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## Visiting Nurse and Community Health's Hospice Care to Offer Candlelight Holiday Service Dec. 8

**ARLINGTON, MA – November 17, 2011** – A Candlelight Holiday Service, with lighting of candles of remembrance, is being offered by Visiting Nurse and Community Health's (VNCH) Hospice Care program on Thursday, December 8 at 7 pm at the Church of Our Saviour, 21 Marathon Street, Arlington.

This service is open to all, and is especially for those experiencing loss or challenge during this holiday season. It will include uplifting readings, music, and an opportunity to light candles for a loved one. Refreshments will be served following the service, with an opportunity to share stories and conversation with the VNCH Hospice Care staff.

Anyone who wishes may bring a canned food item to the service to donate to the Arlington Food Pantry. Please contact Nancy Strong, VNCH Hospice Care Bereavement Coordinator, at 781-643-6090 x1342 for more information.

### ***About VNCH Hospice Care***

Visiting Nurse and Community Health, a 501(c)(3) non-profit agency, has extended its long-standing reputation for treating its patients with the highest quality home health care, to include Hospice Care. VNCH Hospice Care opened in 2009 and delivers compassionate, comprehensive services to patients with advanced and often life-threatening illnesses, and their families. VNCH Hospice Care's team of dedicated nurses, doctors, social workers, inter-faith chaplains, volunteers, therapists, and home health aides all work together to help patients suffering from advanced illness to maintain their dignity while receiving care that promotes comfort and support. To learn more about VNCH and the Hospice Care program, please visit the agency's website at [www.TheVisitingNurses.com](http://www.TheVisitingNurses.com).

VNCH serves the following communities: Acton, Arlington, Bedford, Belmont, Billerica, Burlington, Cambridge, Carlisle, Chelsea, Concord, Everett, Lexington, Lincoln, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Newton, Revere, Somerville, Stoneham, Wakefield, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Weston, Wilmington, Winchester, and Woburn.

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