

# Care For Creation 2020 Advent Calendar

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MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
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		Some Big Box stores recycle tool batteries. Or take to the South Transit Station Hazardous Waste Center		Talk with a friend / relative & share how this pandemic has affected your work, housing, land & food, from Fratelli Tutti		Collect some Fall colors in a nearby park. Try to learn the names of the trees.		Solidarity with Climate refugees. <a href="https://www.npr.org/2020/11/01/930117656/powerful-typhoon-gonislams-the-philippines">https://www.npr.org/2020/11/01/930117656/powerful-typhoon-gonislams-the-philippines</a>		Try out bamboo toilet paper, a self-sustaining Seattle biz.	
6		7		8		9		10		11	
<b>Feast of St. Nicholas</b> A 4th century Saint known for generosity to the poor. Make a donation in loved one's honor.		Support local W. S. businesses by exchanging gift certificates.		<b>Feast of the Immaculate Conception</b>		Enjoy one of the many W.S. Safe Street Projects like Constellation Park.		Watch how the birds are preparing for winter		Celebrate the two new J-pod babies by learning something about our three resident orca families	
13		14		15		16		17		18	
Touch base with someone who was affected by fire, storm or flood disasters this past year		Locate all the natural streams or creeks in West Seattle.		Celebrate Pope Francis's birthday & pray for his advocacy for the planet.		Surprise your parents with a new idea or activity you have created.		Tell any essential worker you meet how much you appreciate their attention to keeping you safe.		Sing some advent songs after a meal this season	
20		21		22		23		24		25	
Follow Pope Francis suggestion to bring joy to someone who has been displaced.		See how large a soap bubble you can create or how high you can fly a kite!		Find out about carbon dividends. <a href="https://www.yccdaction.org/">https://www.yccdaction.org/</a>		Make a nature inspired ornament using natural materials.					
27		28		29							
								* Next meeting is Jan. 11th via zoom @ 6:30. You are invited to join! We need more good ideas to share!			

These are some ideas to be environmentally aware as you celebrate the Christmas season of 2020

\*\* [https://vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco\\_202001003\\_enciclica-fratelli-tutti.html](https://vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco_202001003_enciclica-fratelli-tutti.html)