

ALL ABOUT ADVENT WREATH

READING COMPREHENSION & QUESTIONS



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The Bethlehem Candle: Preparing for the

On the second Sunday of Advent, the second candle, known as the "Bethlehem Candle," is lit. This candle represents the preparation for the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem. Families continue to gather, lighting this candle and sharing joyful Christmas celebrations.

The Shepherd Candle: Embracing the Joy:

The third candle, a joyful pink, is lit on the third Sunday of Advent. Named the "Shepherd Candle," it represents joy. Families gather, celebrating the joy that comes with the anticipation of Jesus' birth and the fulfillment of God's promises.

The Angel Candle: Illuminating with Love:

On the fourth Sunday of Advent, the fourth purple candle, the "Angel Candle," is lit. Symbolizing love, families come together one last time before Christmas, lighting this candle and reflecting on the love that God shares with us through the birth of Jesus.

The Christ Candle: A Radiant Celebration:

On Christmas Day, a fifth candle, often white, is placed in the center of the wreath. This "Christ Candle" is lit to celebrate the birth of Jesus, representing the light that came into the world through the Savior. It serves as a radiant focal point, reminding everyone of the true reason for the Christmas celebration.

The Advent Wreath, with its carefully lit candles, guides families through a meaningful journey of hope, peace, joy, and love. This cherished tradition helps keep the true spirit of Christmas alive in our hearts as we prepare to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

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THE CHRIST CANDLE

SHEPHERD CANDLE

MCQ'S

Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

Name: _____

What does the circular shape of the Advent Wreath represent?

- a) Endless celebration
- b) Eternal love and hope
- c) Continuous joy
- d) Unending peace

Which candle is lit on the first Sunday represents hope?

- a) Bethlehem Candle
- b) Shepherd Candle
- c) Prophecy Candle
- d) Angel Candle

What does the pink candle on the Advent Wreath symbolize?

- a) Love
- b) Joy
- c) Hope
- d) Peace

Which candle is lit on the fourth Sunday represents love?

- a) Christ Candle
- b) Bethlehem Candle
- c) Angel Candle
- d) Shepherd Candle

Which candle is placed in the center of the Advent Wreath and lit on Christmas Day?

- a) Prophecy Candle
- b) Bethlehem Candle
- c) Christ Candle
- d) Shepherd Candle

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