



## 2023 Advent Offering: A Christmas Carol

Fr. Ken Wolfe invites you to join him for the first of two sessions in reading a great literary classic during the upcoming Advent and Christmas seasons, Charles Dickens' **A Christmas Carol**.

All are welcome but **he extends a special welcome to parents, grandparents and families.**

**Monday, November 27**

**6:30 - 8:00 PM**

**St. Thomas the Apostle Chapel**

Fr. Ken will provide background on Charles Dickens, discuss important themes in the work and answer initial questions. Session will conclude with an abbreviated reading from *Stave One - Marley's Ghost* with the help of parishioner, Thomas Fleming as the voice and persona of Ebenezer Scrooge.

As literary commentator Joseph Pearce says: "*The lesson that **A Christmas Carol** teaches is that our lives are not owned by us but are owed to another to whom the debt must be paid in the currency of self-sacrifice, which is love's means of exchange.*"

The second and final session will take place Monday, December 18.