

LESSON DISCUSSION GUIDE EARLY CHILDHOOD

3 & 4 Year Olds

December 9 & 10, 2023 Weekend

MAIN POINT:

Jesus Is Born

BIBLE VERSE:

"Today your Saviour was born in David's town. He is Christ, the Lord" Luke 2:11

BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

Jesus was born in Bethlehem. His parents laid him in a manger because there was no room in the inn. An angel appeared to some shepherds and told them the good news, that Jesus was born! The shepherds went right away to see baby Jesus. Then they went to tell others the good news.

WATCH IT

Find the lesson video on our website: https://cschurch.ca/childrens-online

DO IT → AWAY IN A MANGER COLOURING SHEET

Supplies:

- Away In A Manger colouring template (see last page)
- Raffia or shredded paper (a paper lunch bag through the paper shredder works great!)
- Colouring markers, pencil crayons, or crayons
- Glue stick

Activity Instructions:

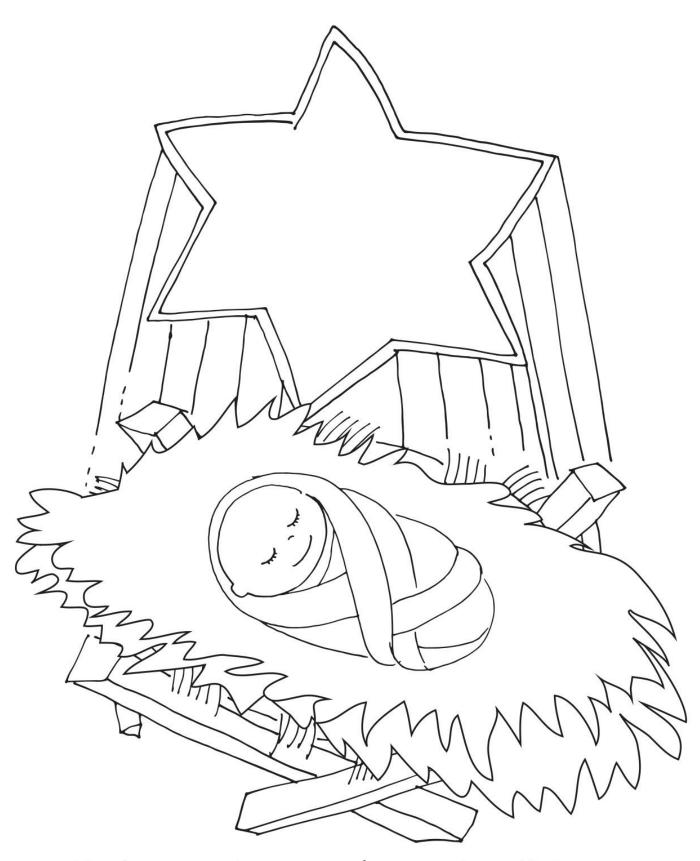
- Print the template.
- Have your child colour the picture.
- Help them put glue on the manger, and then add a handful of raffia or paper shreddings.

FAMILY DISCUSSION:

- The shepherds were so excited to meet baby Jesus. They found Him in the manger, just like the angel had said. They worshipped Him, just like we worship God today.
 Let's take some time to worship Jesus now! (Sing a favourite worship song, or shout together "We love you, Jesus!".)
- 2. The angels told the shepherds that Jesus was born. Then the shepherds went and told everyone the good news: Jesus is born! Let's practice telling everyone the good news. Cup your hands around your mouth and on the count of three let's say, "Jesus is born!" 1-2-3! Jesus is born! (Think of people who you could share the good news with.)

FAMILY PRAYER:

Dear Jesus, We are so glad that You were born. Help us tell everyone about You! We love You. In Your name, Amen.



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