

St. John's Newsletter



The 12 Days of Christmas are the days from Christmas Day and Epiphany which is traditionally on Jan. 6. Instead of birds, rings and dancers, let's remember these fruits of the Season.

12 Christmas PRAYERS

Joy

May the joy of Christ be felt through us. **Luke 1:44**

FAITH

Increase our faith so we fully trust in Your promises. **Matthew 1:24**

LOVE

Help us see ways to turn love into action this Christmas. **Matthew 25:40**

LIGHT

May the light of Christ shine from within us. **Isaiah 9:2**

PEACE

May the peace of Christ cover the busyness of this season. **Isaiah 9:6**

PROMISE

Thank you for the promise of eternal life through Jesus. **John 3:16**

GRATITUDE

Thank you for all of our blessings, not just the gifts under the tree. **Luke 1:49**

SIMPLICITY

You came as a baby in a manger, help us find value in the simple things. **Luke 2:7**

OBEDIENCE

Help us to be obedient to You even when we don't fully understand. **Luke 1:38**

GENEROSITY

Show us what gifts we have to offer and help us give them generously. **Matthew 2:11**

HOPEFULNESS

Fill us with hope for the coming of our savior, Jesus Christ. **Daniel 2:44**

TOGETHERNESS

Thank you that the gift of Jesus makes us one family together in Christ. **John 1:12**

AMEN!

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