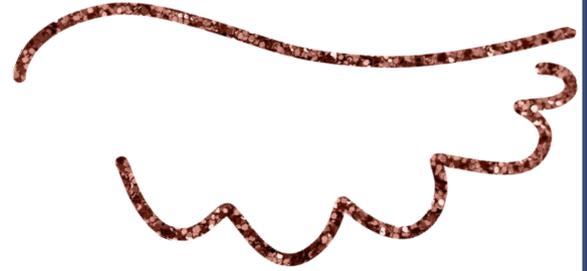


## Game: Christmas Bingo

Walk around your home and tick off all the Christmasy things you see from the list in your home.

- Christmas tree
- Christmas jumper
- A present
- Advent calendar
- A star
- A bauble
- Tinsel
- Fairy lights
- Chocolates
- Christmas wrapping paper
- Christmas card
- Mince pie
- Christmas pudding/dessert



## Game: Christmas memory game

Fill a tray full of Christmas items and show your family what is on the tray. Cover the tray with a towel and remove one/two items from the tray-ask everyone what they think is missing. Reward a point to those who guess correctly.

**Watch: God's story: Jesus is born** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FrOJJo6LNfw>

## Story: Jesus is born

Bethlehem was so crowded, there was no comfortable bed for Mary and Joseph. There was just room to squeeze in with the animals. It was probably rather smelly! But in spite of the crowds and the animals and the smell, Mary's baby was born. Mary wrapped him in a cloth. Joseph looked round for somewhere safe to put him where he wouldn't get trodden on. The best place was in the animals' feeding trough. To some people, he must have seemed just an ordinary baby who could see, hear, touch, taste and smell. He could feel happy, sad and tired and would learn to speak as he grew older. He was a human being. But Jesus wasn't just a human being who had all the feelings we have; he was also God's Son.

## Bible verse: Isaiah 9:6

A child has been born for us. his name will be Wonderful Advisor, Mighty God, Eternal Father and Prince of Peace.

**Craft: Nativity Christmas tree Decoration** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8J9FIC6G3g>

## Prayer:

Dear God, Thank you God for the journeys and adventure. Thank you for all the different people in the nativity story. But most of all thank you for Jesus. Amen.

