# advent

#### ['ædvent] *n* 1. *книжн.* прибытие, приход

- 2. (Advent) рел. пришествие, особ. второе пришествие Христа (тж. Second Advent)
- 3. (Advent) церк. рождественский пост

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## ad-vent [advent advents] BrE ['ædvent] NAmE ['ædvent] noun

- 1. singular the ~ of sth/sb the coming of an important event, person, invention, etc
  - · the advent of new technology
- 2. Advent uncountable (in the Christian religion) the period of approximately four weeks before Christmas

#### Word Origin:

Old English, from Latin adventus 'arrival', from advenire, from ad- 'to' + venire 'come'.

#### Example Bank:

- · Before the advent of the railways, communications were slow and difficult.
- She succeeded in a profession which, until her advent, had been entirely male.
- The advent of the child had caused problems in their relationship.
- The advent of the new government resulted in many changes.
- The advent of the new regime led to a marked decline in women's rights.
- The fighting continued until the advent of winter.
- With the advent of John Hume came a change of direction.

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- the advent of something the time when something first begins to be widely used SYN coming:
  - the advent of the computer

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