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#### **COMFORT** in GRIEF - Tuesdays in March/April!

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#### **DIVORCECARE - Begins Feb 27 for 12 wks!**

Video and Discussion series for separated or divorced.

Register at: www.divorcecare.org

#### 'DEEPER CHRISTIAN LIFE' TEAM

On January 25, 2025 we'll begin a monthly gathering on the <u>last Saturday each month</u>.

<u>PART 1 @ 10:30 AM</u> - scripture sharing and worship, with emphasis on <u>listening prayer</u>

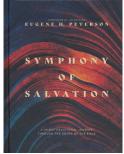
PART 2 @ Noon - a simple pot-luck snack/lunch
PART 3 If there are tasks to do, we'll work together
as a team until about 2 PM.

Everyone is welcome for <u>all or any part</u>.

Please invite friends. The fellowship will be great!

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### ADVENT/CHRISTMAS/EPIPHANY 2024-2025



#### **CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

see Calendar for times

Tues Dec 24 Christmas Eve Carols & Communion Wed Dec 25 Scripture & Prayer (Zoom only) Sun Dec 29 Lessons & Carols

Jonathan Swift (1667-1745), the Anglo-Irish writer and clergyman, is credited with saying,
"Everything old is new again".
Surely, this is how Christians should approach

surely, this is how Christians should approach every ADVENT and CHRISTMAS - not with weariness but rejoicing that Christ is born into the world and into our hearts eternally, ever new.

The liturgical year often begins with old Scriptures, old songs, old traditions. Yet, we can discern new life and new beginnings everywhere we turn - in our loved ones, friends, church, community and world because our Saviour lives. We are watchers, waiting for Christ to reveal Himself again and again in the hearts of people and in amazing answers to our prayers.

So, O come, let us adore Him, again.

