November 29
1st Sunday in Advent
Light one blue candle together at dinner.

**BONUS ACTIVITY!**
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November 30
Advent is the church’s “New Year”.
Eat dinner together as a family.
What New Year’s resolution could you make?
Yes...everyone.

December 1
Advent is the church’s “New Year”.
What New Year’s resolution could you make?

December 2
Go take a picture with Flat Michael at your favorite place.
Don’t forget to add FlatMichael @SMAA_CFM to your social media posts.

December 3
Advent is the church’s “New Year”.
What New Year’s resolution could you make?

December 4
Write a Christmas card to send to soldiers over seas. Bring it to church on Sunday and drop it in the gift box in the South Lanai so we can mail them off for you.

December 5
Pop the popcorn, turn off the phone, and watch a classic Christmas movie together.

December 6
2nd Sunday in Advent
Light two blue candles together at dinner.

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Visit the “I Believe in Angels” table and choose to give to others this season.

December 7
The “church color” for Advent is blue.
Wear something blue today.

December 8
Take turns using the Post-It notes in your Advent-in-a-Box to write notes to each other. Leave them all around the house for them to find.

December 9
Make Christmas cookies together and take some to a neighbor, leave some for your mail carrier, or drop some of at your local fire station or police department.

December 10
Christmas morning will be here soon. Clean out your room and donate what you don’t use anymore.
Your donations will be a blessing to someone else.

December 11
Avoid the Christmas rush. Make tonight game night. Break out the board games and enjoy a “low-tech” night!

December 12
What is hope?...joy?...peace?...love?
Where have you found them this Advent season?

December 13
3rd Sunday in Advent
Light two blue candles and the pink candle together at dinner.

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Have you JOY-ed somebody yet? If not, it’s never too late to start.

December 14
Christmas morning will be here soon. Clean out your room and donate what you don’t use anymore.

December 15
Write down 5 things for which you are grateful and share them with someone.

December 16
What is your favorite Christmas tradition?
Think of a new one that you could start.

December 17
Invite someone over for a simple meal.

December 18
Avoid the Christmas rush. Make tonight game night. Break out the board games and enjoy a “low-tech” night!

December 19
Read the story of Jesus’ birth by the light of the Christmas tree.
Luke 2:1-20
Matthew 1:18-25

December 20
4th Sunday in Advent
Light all of the blue and pink candles together at dinner.

**BONUS ACTIVITY!**
Go to the Nativity Pageant today at 1AM and then join us for lunch in the Parish Hall.

December 21
Drive around this evening and look at Christmas lights together.
Remember to go slow and really take it all in.

December 22
Take turns sharing your favorite Christmas memory.
What new memories will you make this year?

December 23
Think of a gift that doesn’t cost any money then give it to someone special.

December 24
Read John 1:1-9. Break and shake your glow stick to symbolize the Light that is coming into the world on Christmas morning.
Hide it on your tree in anticipation!

December 25
CHRISTMAS DAY!
Open the envelope from your Advent-in-a-Box that says “OPEN ME FIRST ON CHRISTMAS MORNING!”

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