



DECEMBER FAMILY GUIDE PRESCHOOL TO ELEMENTARY

DEC 3 & 4

WE'RE ALL PART OF GOD'S STORY

BIG IDEA: God has had a plan for His people since the beginning of time with Adam & Eve, and we're all part of God's Big Family!

(GENESIS 3:14-15)

DEC 10 & 11

GOD'S COVENANT WITH ABRAHAM

BIG IDEA: God made a covenant (promise) with Abraham that would one day be fulfilled through Jesus' birth! God is covenant keeper!

(GENESIS 12:2-3)

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(EXODUS 19)

DEC 24 // DEC 31 & JAN 1

GOD'S COVENANT WITH DAVID & NEW COVENANT

BIG IDEA: Just like Abraham & Moses, God made a covenant with David that would one day be fulfilled through Jesus' birth! God has always had a plan to save His people and that's what we celebrate at Christmas!



KEY VERSE:
Isaiah 7:14,
NIRV



GOD STATEMENT:
God is
Covenant Keeper



DECEMBER MISSION FOCUS:
ACTs
Feeding Families



MORNING TIME:

Create a count down to Christmas paper chain together. Then, every morning as a family, take a paper off and write one thing you're excited for, one thing you love about Jesus, or one blessing! On Christmas day, take a moment to read back all the papers together.



MEAL TIME:

Meal time is a great space to tell stories. Talk about why we celebrate Christmas. Take time to share what Christmas was like for you as a child, and share the reason behind your family Christmas traditions. If you don't have any traditions yet, pick one to start this year!



CAR TIME:

As you drive in the car, turn on your favorite Christmas songs! Take turns playing your favorite songs and singing them together as loud as you can. Use this space to spend intentional quality time with your kids.



BED TIME:

As your kids get ready for bed, take time to think about and pray for people in our community that might be struggling or feeling lonely this Christmas.



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BABIES & TODDLERS

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Mornings can be busy, especially with little ones. Take 5 minutes to pause and be intentional. Pray with your little one(s), and teach them how to pray. Make a fun Christmas themed family breakfast together.



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CAR TIME:

December is a great month to look at Christmas decorations. As you drive in the car, turn on Christian Christmas music, and play eye spy with all the Christmas decorations. Point out colors, shapes, or different Christmas characters!



BED TIME:

As you are getting ready for bed, take a moment to be intentional with your kiddo(s). Snuggle up and read a Christmas book together as you are settling down for the night.