

## AN ADVENT CAROL

Dear Friends,

You are cordially invited to the production of *An Advent Carol*, a musical drama for the Christmas Season. This play brings a message of hope and healing to our audience, and takes them on a journey from the Annunciation to the Flight into Egypt. The characters of Mary, Joseph, Anna, Joachim and Elizabeth are masterfully crafted as genuine people who struggle with hopes and dreams, fears and doubts. An Advent Carol offers a message of hope and freedom to the alienated and oppressed and stretches far beyond the traditional Christmas pageant.

The Xavier Company is a group of culturally diverse, ecumenical performers who are using the arts to promote spiritual values and social justice. Their members are all professional performing artists who donate their talents to produce creative works that have spiritual and social significance.

This musical drama will be performed at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart on Sunday, December 10th at 4:00 PM. The enclosed flyer details the event. Please share this information with your parish, school, and friends. There is no reserved seating, however we would like to determine a headcount of those attending. Please use the QR Code below, <u>click this link</u> or contact the Cathedral to provide your responses.

Mark your calendars for An Advent Carol, a joyful and profound celebration of the Christmas season!

Sincerely,

Rev. Bizmarch Chan, Retor

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