

*Parade of lights, Santa, soup supper on Sunday, Dec. 9 at 5 p.m.*

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The tradition of hosting a parade for the holidays in Venango each year will be even more meaningful this season for the community that will be celebrating 125 years of existence in Perkins County.

The public is warmly invited to take part in the "Parade of Lights: Celebrating 125 Years" on Sunday, Dec. 9 at 5 p.m. hosted by the Venango Lions Club.

All entries are welcome and the lineup is at 4:45 p.m. on Pennsylvania Ave.

Businesses and residents are encouraged to decorate a float, put lights on a pickup, march in costume, etc., to be a participant in the 125th anniversary celebration.

After the parade, Santa will appear at the American Legion Hall to distribute goodies to the children.

A homemade soup supper will also take place at the Legion Hall. All donations will go toward the Venango Lions Club.

For further information about the Christmas celebration in Venango, contact Lions President Mike Dodson at 353-8510.