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Color while you pray for 25 days!

Leading up to Christmas, learn more about Jesus and why His birth is the best gift! Each day, focus on a different practice to grow closer to God. Scan the QR code to use the YouVersion plan for a detailed devo guide.



Day 1

Main Idea: Jesus came to shine His light into our darkness.

Practice: Read John 8:12 out loud. Then write it down, put it somewhere in your room, and say it before bed.

Day 2

Main Idea: Because God sees me, He sent Jesus to free me.

Practice: Pray and ask God to show you how He sees you and how you can share hope with someone today.

Day 3

Main Idea: God meets us in our fear and turns ordinary spaces into holy ground.

Practice: Getting out of your comfort zone is scary, but God's with you! Be kind to someone today even if it's uncomfortable.

Day 4

Main Idea: God's presence gives us purpose and faith for our everyday lives.

Practice: Read Hebrews 11:24-28 and talk about it with your family. What was Moses' faith like?

Day 5

Main Idea: God doesn't just guide us with His light; He calls us to carry it to others.

Practice: Serve someone today! Ask your friend or teacher if they need help with something, bake cookies for your neighbor, or help your sibling with homework.

Day 6

Main Idea: One day, Christ will come back to make all things new.

Practice: Rest with your family this weekend. Do something fun that brings you closer to Jesus, such as singing and dancing to worship music, reading the Bible, or eating together.

Day 7

Main Idea: The Light of the world lives in us, and we're called to share Him with others.

Practice: Do something creative today to worship God! Draw a picture of the Christmas story, write your favorite verse with colors, or draw how Jesus is the Light of the world.

Day 8

Main Idea: God provides exactly what we need, and Jesus is our true bread from heaven.

Practice: Read Matthew 6:31-33 out loud. Then write it down, put it somewhere in your room, and say it before bed.

Day 9

Main Idea: Jesus is the Living Water so we can be satisfied forever.

Practice: Pray today, "Lord, my heart wants you. You're the water my soul needs!" Then, as a family, go around telling God a few things you're thankful for.

Day 10

Main Idea: God fills everyday moments with His goodness.

Practice: Show God's goodness to the people around you today by spending time with them! Ask your friends or family about their favorite things to do during Christmas.

Day 11

Main Idea: I can look for God's goodness in my everyday life.

Practice: Read Psalm 100 and use it to pray. Talk about how God has been good to you with your family.

Day 12

Main Idea: God's plan to save His people through the Passover lamb points to Jesus, our perfect Lamb, who gives us new life.

Practice: Today, spend time serving someone around you just like Jesus served us! Ask your parents if they need help with chores, bake cookies for your class, get your teacher their favorite drink, or help your friends with homework.

Day 13

Main Idea: Jesus can take the ordinary parts of our lives and make them extraordinary.

Practice: Rest with your family this weekend. Do something fun that brings you closer to Jesus, such as singing and dancing to worship music, reading the Bible, or eating together.

Day 14

Main Idea: Jesus is the bread of life! My life is found in Him.

Practice: Do something creative today to worship God! Draw a picture of today's main idea, write your favorite verse with colors, or draw your favorite Bible story.

Day 15

Main Idea: God loves when His people press pause on their day and listen for His voice.

Practice: Read John 10:1-6. Write down your favorite parts of the verse and put it in your room. Read it before bed and use it to pray.

Day 16

Main Idea: The Holy Spirit lives in me, so I can worship and listen to His voice.

Practice: Today, pray and talk to the Holy Spirit. Ask Him to help you know His voice better from God's Word. Stay quiet and ask Him if He wants to speak to you.

Day 17

Main Idea: God speaks to ordinary people and gives them extraordinary purpose.

Practice: Today, show someone you love them by listening without interruptions, asking questions about their life, and asking how you can pray for them.

Day 18

Main Idea: I can trust and worship God, even when His plan is hard to understand.

Practice: Read Psalm 25:1-5. Talk about it with your family. What does it mean for you to put your trust in God, and how can you do that every day?

Day 19

Main Idea: Joseph trusted God's voice and obeyed, even when it was hard.

Practice: Encourage someone today with a random act of kindness! Write a note for someone with a compliment and share it with them today.

Day 20

Main Idea: God shared the good news of Jesus' birth with ordinary people like shepherds to show that His love is for everyone.

Practice: Rest with your family this weekend. Do something fun that brings you closer to Jesus, such as singing and dancing to worship music, reading the Bible, or eating together.

Day 21

Main Idea: I can trust and follow Jesus, my good shepherd.

Practice: Do something creative today to worship God! Draw a picture of today's main idea, decorate an ornament for your tree with a Bible verse, or make Christmas cards for people.

Day 22

Main Idea: God transforms our heartfelt prayers and faithful actions into extraordinary praise.

Practice: Read 1 Samuel 2:1-10. How are Hannah's and Mary's (Luke 1:46-55) songs alike? Write your favorite part of their songs down and put it in your room to read before bed.

Day 23

Main Idea: God's always worthy to be praised with all my heart.

Practice: Write your own version of a song of praise, like Hannah and Mary, and share it with your family.

Day 24

Main Idea: Jesus' birth shows that God's love came wrapped in humility.

Practice: Enjoy time with your family on Christmas Eve! Practice loving others by focusing on them and making them smile today.

Day 25

Main Idea: Merry Christmas! The baby born in Bethlehem will one day return as King!

Practice: Celebrate! Jesus is born! Take time today to have fun with your family, eat good food, laugh, and say thank you, Jesus, for the best gift of all—His birth!