

♥ FAITH & FAMILY

FAMILY CREATIONS

Cover a table with a plastic tablecloth or newspaper. Get out modeling clay and make figures of Joseph, Mary, baby Jesus, the shepherds, and so on. As you make the figures, practice telling each other the story of Jesus' birth. Plan to give the figures to a friend or family member who needs to hear about Jesus. You can write a short story about Jesus' birth to give along with the crafts.



FAMILY OUTING



Plan a family outing that will help you experience some of what the shepherds experienced when Jesus was born. Check local newspapers for community events that depict the birth of Jesus. Do any of these events have live animals, such as sheep or a donkey? Walk together to a predetermined destination, preferably up and down hills. Hurry to get to your destination. Imagine seeing a mother and father with their newborn baby. Act out telling others about the baby.

LOOK IN THE BOOK

Read together this week's Bible story from Luke 2:1-20.
Remember, **Jesus is God's promised Son.**