

A festive Christmas scene featuring a lit candle, a golden ornament, and a red ornament against a background of warm bokeh lights. The candle is lit, casting a warm glow. The ornaments are hanging from a string, and the background is filled with soft, out-of-focus lights. The text "CHRISTMAS 2024" is overlaid at the bottom in white, bold, sans-serif font.

CHRISTMAS 2024



The Christmas Star

Advent

What does Advent
mean?



What does Advent really mean?



Advent means the coming of something, in this case it is the coming of Jesus. Advent is a period lasting four Sundays preparing for the birth of Jesus Christ.



Advent Wreath

During the season of Advent, Christians across the world prepare for the celebrations of the arrival of the Lord into the world through the birth of his son, Jesus Christ.

The Advent wreath is one of the symbols that Christians use to help them prepare.

Preparing with an Advent wreath is a great way for Christians to keep Jesus at the centre of Christmas.

**Why is the
Advent wreath
so special to
Christians?**





Let us pray



**Go Tell it on the
Mountain**

TUESDAY
3RD
DECEMBER

Class worship

Advent



KINDNESS

SHARE SOME EXAMPLES OF KINDNESS

Be Kind Advent Calendar

1st
Tidy your bedroom without being asked.

2nd
Donate some of your old toys to a charity shop.

3rd
Leave a dish of water out for the birds and animals.

4th
Ask your teacher if you can sharpen the crayons for them.

5th
Donate some food to your local food bank (check their requirements first).

6th
Make your bed every day without being asked.

7th
Make some biscuits to deliver to your friends.

8th
Make a care package for a friend or family member.

9th
Let a friend know you appreciate them.

10th
Hold the door open for someone.

11th
Offer to help an elderly relative with their Christmas decorations.

12th
Smile at everyone you meet today.

13th
Try to be kind to your siblings.

14th
Donate items to your local animal shelter (check their requirements first).

15th
Leave a happy note for someone to find.

16th
Feed the birds in your garden or local park.

17th
Tell someone a silly joke to make them smile.

18th
Offer to help out with a household chore.

19th
Leave a treat for your post delivery person.

20th
Post a thank you card to your local police, fire or ambulance station.

21st
Write a thank you note to a teacher or someone who has helped you recently.

22nd
Help with dinner preparations by setting the table without being asked.

23rd
Phone a relative for a chat.

24th
Let your parents/carers have a lie-in and read a book in bed until they are awake.



DESIGN YOUR OWN KINDNESS ADVENT CALENDAR



Nice List Advent Calendar

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| 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | 4 th | 5 th | 6 th |
| 7 th | 8 th | 9 th | 10 th | 11 th | 12 th |
| 13 th | 14 th | 15 th | 16 th | 17 th | 18 th |
| 19 th | 20 th | 21 st | 22 nd | 23 rd | 24 th |



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PRAYER

Dear Lord Jesus,

We ask that you help us prepare our hearts for Your coming this Christmas. During this Advent season, may we pray more, look for ways to help others, and show kindness in your name.

Amen



SONG

ALL AROUND THE WORLD