

On Sunday the children led us to reflect on how Christmas is "More Than A Story"

Take some time to talk about how the story of Jesus' birth and life and death became "more than a story" to you. Or, if you are just getting to know Jesus, talk about what you are learning and what you are thinking about Him and the meaning of His life and death.

You might want to include some of the following:

- a) When did you first hear about Jesus and His life story?
- b) Do you remember what your first impressions were?
- c) What has challenged you or puzzled you or amazed you?
- d) When did the "story" become less of a story about Jesus to more of a relationship with Him?
- e) Read John 14:15-17. Jesus called us to be His "followers" and to obey what He asked us to be and do-- to lead a life that is different, that is purposeful, and worshipful, and that transforms the world around us. What do you think that should look like and what has that looked like for you?