

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December-January Calendar

Sunday, December 3 ... First Sunday in Advent – decorate church for Christmas

Sunday, December 24 ... No morning worship ... 5 p.m., Christmas Eve candlelight service only

Monday, December 25 ... Christmas Day

Sunday, December 31 ... New Year's Eve – regular 10:30 a.m. worship service

Monday, January 1 ... New Year's Day

Sunday, January 7 ... Take down decorations

Adopt-a-Family

This year, we are helping one family with children attending Sunol Glen School who are particularly in need. The children – a 13-year-old girl and an 11-year-old boy – have asked for gift certificates at particular stores. The mother needs help paying her insurance bill. And as always, we will provide the ingredients for a Christmas feast, plus grocery gift cards.

At this point, we need all participants to send checks so that we know how much money we have to work with. Please write your checks to Little Brown Church, with Adopt-a-Family in the memo line. Place checks in the offering plate Sunday mornings or mail them to:

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Decorating the Church

We will decorate the sanctuary for the Christmas season on December 3, the first Sunday in Advent. Please plan to stay a while after worship to set up and trim the tree and to arrange the manger scene and other decorations.

Christmas Eve service

This year, Christmas Eve falls on a Sunday. We will not have morning worship on Dec. 24 and instead will have our traditional candlelight Christmas Eve service at 5 p.m.

A new baby

We are delighted to share the news that Laura Haley delivered a baby girl earlier this month: Grace Elizabeth Chiappetta, weighing in at 8 lb. 9 oz. (Many of you knew Laura and her brother, Sean, as well as their mother, Susan Ewing-Haley.) Mother, father Joseph, and new baby are all doing well.



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