## Christmas Day

## Synopsis:

Luke 1:26-39, Luke 2:1-19, Matthew 1:18-25, Matthew 2:1-12

Gather your family and encourage your child to re-tell the Christmas story using her finished nativity scene. Remind your family how an angel came to Mary and Joseph and gave them peace by reminding them that God is in control. Call attention to the shepherds and remark how they had joy when the angels told them that Jesus had been born in Bethlehem. Talk about the wise men's long journey and how they had hope that the promise God had made had finally come true. Lastly, look at Baby Jesus in the manger and remember how God showed us His love that first Christmas by sending His Son to earth so that we can have a relationship with Him.

Remark that each one of these people's lives were changed when Jesus came to earth! Ask your family to share how our lives have been changed by the good news of Jesus.

