

Grade 2

Lesson 7 Glory to God in the highest

Objective: Students will be able to understand the significance of the Nativity of Jesus Christ and its importance in the Christian faith.

Starter

1. Let children share their birthday celebrations, birthday, place of birth
2. Begin with a brief discussion starter: "Have you ever heard the story of the Christmas, when Jesus was born?" Allow students to share their thoughts and any prior knowledge they may have.
3. Create enthusiasm amongst the children about the special baby sent by God himself.
4. Introduce the concept of the Nativity of Jesus Christ as the story of Jesus' birth, emphasizing humility, love of God

Presentation:

1. Read aloud the Nativity story from the Bible (Luke 2:1-20 or a children's Bible version). Use engaging and age-appropriate language to capture the students' attention.
2. As you read, pause to explain key elements of the story, such as Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem, the humble circumstances of Jesus birth, Appearance of Angel to the ordinary shepherds and the announcement of Good news
3. We celebrate Christmas because God loves us and gave his son, Jesus, so that we can be with him forever.
4. God gave us his son, Jesus so that those who believe in him can become children of God

Practical Application :

1. Discuss ways in which we can honor Jesus on His birthday.
 - Praying and thanking Jesus for coming to Earth.
 - Singing Christmas carols that celebrate Jesus' birth.
 - Helping others in need, as Jesus taught us to love one another.
 - Sharing gifts with family and friends, symbolizing God's gift of Jesus to the world.
2. Encourage students to think of one way they can honor Jesus on Christmas Day and share their ideas with the class.

Bible verse: Write and learn the Bible verse

Luke 2:10-11

I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord.

Activity

Activity – 1 Make the children do a Good news card. The Card should include a simple message about Jesus birth, as well as the bible verse Luke 2:11

Activity – 2 Make children sing one or two Carol Song in honor of the birth of Jesus