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20th Annual International AIDS Candlelight Memorial

WHAT The 20th Annual International AIDS Candlelight Memorial will be held in over 500 communities in 75 countries, making it the world's largest and oldest grassroots HIV/AIDS event. The event is coordinated by the Global Health Council and serves to honor the memory of those lost to HIV/AIDS, show support for those living with HIV/AIDS, raise awareness of HIV/AIDS, and mobilize community involvement in the fight against AIDS. WHEN Sunday, May 18, 2003 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. WHERE Christ Church Episcopal (patio) 2000 S. Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89104 WHY This year's theme, "Remember the Cause, Renewing our Commitment," invites people to remember and support those who have been touched by HIV/AIDS, and discuss how the community can play a role in prevention, care, treatment and education.

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