

Christmas

at THE CREEK

ADVENT DEVOTIONALS

WEEK 4: PEACE

Sunday, December 18

READ: Luke 2:8-20A

After Jesus was born, the first people to find out are some unassuming shepherds in a field minding their own business. The angel announced Jesus' birth along with an angel choir proclaiming God's peace for everyone on earth. They rushed to see the baby for themselves. They were so excited they spent the rest of the night telling everyone they could about Jesus. We hope this Christmas you would come to know God's love and believe Jesus truly is the Savior of the world.

ASK:

- What does it mean to have peace?
- Why is it hard to find peace sometimes?
- How can you have peace knowing God loves you and sent Jesus?

PRAY:

"Dear God, thank You for showing Your love by sending Jesus. You kept Your promise to send a Savior. Help me to always remember how much You love us—so much so that You sent Your own Son. And help me remember the true meaning of Christmas as we celebrate this season. I love You, and pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

As you go about your week, take some time to reflect on each of the daily passages. Sit with God in each text. Allow God's Word to speak to you. Ask yourself, "Lord, what do you want to show me in this text today?" Then, listen. After each day has wrapped up, finish in prayer.

Monday: Matthew 11:27-30

Tuesday: John 14:25-27

Wednesday: Isaiah 2:4; Isaiah 11:6-9

Thursday: Isaiah 9:6

Friday: Philippians 4:6-7

Saturday: Colossians 3:15-17