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## Church Bells to Toll in Memory of Sandy Hook School Victims

At 9:35 a.m. Saturday, December 14, the one-year anniversary of the school shooting at the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Conn., church bells will ring out along the South Coast.

In Montecito, All Saints-by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, 83 Eucalyptus Lane, will join other communities across the country in tolling its 113-year-old bell 28 times in memory of all of those killed by a gunman that morning a year ago. The public is invited to pause and remember the victims of that tragic day.

Also on Saturday, All Saints will have its annual "Greening of the Church," which means pine bough will be brought into the sanctuary and placed around the inside of the church at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday. This gives the church a woody, holiday feel. Meanwhile, Newtown officials are endorsing a "year of service" and are asking residents to put a candle in their window on Dec. 14, the day of the shooting, to show their commitment to the idea of service to each other.

Newtown families have announced the creation of the website "My Sandy Hook Family," where people can post their remembrances.

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