

Day 4: READ → Luke 2:36-40

READ & DO → Do you know anyone in your life who is between the ages of 84-105? If so, what is their name?

Anna was somewhere between 84 to 105 years old. She was a widow and in a world where women had less say, God used her in a big way. She never left the temple but worshiped night and day, fasting and praying. Anna is the only female prophet in the New Testament. Her dedication to prayer in the temple suggests that Anna was a woman of remarkable faith.

Discuss the following...

Who in your life has been like Anna? How does this person show faithful dedication to God?

What do you hear the Spirit saying to you or your family in response to this passage?

PRAY → *God, help me grow stronger in my faith and prayer walk. Thank you for the older people in my life who draw me closer to Jesus. Amen.*

_____ I completed this weekly devotion with my adopted pet. (You will receive an additional \$2 Kids' Kash this week.) Way to go!

Child's Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

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Advent Week 4(LOVE): READ → John 3:16

READ & DO → Advent Week 4 is known as the candle of love. Use the code below to figure out the message about God's love.

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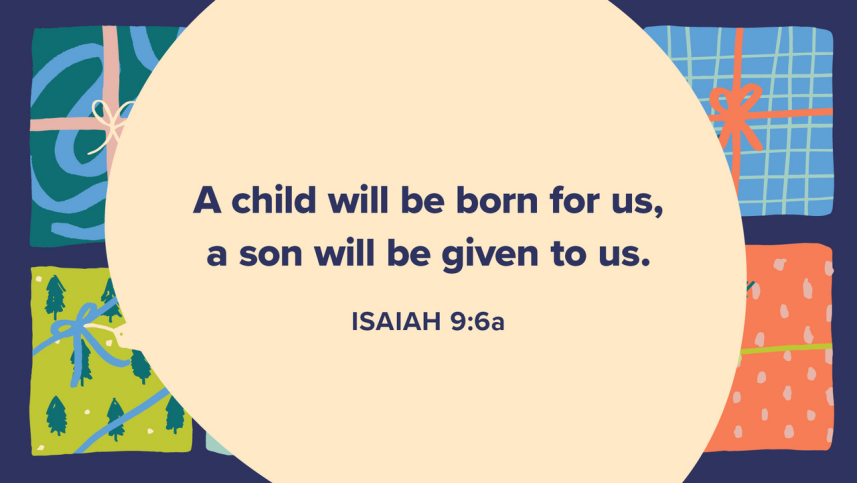
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PRAY → *Dear God, thank You for Your love—a love so great that You gave Your one and only Son so that we could have eternal life. Amen.*



**A child will be born for us,
a son will be given to us.**

ISAIAH 9:6a

Day 2: READ → Luke 2:21-32

READ & ANSWER → Think about a time that you had to wait for something. What were you waiting for?

How long did you wait?

Simeon, an old priest who recognized who Jesus was had waited his whole life, to see the Christ child and now felt ready to die in peace. Anna was an old widow who lived in the temple and was also granted the blessing of seeing Jesus.

Simeon and Anna are key figures to remind us that sometimes we have to wait in order to see God's plans unfold. It is always worth that wait and rich blessings will come to those who trust and have faith in the Lord.

PRAY → God, Thank you for sending Jesus, your special Son, to us, just like you promised. Help me to wait for your plans with a trusting heart, just like they did. Amen.

Day 3: READ → Luke 2:33-35

READ & DO → About a month after Jesus was born, Mary and Joseph took him up to Jerusalem, to the Temple. They had to travel all the way from Bethlehem. They needed to do a special ceremony for Jesus there. The Jewish law said that the parents of a new baby needed to dedicate the child to God and say thank you for the child. Were you dedicated as a baby? If so, what was the date that you were dedicated?

Ask mom or dad to look at your baby dedication photos. Have your parents share details with you about that day.

PRAY → God, I want to marvel at you like Mary and Joseph did that day in the Temple. Amen.



**GOD
GIVES ME
HOPE**

JESUS WAS DEDICATED

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