



Welcoming the Stranger in Advent: an Evening of Prayer & Reflection On Immigration

**During Advent we prepare our hearts and homes to greet the
Son of God. It is a time of welcoming.**

**This liturgical season provides the spiritual context to turn our
hearts to the immigrant population in our midst and to journey
in conversion, communion and solidarity.**

**You are invited to an evening of prayer, listening, learning and
reflection on the situation of local immigrants.**

Thursday, December 1, 2011 - 7:00 P.M.

St. John the Baptist Parish

444 Saint John St.

Pittsburgh, PA 15239

The evening will provide an opportunity to:

- **Pray & Reflect on our Catholic call to welcome the stranger**
 - **Meet local immigrants and hear their stories**
 - **Learn Catholic teaching on immigration**

**For more information, contact Bob Mineo,
Director of Parish Social Ministry at 412 793-4511.
Light refreshments will follow in the annex**



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