



**week four- peace  
angel candle**

***read - Luke 2:13-15***

Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests." "When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

***read - John 14:27***

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.

***sing - Hark the Herald Angels Sing  
and Angels We Have Heard on High***



**week three- joy  
shepherd candle**

***read - Luke 2:8-12***

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified.

But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people.

Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."

***sing - Joy to the World and  
The First Noel***



**week one - hope  
prophecy candle**

**read - Isaiah 9:6-7**

For to us a child is born,  
to us a son is given,  
and the government will be on his shoulders.  
And he will be called  
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,  
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.  
Of the greatness of his government and peace  
there will be no end.  
He will reign on David's throne  
and over his kingdom,  
establishing and upholding it  
with justice and righteousness  
from that time on and forever.  
The zeal of the Lord Almighty  
will accomplish this.

**sing - O Come, O Come Emmanuel**



**week two - faith/love  
Bethlehem candle**

**read - Micah 5:2-4**

"But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah,  
though you are small among the clans of  
Judah,  
out of you will come for me  
one who will be ruler over Israel,  
whose origins are from of old,  
from ancient times." Therefore Israel will be  
abandoned  
until the time when she who is in labor bears a  
son, and the rest of his brothers return  
to join the Israelites. He will stand and  
shepherd his flock in the strength of the Lord,  
in the majesty of the name of the Lord his  
God.  
And they will live securely, for then his greatness  
will reach to the ends of the earth.

**sing - O Little Town of Bethlehem**

