



# CHRIST- CENTERED CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS

*A Family Planner to Help  
You Give Serve & Celebrate  
with Purpose*

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# Christmas Activity Planner

## Heart of Giving

- Adopt a family in need or donate to a local charity
- Love on the shut-ins, widows/widowers, caregivers
- Bake and deliver cookies to your neighbors
- Keep several gift cards in your car and give them to someone in need
- Do little Random Acts of Kindness all month
- Make "love coupon books" with acts of kindness your kids can give

## Educational Twists

- Map the places mentioned in the Nativity story
- Write Advent prayers or cards together
- Learn about Christmas traditions from other countries
- Take a "Christmas School" week or all of December if you homeschool and enjoy a daily book from the book basket

## Faith & Reflection

- Read daily Jesse Tree or Advent devotionals together
- Read the Christmas Story from Scripture (Luke 2) and act it out
- Attend a candlelight or Live Nativity service
- Start a Christmas journal or scrapbook

## Family Fun with Purpose

- Camp out in sleeping bags by the Christmas tree lights
- Bake cookies and go caroling in your neighborhood
- Drive around to see the Christmas lights
- Make your own wrapping paper
- Create a paper chain counting down to Christmas
- "A Kiss a Day" – Hershey Kisses wrapped in Saran Wrap, tied with ribbon in between each one. one daily and enjoy!



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## ACTIVITY PLANNER

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