

HOW TO MAKE AN ADVENT WREATH AT HOME

12" wire wreath frame, or a styrofoam wreath mold (found at most craft stores)

Soft greenery garland (check your local dollar store, or use fresh from your backyard.)

Purple poinsettia flowers (or holly from your yard)

Advent candle set (three blue or purple, one pink—or whatever colors you have available). You are also welcome to come to the church and Evan will give you a set of 4 small white ones from our stash.

4 candle holders (if you use the Styrofoam you can also just create holes in the mold that are big enough to mount your candles).

Christmas ribbon

Greenery ties or Floral wire

Hot glue gun

*First, take your garland and wrap it around your wire wreath or Styrofoam mold until it is completely covered. Use your hot glue to hold it in place.

*Next, you'll take your ribbon and wrap it around until you've found your desired placement. Secure it with a small dab of hot glue.

*Using a little bit of floral wire or greenery ties, space out the candle holders as evenly as possible and secure in place. (If using a styrofoam mold, you can also just create holes large enough for your candles)

*Fill in empty areas of your wreath with your poinsettia flowers and use a little bit of hot glue to hold them in place.

*Add your candles and voila, you've made a super simple advent wreath!