



THE GOSPEL PROJECT PRESCHOOL BONUS ADVENT

Date: Sunday December 28, 2025 **Teachers:** Elaine S (lead), Julianne K

Props: from home: **baby doll from home/ Flashlight or use your phone **at centre:**

Review Rules:

One Mouth speaking at a time (Teacher points to mouths/kids point to their mouths)

Two Hands kept to myself (kids wiggle hands and keep them to themselves)

Two Feet kept to myself (kids cross legs)

Speak Kind Words like our God 3 in One

BIBLE STORY: VIDEO “Stories of the Bible- Jesus is Born”

SING A SONG:

Sing to the tune of “JINGLE BELLS :

Jesus is, Jesus is, Jesus is God’s Son

God sent Jesus down to earth, because he loves us SO

ACTIVITY: “Count & be the animals” materials: (none)

What different animals did you see in the Bible story? What animals do you think were there when Jesus was born? When I say an animal can you make the sound of that animal? Human babies aren’t supposed to be born with animals- but God came as Jesus and surprised everyone- He came to rescue his whole world! They wouldn’t expect God to be born with animals, but God left the very throne of heaven to come to the lowest place, where animals sleep. Our God loves us so much!

ACTIVITY: “go tell it!” materials:

Have the kids line up on one side of the room and run and tag a teacher on the other side of the room and shout Jesus has come to save the world!

ACTIVITY: “rocking baby Jesus” materials: (**baby doll from home)

Babies need their mommies and When Jesus was growing in Mary’s tummy, Mary and Joseph had to go to Bethlehem to be counted. (how high can you count- let’s count to 10) Bethlehem had more than 10 people-it was very crowded. Mary and Joseph had to stay where animals slept. Jesus was born, and Mary placed Him in a box filled with soft hay. Can you pretend with me to rock a baby in your arms? (or pass the baby doll around to rock)

SING & SIGN:

Teach the preschoolers to sign Jesus. To perform the sign for Jesus, touch the tip of the middle finger of your right hand into the center of your left palm. Then touch the tip of the middle finger of your left hand to your right palm. Invite the children to follow your lead in signing Jesus’ name until they have memorized it. Sing “Jesus Loves Me” several times while using the sign for Jesus.

PRAYER: *Jesus, thank you for coming to earth to rescue us and to make us a part of your family.*

FREE PLAY/PLAYDOUGH/SNACK/COLOURING SHEETS