

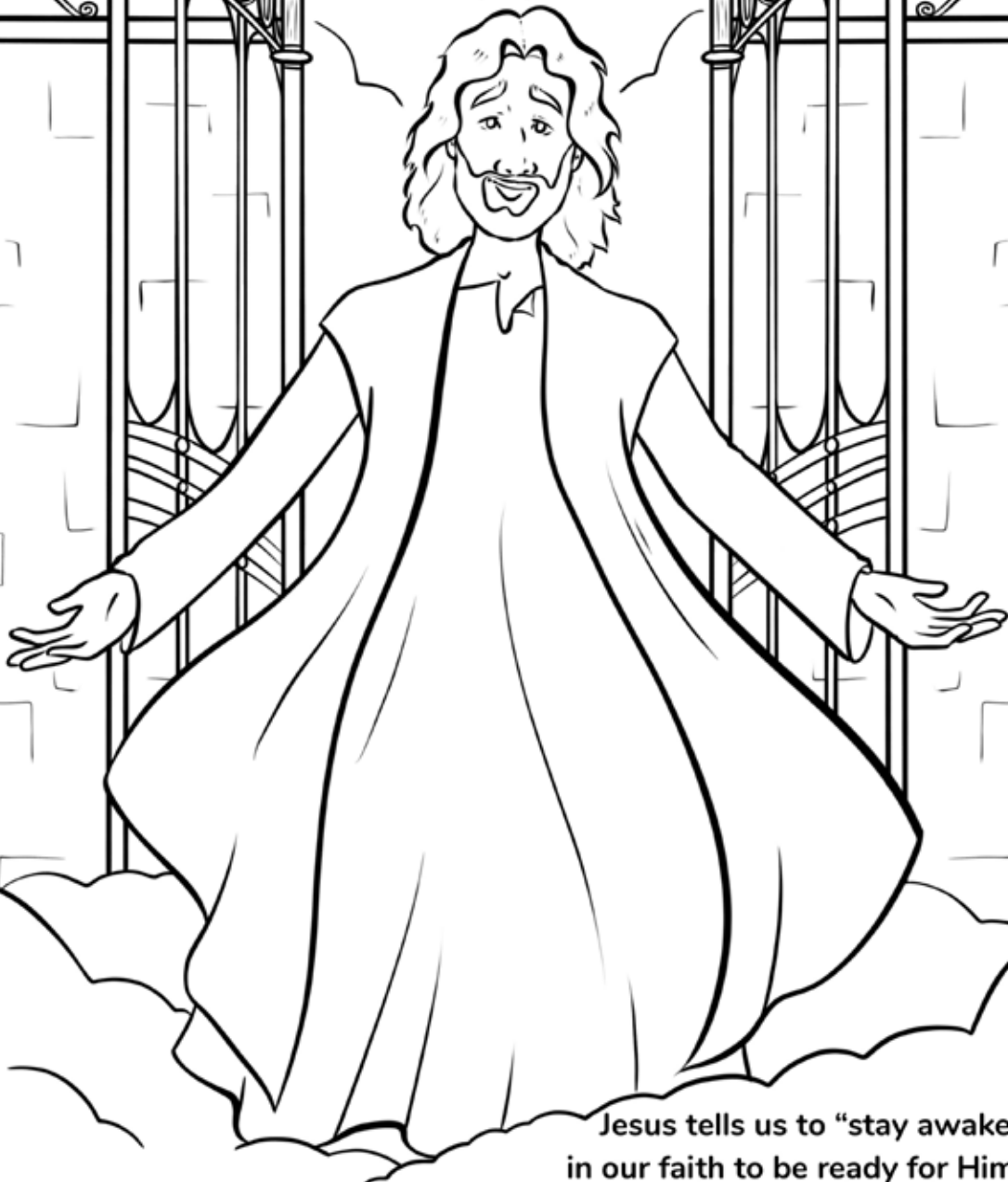


# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING

## 1ST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

**BIBLE LESSON: MARK 13:24-37**

Our Bible verse this week talks about when Jesus will come again to take us to Heaven, and how we can prepare!



Jesus tells us to “stay awake”  
in our faith to be ready for Him!

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## KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING



LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE  
OF CANADA

### THE ADVENT WREATH

It is Advent! 'Advent' means 'coming' or 'arrival' and lasts for the 4 weeks leading up to Jesus' birth on Christmas. During Advent we light one candle in our Advent wreath for each Sunday. On Christmas Eve we light the 5th and final candle called the Christ Candle!



This week, we light the first candle called "The Candle of Hope." It reminds us of the promises God has made and kept! Colour in the wreath and the flame of the first candle!

### PHRASE SCRAMBLE

Unscramble these words and phrases from our Bible verse today!

1. WEPRO NDA YLOGR \_\_\_\_\_
2. YTSA KEWAA \_\_\_\_\_
3. GFI REET \_\_\_\_\_
4. RUFO NISWD \_\_\_\_\_



#### Prayer

Let us pray together: Dear Father in Heaven. Thank you for sending your Son to do the hard work that only He could do of dying for us and making Salvation possible. Holy Spirit, help us to be ready for the Master's return. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

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# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING

## 2ND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

BIBLE LESSON: MARK 1:1-8

"I have baptized  
you with water,  
but He will baptize  
you with the  
Holy Spirit."

- Mark 1:8



This week we learn  
about John the Baptist  
who prepared the way  
for Jesus to come!

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# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING



LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

## WORD SEARCH

Find these words from Mark 1:1-8 in this Word Search!

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|-----------|-----------|
| BAPTIZING | JORDAN    |
| CAMEL     | LOCUSTS   |
| GOSPEL    | MESSENGER |
| HONEY     | PROPHET   |
| ISAIAH    | SANDALS   |
| JOHN      | WATER     |

L E M A C N H G F Z O R P R V  
 F S I K L M E S S E N G E R P  
 X R I W B A P T I Z I N G R S  
 J E I F N V N H O J T L O A M  
 L T V R V C G K N U L P N Y P  
 K A K N R B Y A A O H D I B A  
 K W K J Y G D Z C E A Z H R H  
 L K N D T R M U T L Y A X W E  
 S E W P O Y S F S F Y P Q E B  
 T D P J F T I P H Q J Q W R T  
 E R Z S S S W Y O A X R I K F  
 M V O H O U N Z N O I V G L Z  
 Y C Z T F G Y Q E H U A U U I  
 V J U J C F N A Y S U T S S R  
 Z Q T A M S D O I H Q S K I V



## THE BIBLE IN REAL LIFE

In today's verse, Mark writes that John was God's "messenger" to help tell people about Jesus!

Write some ways you can be God's messenger and share His love!

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## THE ADVENT WREATH

During the Second Week in Advent, we light the second candle called "The Candle of Preparation."

It reminds us that God prepared the world for when Jesus was to be born in a manger by using John and many other people! Colour in the wreath and the flame of the first and second candles!



### Prayer

Let us pray together: Dear Father in Heaven, thank you for sending people like John the Baptist to prepare people for their Messiah, your Son Jesus. Help us to remember the waters of our Baptism and how it poured the Holy Spirit into our hearts to save us. Give us great joy in daily repenting. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

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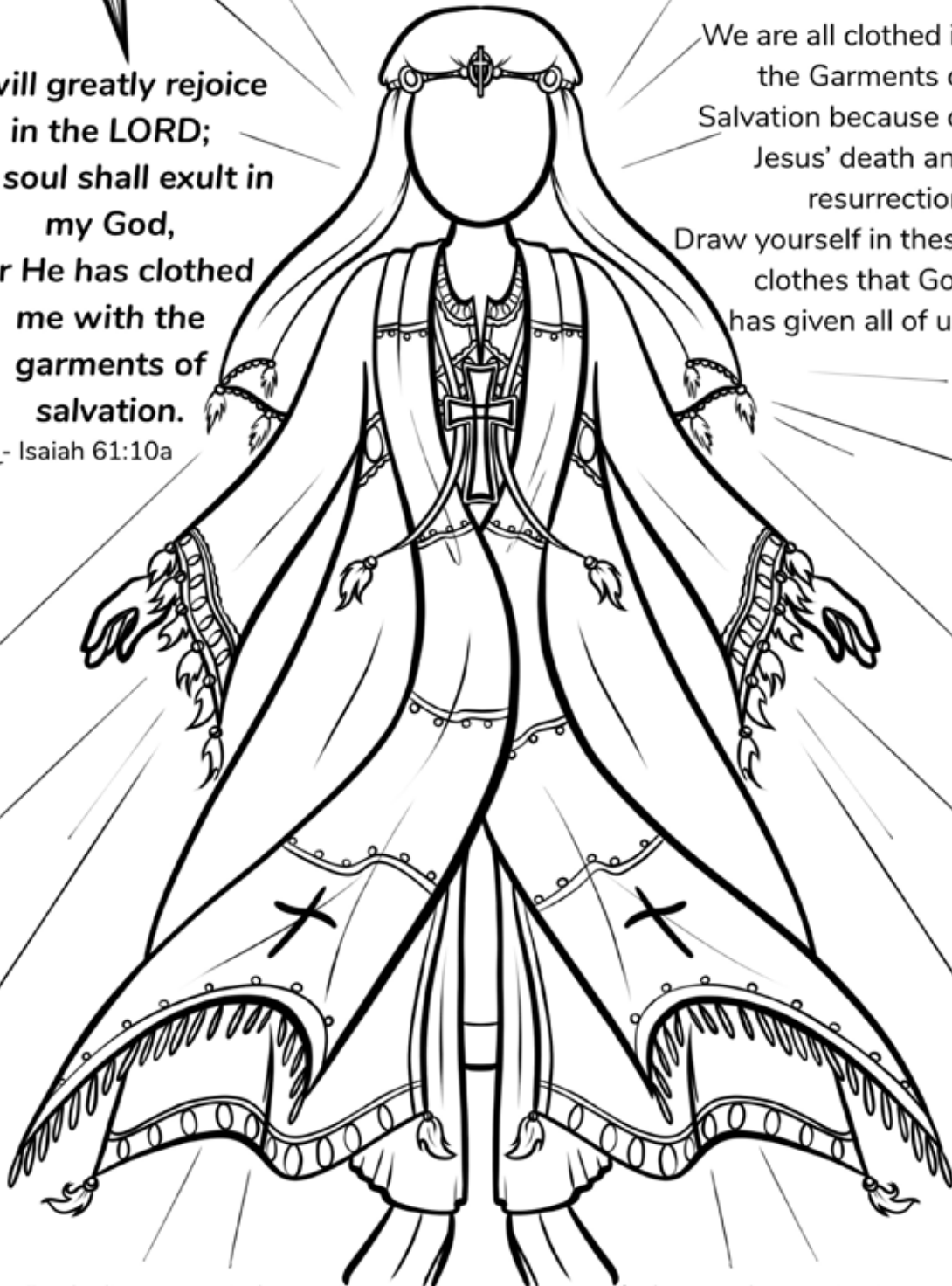
## 3RD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

BIBLE LESSON: ISAIAH 61:1-4, 8-11

I will greatly rejoice  
in the LORD;  
my soul shall exult in  
my God,  
for He has clothed  
me with the  
garments of  
salvation.

- Isaiah 61:10a

We are all clothed in  
the Garments of  
Salvation because of  
Jesus' death and  
resurrection.  
Draw yourself in these  
clothes that God  
has given all of us!



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# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING



LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

## FILL IN THE BLANKS

Use the Word Banks and follow along in Isaiah 61 to fill in the blanks of these verses!



"He has covered me with the \_\_\_\_\_ of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself like a \_\_\_\_\_ with a beautiful headdress, and as a bride \_\_\_\_\_ herself with her jewels."  
- Isaiah 61:10b

"For as the earth brings forth its \_\_\_\_\_, and as a \_\_\_\_\_ causes what is sown in it to sprout up, so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and \_\_\_\_\_ to sprout up before all the \_\_\_\_\_."  
- Isaiah 61:11



## THE ADVENT WREATH

During the Third Week in Advent, we light the third candle called "The Candle of Joy." It reminds us of the angels singing songs of joy announcing when Jesus was born!

Colour in the wreath and the flames of the first three candles!



### Prayer

Let us pray together: Dear Father in Heaven, thank you for using your prophets Isaiah and John the Baptist to tell people about Jesus. Please help us also to be humble servants who are excited to tell people about you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

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**KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING**  
4TH SUNDAY IN ADVENT

**BIBLE LESSON: LUKE 1:26-38**

"Greetings, O favored one, the Lord is with you!"  
- Luke 1:28b

This week we learn about the angel visiting Mary to tell her that she will be Jesus' mother!

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## CRYPTOGRAM

Match the symbols to the letters to complete part of what the angel says to Mary!

A	B	C	D	E	
*	◇	▽	☉	☽	
F	G	H	I	J	
□	!	∂	↯	∩	
K	L	M	N	O	
⊙	▣	⊖	⤴	↘	
P	Q	R	S	T	
⌘	∞	☾	➤	⋮	
U	V	W	X	Y	Z
◁	✦	⊙	◊	∩	⋎

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□ ↘ ☽

⤴ ↘ ⋮ ∂ ↯ ⤴ !

⊙ ↯ ▣ ▣ ◇ ☽

↯ ⊖ ⌘ ↘ ➤ ➤ ↯ ◇ ▣ ☽

⊙ ↯ ⋮ ∂ ! ↘ ☉

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Luke 1:37



### THE ADVENT WREATH

During the Fourth Week in Advent, we light the fourth candle called “The Candle of Love.” It reminds us of all the love God has for us! God showed His love in the biggest way by sending His Son, Jesus, to come save us!

Colour in the wreath and the flames of the four lit candles!

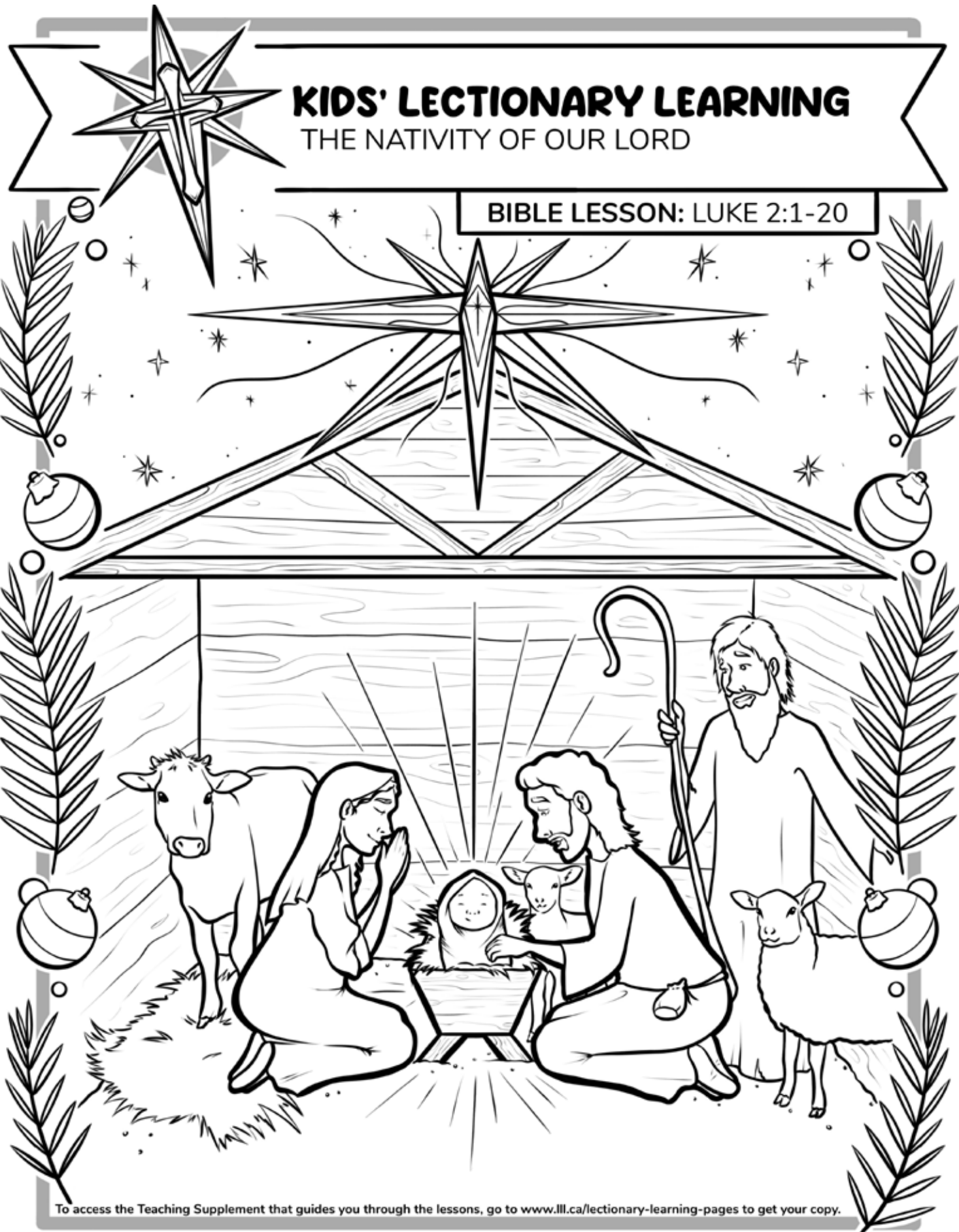


### Prayer

Let us pray together: Dear Father in Heaven, thank You for sending the Angel to announce the arrival of Your Son, Jesus, to Zechariah, to Mary and to us. Holy Spirit, help us to share the wonderful news of Christmas with others so that we too can bear Christ to others. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

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# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING



LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

## WORD SEARCH

Find these words from the story of Christmas in this Word Search!

F T M Q U V S D R E H P E H S E H S B O  
 J G E J Y C M Z E H E W T R R N J A L E  
 M O H E Y M K I W C Z D X X U Y E N Y G  
 U D E S O C K H T R I B K N O Y Y V Y A  
 L A L U B R Y H E J R R W G I D V R B N  
 T X H S R G P E P S A D Y N V Q A A G G  
 I H T C E D Y S A E T K K I A M F P W E  
 T X E H G W K Y F D S P Z L S V W W I L  
 U V B R N N X C R S Z O N D R B W U L S  
 D B X I A F N E O O F J J D B V W T B I  
 E O W S M T E N C L L C H A T Y Y A A D  
 U Z K T F R S X T A F G Z W G Q X D B C  
 Z O Q I G A P L G P E D I S D E Q I Y K  
 W T K C Z E I N N H P P R N V B J K J F  
 L G R I J H M R E Y P O J L P Y T J O Y

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|-----------|--------------|
| ANGELS    | JESUS CHRIST |
| BABY      | JOSEPH       |
| BETHLEHEM | JOY          |
| BIRTH     | MANGER       |
| FEAR      | MARY         |
| FLOCK     | MULTITUDE    |
| GLORY     | PEACE        |
| GOD       | SAVIOUR      |
| HEART     | SHEPHERDS    |
| INN       | SWADDLING    |

## • THE ADVENT WREATH •

During Christmas Eve or Christmas Day, we light the fifth and final candle called "The Christ Candle."

This last white candle reminds us that Jesus is the spotless lamb of God who brings us light in the darkness!

Colour in the wreath and the flames of all the candles!



### Prayer

O Holy Child, I treasure the Good News of Your birth for my salvation. Call others to faith through me. Amen.\*

\* Lutheran Study Bible, 2009

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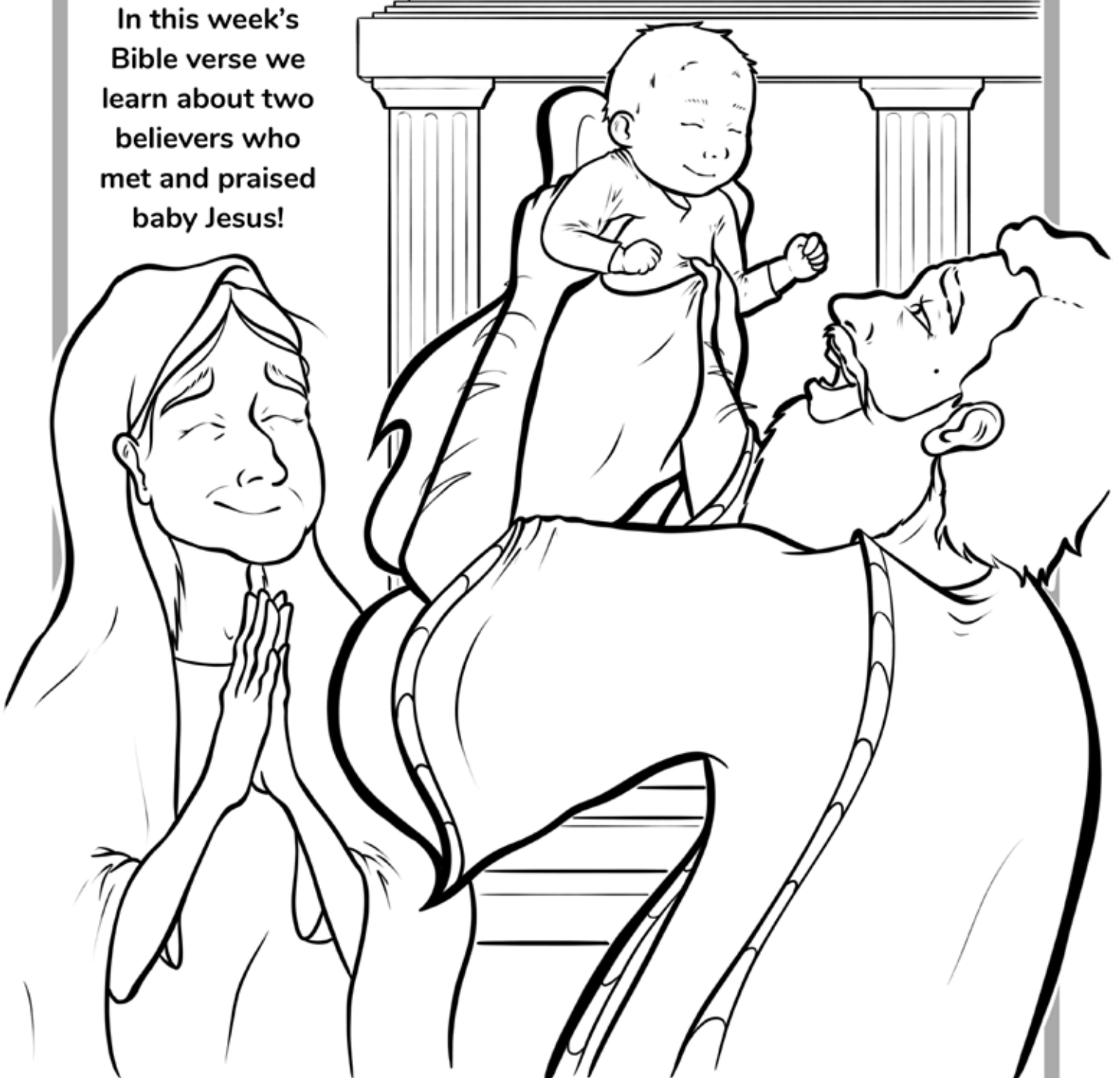


# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING

1ST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

BIBLE LESSON: LUKE 2:22-40

In this week's Bible verse we learn about two believers who met and praised baby Jesus!



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# KIDS' LECTIONARY LEARNING



LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

## FILL IN THE BLANKS

Follow along in our verse and use the Word Bank to fill in the Blanks in Simeon's song!

### WORD BANK

- LIGHT
- EYES
- PEOPLES
- BLESSED
- SERVANT
- GLORY
- WORD

He took him up in his arms and \_\_\_\_\_ God and said,

“Lord, now you are letting your \_\_\_\_\_ depart in peace,

according to your \_\_\_\_\_;

for my \_\_\_\_\_ have seen your salvation

that you have prepared in the presence of all \_\_\_\_\_,

a \_\_\_\_\_ for revelation to the Gentiles,

and for \_\_\_\_\_ to your people Israel.”

- Luke 2:28-32

## WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble these words from Luke 2:22-40!

1. ONIESM \_\_\_\_\_
2. NAAN \_\_\_\_\_
3. ZERANATH \_\_\_\_\_
4. MDISOW \_\_\_\_\_

### Prayer

Let us pray together: Dear Father in Heaven, help us to be faithful like Simeon and Anna, waiting for the day when we will get to see you face to face just like they did. Thank you for being Our Saviour, The Messiah, Jesus our best friend. In Your name we pray. Amen.

