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# Peace Light from Bethlehem

**Heart of America Council Service Center**  
10210 Holmes Rd. Kansas City, MO 64131  
Tuesday 12/6/11 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm

For over a thousand years, lamps have been continuously lit in the Grotto of the Nativity in Bethlehem Israel. Since 1989, Scouts from Austria have initiated the distribution of the Christmas “Peace Light” throughout Europe. In 2004, the light made the journey to the United States for the first time and has made the transatlantic crossing every year since.

All are welcome to come to the Heart of America Council Service Center and receive the light. Candles or lanterns are good tools to take home the light, but are not provided, so please bring them with you. This is a historic first for our Council, for Kansas City, and for the State of Missouri. Please help us spread the mission of peace, joy, and goodwill throughout the Kansas City Metro area and region through Christmas Day.

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