3rd - 4th Grade Parent Guide - December

Scripture by Week

December 7th- Advent Peace Isaiah 9:6

December 14th - Advent Joy Luke 2:10-11

December 21st - Advent Love 1 John 4:9

December 28th - New Curriculum/TBD

Memory Verse

For to us a child is born,

to us a son is given;

and the government shall be upon his shoulder,

and his name shall be called

Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,

Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6

Advent

This month is full of anticipation for the holidays, typically for receiving presents, seeing loved ones, and eating all sorts of delicious foods. Advent is a way for us to keep our hopeful anticipation in the right place - on Jesus. We wait, not only for these earthly celebrations, but for our ultimate eternal celebration with Christ in Heaven.

Discuss these questions with your family:

Why is it a good thing to wait?

Which is your favorite to study: Hope, Peace, Joy, Love?

Through Advent we see that Jesus is our Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love - what else is Jesus to you?

Through the Holidays

In this season, be intentional with your family to spread the love of Jesus to those around you.

Buy gifts for a family in need

Serve at a local soup kitchen

Write Christmas cards for those in the hospital or at nursing homes

Resources

The Bible Project

https://bibleproject.com/videos/collections/advent

Advent Word Study Video series

Family Discipleship Plan

The Chapel Family Discipleship Plan

Invite your child to witness their faith through telling a friend, getting baptized, etc.

*If you or someone you know would like to volunteer with cKids throughout the week (helping reset rooms, prepare crafts, etc.) please email me at

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