

Christmas Countdown Challenge - Readings

Date	Theme	Bible Passage	Lion's Children's Bible	Lion's First Bible	The Toddlers Bible	Symbol Suggestion
1 <sup>st</sup>	Adam / Eve (creation)	Genesis 1: 2-3; Genesis 3: 1-13; 21-24	7-8	10-27	12-23	stars, toy animals, fruit, snake
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Noah	Genesis 6: 9 – 8:19 Genesis 9: 8-17	9-12	28-37	24-31	rainbow, boat, dove
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Abraham	Genesis 15: 1-6	15-19	38-47	36-39	star, baby bootee, tent
4 <sup>th</sup>	Jacob and Esau (1)	Genesis 25: 19-34 Genesis 27: 1-40	23-25	56-65	40-47 52-55	something hairy, a disguise, meat
5 <sup>th</sup>	Jacob and Esau (2)	Genesis 27: 41-45 Genesis 28: 10-22 Genesis 33: 1-5	25 (The Dream) -28	66-73	56-59	ladder
6 <sup>th</sup>	Joseph (1)	Genesis 37: 1-36	29-31	74-81	64-67	jacket, multi coloured material
7 <sup>th</sup>	Joseph (2)	Genesis 39-45	31 (In the king's prison) - 36	82-91	68-75	crown, fat/thin cows, sacks, chariot
8 <sup>th</sup>	Moses (1)	Exodus 2: 1-10	37-39 (1 <sup>st</sup> paragraph)	92-99	76-83	basket, grass
9 <sup>th</sup>	Moses (2)	Exodus 3:1 – 4:17 Exodus 13: 17-22 Exodus 14: 5-31	39-43	100-115	84-103	sea, wind (!?), bush, fire, cloud
10 <sup>th</sup>	Moses (3)	Exodus 16: 1-18 Exodus 19: 16-25 Exodus 20: 1-21	44-49	116-125	104-111	number 10, stones, cloud, bread or cornflakes
11 <sup>th</sup>	Joshua	Genesis 5: 13 – 6: 21	60-62	141-147	132-135	trumpet, soldier, broken wall
12 <sup>th</sup>	Ruth	Ruth 1-4	72-74	164-171	144-147	corn, friendship bracelet
13 <sup>th</sup>	Samuel	1 Samuel 1: 9-28 1 Samuel 1: 31-20	75-79	172-179	148-151	ear, oil lamp, candle
14 <sup>th</sup>	David (1)	1 Samuel 16: 1-13	80-82	188-191	supp. 1	sheep, crook, crown, oil
15 <sup>th</sup>	David (2)	1 Samuel 17: 1-58	83-86	192-199	156-159	5 little stones,
16 <sup>th</sup>	Solomon	1 Kings 3: 4-15 1 Kings 6: 1-14	97-103	222-231	168-175	pillar, bricks

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17 <sup>th</sup>	Elijah	1 Kings 18: 16-46	105-110	232-247	176-179 184-187	fire
18 <sup>th</sup>	Daniel	Daniel 1 Daniel 6: 1-23	144-147	272-279	208-215	lion
19 <sup>th</sup>	Nehemiah	Nehemiah 1: 3-11 Nehemiah 2: 1-10	148-153	supp. 2	195-199	brick
20 <sup>th</sup>	Esther	Esther 1-10 (long read, but exciting!)	154-157	supp. 3	200-203	hair band (anything girly)
21 <sup>st</sup>	Jonah	Jonah 1-4	158-160	264-271	216-219	fish, boat
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Isaiah	Isaiah 9: 2-7	Isaiah 9: 2-7	281-282	supp. 4	scroll
23 <sup>rd</sup>	John the Baptist	Mark 1: 1-8	177-179 (first paragraph)	supp. 5	248-251	locust, bee, honey, megaphone
24 <sup>th</sup>	Mary/Joseph	Luke 1: 26-38 Matthew 1: 18-25	162-163 167 (first half)	284-291	220-223	angel, tools
25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Jesus</b>	<b>Luke 2: 1-20</b>	<b>167-170</b>	<b>292-301</b>	<b>224-231</b>	<b>cradle, stable, hay, birthday candles,</b>
26 <sup>th</sup>	Wise Men	Matthew 2: 1-12	171-174	302-309	232-235	presents, perfume bottle
27 <sup>th</sup>	Holy Spirit	Acts 1: 1-5 Acts 2: 1-13	238-239	456-459	380-383	fire, something in a foreign language
28 <sup>th</sup>	Peter	John 21: 1-14 Acts 3: 1-10 Acts 12: 1-18	240-241 246-248	460-465	supp. 6	rock, fish, net, angel, prison bars
29 <sup>th</sup>	Paul	Acts 9: 1-19 Acts 16: 16-40	244-245	566-475	388-391 400-403	letter/envelope, key, prison bars
30 <sup>th</sup>	John (heaven)	Revelation 21	Revelation 21	476-478	supp. 7	
31 <sup>st</sup>	Us	supp. 8	supp. 8	supp. 8	412-415 supp. 8	photo of your family