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Learn more about our Advent and Christmas campaign for 2023.
A Service for the Second Sunday before Advent

Rev. Philip Dawson Curate at St Giles-in-the-Fields leads this week's service, which was recorded outdoors from a churchyard in the City of London, marking the Second Sunday before Advent. As well as a beautiful view, the service will include music from St Martin's Voices.

Vision & Strategy

The Church of England's vocation is and always has been to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ afresh in each generation to the people of England.

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• **Church of England releases first ever Advent Calendar, featuring interactive sticker Nativity scene**

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