# Advent and Christmas at Duke Chapel

#### December 7, 6:00 p.m. Vespers Advent Lessons and Carols Service

As daylight fades, Choral Vespers invites students and community members into the darkened Chapel to experience sacred music, scripture readings, and prayer to mark the season of Advent.

# December 9, 8:00 p.m. and December 10, 4:00 p.m. From Advent to Christmas: Choral Society of Durham Concert

Christmas Music for Choir and Brass. Chilcott's Advent Antiphons and Wachner's The Snow Lay on the Ground plus Advent and Christmas Carols for Choir and Brass. Tickets may be purchased at tickets.duke.edu.

### December 20, 12:00–2:00 p.m.

Duke Chapel by Candlelight Christmas Open House

All are welcome to attend the annual candlelight open house at Duke Chapel, which features Christmas music. There is no cost to attend and no tickets are required.

#### December 24, 11:00 a.m.

#### Service of Worship for the Fourth Sunday of Advent

The Chapel will worship together as usual on Sunday morning, with the Rev. Debra Brazzel as our guest preacher.

#### Christmas Eve 2:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service for Children

This family-friendly worship service includes music and storytellers to announce the birth of Christ. The service lasts approximately 40 minutes.

### Christmas Eve 4:00 p.m. Service of Worship

This afternoon service includes Christmas carols, the Durham Children's Choir, and a sermon from Dean Luke Powery.

# Christmas Eve 6:00 p.m. Service of Worship with Holy Communion

This evening service includes Christmas carols, Holy Communion, the Amalgam brass ensemble, and a sermon from Dean Luke Powery.

### Christmas Eve 11:00 p.m. Service of Lessons and Carols

This traditional Lessons and Carols service features a large community choir, Scripture, and choral music.

Open community choir rehearsal at 9 p.m. Prelude begins at 10:30 p.m.

A maximum of 1300 persons will be admitted to each service: no overflow seating available.

