DECEMBER 2026

FOR UNTO YOU IS BORN THIS DAY
IN THE CITY OF DAVID A SAVIOR,
WHO IS CHRIST THE LORD.
– LUKE 2:11

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		1 Thank God for sending Jesus for us. Ask Him to help your family keep Christ at the center of Christmas.	2 Pray for peace and patience in your home during the busy Christmas season.	3 While driving, choose three homes you pass and pray for the people who live there.	4 At dinner, talk about why Jesus' birth is good news for the world.	5 Invite someone to join you at the upcoming Living Nativity!
6 During worship, listen for the message about the Advent Wreath! Share what you remember.	7 Read Isaiah 9:6. Talk about what the names given to Jesus tell us about Him.	8 Ask God to help your family bring hope to someone who is struggling this Christmas.	9 Pray for each family member and ask God to give them joy during the Christmas season.	10 Pray for people who will spend Christmas far from loved ones.	11 Each person share one reason you are thankful Jesus came into the world.	12 Invite someone to join you at the upcoming Christmas concert!
13 Sing a favorite Christmas worship song together and talk about what it teaches about Jesus.	14 Read Luke 1:26–38. Talk about Mary trusting God.	15 During a car ride, share one thing they are hoping God will help them with.	16 Pray that your family will show patience and kindness when Christmas becomes busy.	17 Pray for families who cannot afford gifts, food, or other Christmas necessities.	18 Tell someone what the birth of Jesus means. (That our Savior has come!)	19 Bake something together and deliver it to a neighbor or friend.
20 After church, talk about how your family can make room for Jesus during Christmas week.	21 Read Luke together. Ask each person to share their favorite part of the Nativity/ Christmas story.	22 Thank God for the gift of Jesus and ask Him to help your family share that gift with others.	23 Pray for peace, joy, and meaningful conversations during Christmas celebrations.	24 Before Christmas Eve service, pray for everyone who will hear the Christmas story.	25 At some point during Christmas Day, thank God for all the blessings He gives.	26 Choose some gently used items to donate.
27 Thank God for sending Jesus and reflect on one way your family experienced His love this Christmas.	28 Read Matthew 2:1–12. Talk about why the wise men worshiped Jesus.	29 During a drive, take turns thanking God for specific memories from the past year.	30 Pray for God's guidance as your family enters a new year.	31 Pray for your community, church, schools, and leaders as a new year begins.	DECEMBER FAMILY CHALLENGE Look for one opportunity each week to bring hope to someone else through encouragement, generosity, prayer, or service.	