

On Christmas, we hear new hymns. Which ones do you hear in your worship space?

Match the title of the hymn on the left with the illustration on the right. Be sure to include your favorites!

Go Tell It on the Mountain



Away in a Manger



Joy to the World



Angels We Have Heard on High

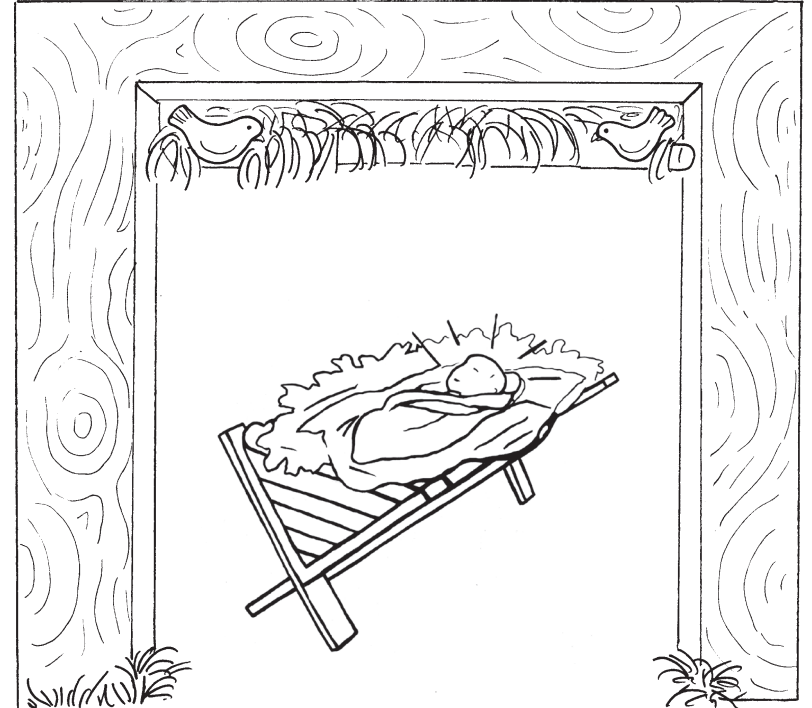


# PRE-READER

Christmas Eve

- Today is **Christmas Eve**. We celebrate **Jesus' birth!**
- One **symbol** we see at Christmas is the **manger**.
- A manger is a place where animals eat. It was also **Jesus' first bed!**

Jesus was born in a stable, but he was not alone. Listen to the Christmas story. Then draw the animals you think were with Jesus. Don't forget Mary and Joseph!

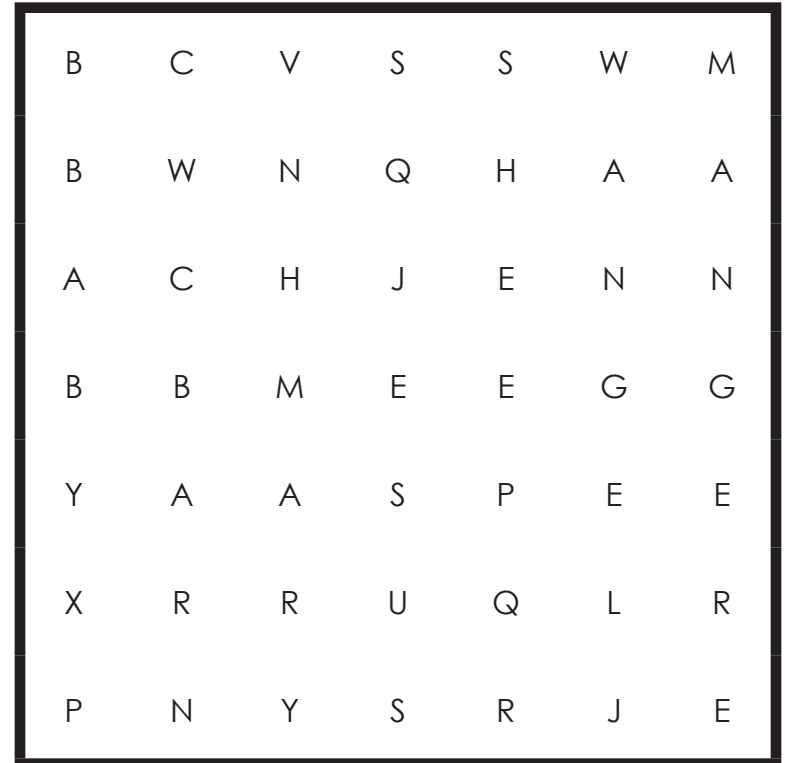




**“I bring wonderful news. The child God promised was born tonight.”**

Mary and Joseph had to find a place to sleep when they arrived in Bethlehem.

**Find pieces of their story in the word search below.**



**baby  
angel  
manger  
sheep**

**Mary  
barn  
Jesus**