

BITE SIZE FAITH FORMATION FOR FAMILIES

ADVENT 2021 – FIRST WEEK OF ADVENT

VIDEO

Leading up to the celebration of the birth Jesus and Christmas we have four weeks of Advent.

The **First Sunday** of Advent, *November 28th, 2021*, marks the beginning of a new liturgical year. So “Happy New Year”!

So, what is advent...watch this quick [Advent in Two-Minutes](#) video from Busted Halo and this wonderful animated video from [Brother Francis Introducing Advent](#) (4:14 minutes)

MUSIC FOR ADVENT

As we celebrate “Advent” with our family, we are helping them prepare for Christ’s “coming” into this world. The music selected helps to remind us that we are waiting together.

[Lord Jesus Come](#)

ACTIVITIES

Let’s get started with the making of an [Advent Wreath](#). If you need to keep it simple use this Advent Wreath [coloring page](#). For more suggested activities throughout Advent check out the [Sadlier Advent Calendar](#).



Another fun activity to consider is the making of a [Jesse Tree and its ornaments](#).

ADVENT WREATH BLESSING AND WEEKLY READING

Once your Advent Wreath is made your family can gather for the [Advent Wreath Blessing and Weekly Reading](#).

ART REFLECTION



Can you see the reading and gospel stories in these pictures?

STORY TIME

The children’s story “[Christmas Time It’s All About Jesus](#)” read aloud. (9:46 minutes)