Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

First Reading: Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
Second Reading: Colossians 3:12-21
Gospel: Luke 2:22-40

Full Readings can be found here!

1. HEAR

Grab your bible and look up the reading. Don't have one? No worries you can find the text here.

Check out this <u>video of the proclamation of the Gospel</u>, appropriate for children.



Share with us how you are living out your faith at home. Use #LACatholicsBelieve and tag @LACatholics on social media.

2. PRAY

Together, reflect on the gifts that you bring to your family. This time of year we tend to think of material gifts when we hear the word "gift" but, take a moment to focus on the gifts and talents we receive from God. Each person is to think of one gift that they know they have (caring, forgiving, friendliness etc.).

Once each person has their gift written, create a prayer together listing each person's gift and thanking God for those gifts. Once the prayer has been written, place a nativity set as a centerpiece and offer your prayer together as a family.

3. TALK

Have a conversation as a family about the gift that you wrote for the prayer and also talk about two other gifts you have that can be a blessing to your family and also the wider community. If you live by yourself, call a close friend or a family member to talk to.



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