

# Family Discipleship

**Big Idea: Jesus Christ was God's plan for rescue.**

## **Connect in Conversation**

### **Read Luke 2:1-21**

- Why was Jesus' birth a big deal?
- Why was Jesus born?
- Why do you think the Shepherds were the first told about the birth of Jesus? (look up some information about Shepherds if you need some insight)
- What did the Angel say to the Shepherds? (vs 10-14)

## **Memory Verse**

### **Matthew 1:21 NLT**

“And she will have a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.”

## **Prayer**

Praise: What is something you love about Who God Is?

Thanksgiving: What is something you are thankful for this week?

Pray for Others: Are there others that need prayer?

Confession: Is there anything in your heart that needs cleaning out?

Requests: What needs prayer?

## **Creating Space**

School is starting for most kids around this time. It is busy. However, I encourage you to build in some space to play some Christmas songs or make an ornament this week. Hobby Lobby may already have Christmas somewhere in their store. Take a first day of school picture and put it in a round plastic ornament with some glitter or confetti.

If you have the opportunity or means, maybe choose one day to have a small surprise gift waiting in the living room for your kids as a mini-Christmas surprise! Just as Jesus was such a huge gift to us all, we celebrate his birth by giving gifts to those we love. OR you can encourage your kids to give a homemade gift to a friend or family member to represent the same idea!