DEACON JIM MCFADDEN PRESENTS:
ADVENT 2026
A FOUR-WEEK ONLINE SERIES
DATES: 11/30/26—12/21/26 TIME: 7:00 PM



November 30 — The Potter and the Clay

Our first reading for this first Sunday of Advent gives us the master image of God as the potter and we, his creatures, as clay. St. Ireneaus said of God's provident direction of our lives is easy as long as the clay of our hearts remains supple and moist. Trouble only comes when we allow the clay to harden.
In Mark's gospel, we're reminded of the need to be watchful.
God is coming towards us; so, we must be watchful, alert; we must be awake!

December 7 — Prepare the Way of the Lord

The theme of preparing a highway for the Lord emerges from the time of exile. When the Babylonian Captivity was coming to a close, the prophet Isaiah envisioned God making a highway in the desert to facilitate the return of his people to Jerusalem. From what captivity is God leading us this Advent?

December 14 — The True King is Coming!

Christ proclaims himself as the King of everything. This is bold claim for it puts everything under him. However, he is a very different King than what we typically expect.
So, with the arrival of the King, we must change all our expectations.

December 21 — Adam, David, and Jesus: Three Kings

Adam had a kingly mission, but he blew it. David was meant to restore kingship to its proper form. However, he failed too. But, Christ the Lord, is the King who pulls everything together and restores creation. His Kingdom triumphs all others.

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