DAILY WALK DEVOTION

Advent Companion

for families who want to keep Jesus at the center of December



25 daily reading cards · Candle-lighting guide · Dinner-table questions

December 1–25 · Pairs with the devotional *Come, Let Us Adore Him*

START HERE

How to use this pack

Advent is four weeks of getting ready for Jesus. This pack gives your family a simple rhythm for December: a few minutes a day, usually around the dinner table.

1

Print and cut

Print the reading cards on cardstock and cut along the dashed lines. Stack them by date, clip them to a string, or tuck them in a jar on the table.

2

Light the candles on Sundays

The candle guide walks you through each Sunday: what to light, what to read, a short prayer, and a carol to sing. Start Sunday, November 29.

3

Read one card a day

Read the passage from your Bible first. Then read the thought on the card and ask the question. Let everyone answer, little ones too.

4

Go deeper with the book

Each card matches a day in *Come, Let Us Adore Him*. Grown-ups can read the full devotion in the morning and bring it to the table at night.

5

Use the weekly cards

Five family cards, one for each part of the Christmas story, give you a longer conversation over a weekend meal.

Your 2026 Advent

Sun Nov 29	Hope · Light the first candle
Tue Dec 1	Part One · The Promise · Daily cards begin
Sun Dec 6	Love · Two candles
Tue Dec 8	Part Two · Preparing Your Heart
Fri Dec 11	Part Three · The Announcement
Sun Dec 13	Joy · Three candles, add the pink
Tue Dec 15	Part Four · The Night He Came
Sun Dec 20	Peace · All four candles
Tue Dec 22	Part Five · Come, Let Us Adore Him
Fri Dec 25	Christmas Day · Light the Christ candle

You'll need

A Bible · an Advent wreath or five candles (three purple, one pink, one white) · scissors · the book, if you have it

SUNDAYS IN ADVENT

Lighting the Advent wreath

Each Sunday, gather around the wreath before a meal. Light the candles, read the passage, say what it means in your own words, pray, and sing a verse of a carol. Ten minutes is plenty. Let a different family member light the candles each week.

The circle of greenery reminds us that God's love has no beginning and no end. The light grows each week as Christmas gets closer.



WEEK 1 · SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Hope

The Prophecy Candle · purple

LIGHT	One purple candle
READ	Isaiah 9:2, 6
REMEMBER	Long before Bethlehem, God promised a King. Our hope rests on a God who keeps His word.
PRAY	*Father, thank You for keeping Your promises. Fill our home with hope as we wait for Jesus. Amen.*
SING	O Come, O Come, Emmanuel



WEEK 2 · SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

Love

The Angel's Candle · purple

LIGHT	Two purple candles
READ	John 3:16–17
REMEMBER	Christmas is God's love wrapped in a person. He didn't send something; He sent His Son.
PRAY	*Jesus, thank You for loving us enough to come. Help us love each other the way You love us. Amen.*
SING	Away in a Manger



WEEK 3 · SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

Joy

The Shepherd's Candle · pink

LIGHT Two purple and the pink

READ Luke 2:8–11

REMEMBER The angel brought good news of great joy for all people. Jesus' joy doesn't depend on how the week went.

PRAY *Lord, fill our hearts with Your joy, and help us share the good news with someone this week. Amen.*

SING Joy to the World



WEEK 4 · SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

Peace

The Bethlehem Candle · purple

LIGHT All four candles

READ Isaiah 9:6; Luke 2:13–14

REMEMBER Jesus is the Prince of Peace. He makes peace between us and God, and He quiets anxious hearts.

PRAY *Prince of Peace, slow us down in this busy week. Guard our hearts and keep our eyes on You. Amen.*

SING Silent Night



CHRISTMAS DAY · FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25

Christ

The Christ Candle · white

LIGHT All five, ending with the white center candle

READ Luke 2:1–20

REMEMBER The wait is over. The Light of the World has come, and He came for us.

PRAY *Jesus, You are the reason we celebrate. We give You our hearts, our worship and our joy. Amen.*

SING O Come, All Ye Faithful

THE PROMISE · TUE · DEC 1

1 Don't Miss the Signs

Read Isaiah 7:14

Immanuel means “God with us.” God didn't wait for us to find Him; He came looking for us.

TALK ABOUT IT

What signs of Christmas have you noticed? Which ones point to Jesus?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 1

THE PROMISE · WED · DEC 2

2 Good Things Come in Small Packages

Read Micah 5:2

God picked a tiny town for the biggest moment in history. He loves to use the small and overlooked.

TALK ABOUT IT

When has something small turned out to be a big deal?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 2

THE PROMISE · THU · DEC 3

3 His Name Shall Be Called

Read Isaiah 9:6

Each of Jesus' names tells us what He is like: Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

TALK ABOUT IT

Which of those four names do you need most this week? Why?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 3

THE PROMISE · FRI · DEC 4

4 Four Gifts for Every Believer

Read Isaiah 9:6

Jesus brings four gifts to everyone who follows Him: wise counsel, daily strength, faithfulness and peace.

TALK ABOUT IT

If you could unwrap one of those four gifts first, which would it be?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 4

THE PROMISE · SAT · DEC 5

5 Wonderful Counselor

Read Isaiah 9:6

Jesus started as a baby so He could know everything we go through. He understands your hurts.

TALK ABOUT IT

Who can you talk to when your heart hurts? How can we pray for each other?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 5

THE PROMISE · SUN · DEC 6

6 A Light to the Nations

Read Isaiah 42:6

Light 2 candles · Love

Christmas lights point to Jesus, the Light of the World. Once His light is in us, we reflect it.

TALK ABOUT IT

How can our family shine Jesus' light to someone this week?

Do together: Drive or walk around tonight to look at Christmas lights.

THE PROMISE · MON · DEC 7

7 God's Coming Justice

Read Jeremiah 33:15

Advent looks back to Jesus' first coming and forward to His return, when He will make every wrong right.

TALK ABOUT IT

What would you like Jesus to make right when He comes back?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 7

PREPARING YOUR HEART · TUE · DEC 8

8 God Knows Who Is Naughty

Read Luke 12:2

We can't hide anything from God, and we don't have to. He sees it all and is ready to forgive.

TALK ABOUT IT

Why is it good news that God sees everything? Is there something we need to make right?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 8

PREPARING YOUR HEART · WED · DEC 9

9 God Is My Portion

Read Psalm 73:26

When we come up short, God is exactly what we need. He is the strength of our hearts.

TALK ABOUT IT

What was hard this year? Where did you see God provide?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 9

PREPARING YOUR HEART · THU · DEC 10

10 The Best Gift to Give

Read Luke 11:13

God's best gift isn't a thing. He gives His Holy Spirit to those who ask.

TALK ABOUT IT

What's the best gift you've ever received? What made it special?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 10

THE ANNOUNCEMENT · FRI · DEC 11

11 Mary, Did You Know?

Read Luke 1:30–32

Mary answered God with a servant's heart: "Let it be to me according to your word."

TALK ABOUT IT

What might God be asking you to say yes to?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 11

THE ANNOUNCEMENT · SAT · DEC 12

12 You're Having a Son

Read Luke 1:30–32

The Son of the Most High came down to our level, not to be served but to serve.

TALK ABOUT IT

Who could our family serve this week? What could we do?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 12

THE ANNOUNCEMENT · SUN · DEC 13

13 Call His Name Jesus

Read Matthew 1:21

Light 3 candles · Joy

Jesus means "the LORD saves." He came for the poor and the humble, and He came for you.

TALK ABOUT IT

What does it mean that Jesus saves us? Grown-ups: share how you came to trust Him.

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 13

THE ANNOUNCEMENT · MON · DEC 14

14 Home for the Holidays

Read Luke 2:4–7

Ninety miles on foot and no room at the inn. Even when plans fall apart, Jesus stays at the center.

TALK ABOUT IT

What part of Christmas stresses you out? Let's hand it to God together.

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 14

THE NIGHT HE CAME · TUE · DEC 15

15 Humble Beginnings

Read Luke 2:6–7

The King was laid in a feed trough. Where you start doesn't define you; who you belong to does.

TALK ABOUT IT

What does God say about who you are?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 15

THE NIGHT HE CAME · WED · DEC 16

16 Precious Gift of Life

Read Luke 2:6–7

Jesus' humble birth means no one is too poor or too far gone to come to Him.

TALK ABOUT IT

Why do you think God chose a manger instead of a palace?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 16

Cut along the dashed lines · Dec 13–16

THE NIGHT HE CAME · THU · DEC 17

17 A Glimpse of Heaven

Read Luke 2:8–9

On an ordinary night in an ordinary field, the glory of heaven broke through.

TALK ABOUT IT

What's the most beautiful thing you have ever seen?

Do together: Sing a carol together before you leave the table.

THE NIGHT HE CAME · FRI · DEC 18

18 The Savior Is Born

Read Luke 2:10–11

Good news of great joy for all the people: the Savior has come, just as God promised.

TALK ABOUT IT

Who is someone who needs to hear this good news?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 18

THE NIGHT HE CAME · SAT · DEC 19

19 Joy to the World

Read Luke 2:10

People spend a lot chasing happiness. Jesus gives His joy for free, and it never runs out.

TALK ABOUT IT

What's the difference between being happy and having joy?

Do together: Sing "Joy to the World."

THE NIGHT HE CAME · SUN · DEC 20

20 What a Glorious Sight

Read Luke 2:12–13

Light 4 candles · Peace

Heaven's choir filled the sky to announce that true peace had come to earth.

TALK ABOUT IT

Where do you need God's peace right now?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 20

THE NIGHT HE CAME · MON · DEC 21

21 The First Christmas

Read Luke 2:16–20

The shepherds hurried to Jesus, then couldn't stop telling everyone what they had seen.

TALK ABOUT IT

Who could we invite to a Christmas Eve service?

Do together: Make the invitation today.

COME, LET US ADORE HIM · TUE · DEC 22

22 What Are You Searching For?

Read Matthew 2:1–2

The wise men traveled far and gave up a lot to find Jesus.

TALK ABOUT IT

What helps you look for Jesus every day?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 22

COME, LET US ADORE HIM · WED · DEC 23

23 Follow the Light

Read Matthew 2:9–11

The star led the wise men to Jesus. Now we get to reflect His light to people who are lost.

TALK ABOUT IT

Who in your life could use some light right now?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 23

COME, LET US ADORE HIM · THU · DEC 24

24 The Joy of the Lord

Read Matthew 2:10–11

When the wise men found Jesus they rejoiced, worshiped and gave Him their best.

TALK ABOUT IT

What gift can you give Jesus this Christmas?

Full devotion: *Come, Let Us Adore Him*, Dec 24

COME, LET US ADORE HIM

FRI · DEC 25

25 Come, Let Us Adore Him

Read Matthew 2:9–12

Light the Christ candle

A surrendered heart, worship and joy. That's what it looks like to adore Him.

TALK ABOUT IT

What are you most thankful for about Jesus today?

Do together: Before presents, read Luke 2:1–20 and sing "O Come, All Ye Faithful."

OUR FAMILY'S ADVENT

Who we're praying for

Write down names to pray for this Advent.

OUR FAMILY'S ADVENT

Who we'll invite

Friends and neighbors to invite to Christmas Eve.

OUR FAMILY'S ADVENT

Moments we want to remember

Answers, prayers and memories from the table.

PART ONE — DEC 1–7

The Promise

1. God made promises hundreds of years before Jesus was born. Which one amazed you most this week?
2. Is it hard for you to wait for something? What helps you wait?
3. Jesus is Immanuel, “God with us.” Where did you notice God with you this week?

Try this: Write one of God's promises on a card and stick it on the fridge.

PART TWO — DEC 8–10

Preparing Your Heart

1. What crowds Jesus out of our Christmas?
2. What's one thing we could say no to this month to make room for what matters?
3. Is there anyone we need to forgive, or make things right with, before Christmas?

Try this: Set one thing aside this week and use that time to pray together.

PART THREE — DEC 11–14

The Announcement

1. Mary said, “I am the servant of the Lord.” What would saying that look like for you?
2. Mary and Joseph's plans got turned upside down. How do you handle it when plans change?
3. Who could our family serve before Christmas?

Try this: Do one secret act of kindness for a neighbor.

PART FOUR — DEC 15–21

The Night He Came

1. Why do you think God told shepherds first?
2. The shepherds couldn't stop talking about Jesus. What would you tell a friend about Him?
3. What's your favorite carol? What does it say about Jesus?

Try this: Sing carols together, and invite someone to Christmas Eve.

PART FIVE — DEC 22–25

Come, Let Us Adore Him

1. The wise men traveled a long way to find Jesus. What does it cost to seek Him today?
2. They gave Jesus their best. What can we give Him?
3. How can we keep worshiping Jesus after the decorations come down?

Try this: Before presents, read Luke 2 and pray together.

AFTER CHRISTMAS — DEC 26 ON

Keep Walking

1. What did you learn about Jesus this Advent?
2. Which moment from our table will you remember?
3. What habit from this month do we want to keep in the new year?

Try this: Keep reading together. New devotions are posted at dailywalkdevotion.com.

GO DEEPER THIS ADVENT

Come, Let Us Adore Him

25 devotions for Advent and Christmas

Every card in this pack matches a day in the book. It follows the Christmas story in order, from the prophets who promised a King to the wise men who came to worship, with one passage of Scripture and a short devotion for each day of December.

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