



St. Peter's Church Children's Liturgy

WEEK OF: Dec 24-25, 2022

The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas) Mass during the Day: Christmas is one of the great feasts of the Church's year when it is more appropriate for the entire worshipping community to celebrate the liturgy of the Word together. To encourage such a shared celebration, appropriate spiritual passages and ideas for an activity-based homily are provided, together with suitable intercessions which can be read and appreciated by children and adults alike.

Please begin your learning with the prayer in the 'Heart' section, then with the work in the 'Head' section, followed by applying your knowledge in the 'Hands' section.

HEART

Our Father, Who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy Name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy Will be done, on earth as it is in
Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against
us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

Amen.



HEAD

- Christmas Story Video: [Link 1](#), [Link 2](#)
- Coloring Page: [Link 1](#)
- Nativity Cutting Page: [Link 1](#)

HANDS

Gospel Reflection/Activity:

- Invite a member from each family to collect a prepared Christingle (children should be accompanied by an adult), and gather around the crib or advent wreath as appropriate. Light the Christingles from the central candle on the Advent wreath, and when all are lit, sing and appropriate hymn or carol.

NOTES

- New Children Liturgy e-learning/ activities are added on a weekly basis.
- Pick and choose the activities that are best suited for your child. Do as much as you can and manage the tasks on your own schedule.
- Activity links are also online in case they do not work in the pdf.
- Send the youth minister a message, photo, video or a collage of your child's best work and we will post it on the parish website.
- Email: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca

