

Ladies Advent Tea with the Saints

1. You may get into Augustinian Hall at 2:30 p.m. to set up your table. We ask that you be done setting your table by 3:45 p.m. so that you can begin to meet and greet your guests that begin to arrive around 4:00 p.m.
2. The table should be set for seven people using Holiday, Seasonal or any dinnerware of your choice. This can be fine china, everyday dishes or fancy paper products. If you own a nice TeaPot and would like to use it instead of our Carafe, please feel free to bring that along.
3. Ideas for a table setting include:
 - Dessert plate
 - Cup and saucer for tea (or mug)
 - Water glass (wine glass or some sort of goblet is fine)
 - Napkin, spoon, fork and knife
4. Navy Blue fabric tablecloths will be provided. You may choose to use placemats on top of the tablecloth or another tablecloth over the one that is provided.
5. Be creative!
6. St. Matthew Parish Life will provide a candle for each table.
7. St. Matthew Parish Life will be providing food items to snack on - pinwheels, desserts, etc.
8. Each table will be provided with a pitcher of water, hot water for tea and a variety of tea bags.
9. At 4:15 pm the evening will begin with Fr. Anthony leading us in prayer.
10. Fr. Anthony will offer a short reflection on the time of Advent, some ladies will read short meditations, and at 5:00 pm Randall Petrides will speak on the Saints and how they can assist us during the Advent season.
11. There is no fee for the Advent Tea. Randall Petrides will have a table setup for his book - *How the Saints Shaped History*.

ANY QUESTIONS CALL AMANDA WILLIAMS at (810)232-0880