

# Songs of the Season

During the Christmas season, we sing lots of fun hymns that celebrate Jesus' birth.

What are your favorite hymns and carols during the Christmas season?



The Christmas season is coming to an end this week. What songs did you sing in worship today?



# READER

Christmas 2

- Today is the **2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday** after Christmas.
- Jesus is called the **Word of God**.
- Jesus came to earth to teach everyone about **God's love**.

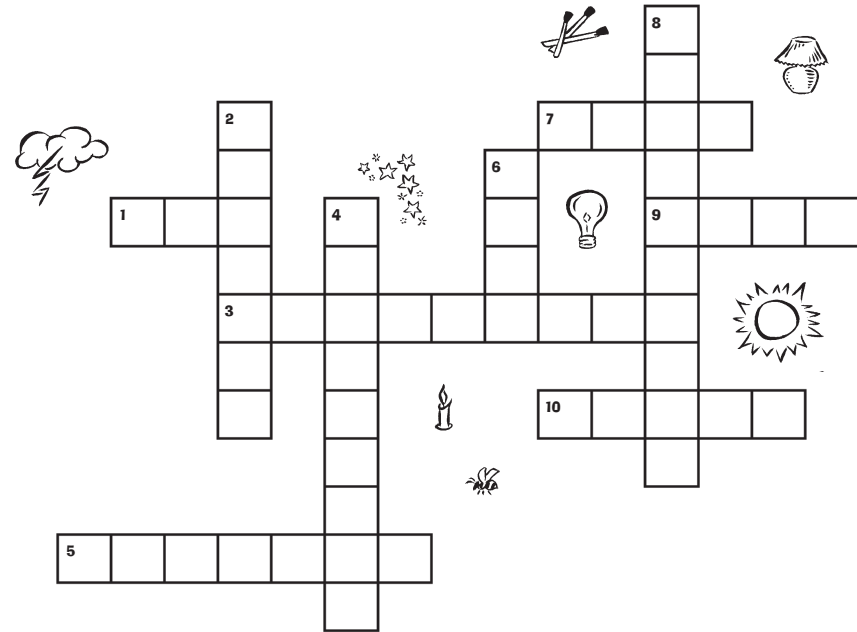
## Praise God!

On the first Christmas, angels praised God for sending Jesus. Use the angel code to find four ways we celebrate God's greatest gift—Jesus!



# Here Comes the Sun

John used a special word to describe God's gift of Jesus to the world. To find this word, complete the crossword puzzle. Then answer the question. Write the answer in the blank to complete the sentence.



## Across

1. Big light in the daytime sky.
3. Bright flash you see with thunder.
5. Little bug that has its own nightlight.
9. Lights up a room at night.
10. Little stick that can start a fire.

## Down

2. Look for these lights on the altar.
4. Screw this into a lamp for light.
6. Big nighttime light in the sky.
8. This helps you see in the dark while driving.

What do all these clues have in common?

Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the world.  
(See John 8:12 NRSV)

The Gospel lesson says Jesus is the world's light. He brings God's love and salvation to the world. Listen closely to the Gospel reading today. Fill in the missing words from these important verses. Use your Spark Bible for help.

## Memory Verse

"What has \_\_\_\_\_ into being in him was \_\_\_\_\_, and the \_\_\_\_\_ was the \_\_\_\_\_ of all people." **John 1:3b-4**

"The \_\_\_\_\_, which enlightens \_\_\_\_\_, was coming into the \_\_\_\_\_." **John 1:9**

"But to \_\_\_\_\_ who received \_\_\_\_\_, who \_\_\_\_\_ in his name, he gave \_\_\_\_\_ to become \_\_\_\_\_ of God."  
**John 1:12**

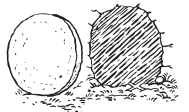
## Look It Up!

Jesus came to tell us about God and God's love. In the Gospel of John, Jesus also tells us about himself. Unscramble the words below to figure out Jesus' 7 "I am" statements. Skim John chapters 6-14 for help.

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Rusercrīnoe dan het file



Ghtil fo eth dorwl



Eth way, teh hturt, adn het lfei



Tage



Nvie



Ogod pehrdseh

