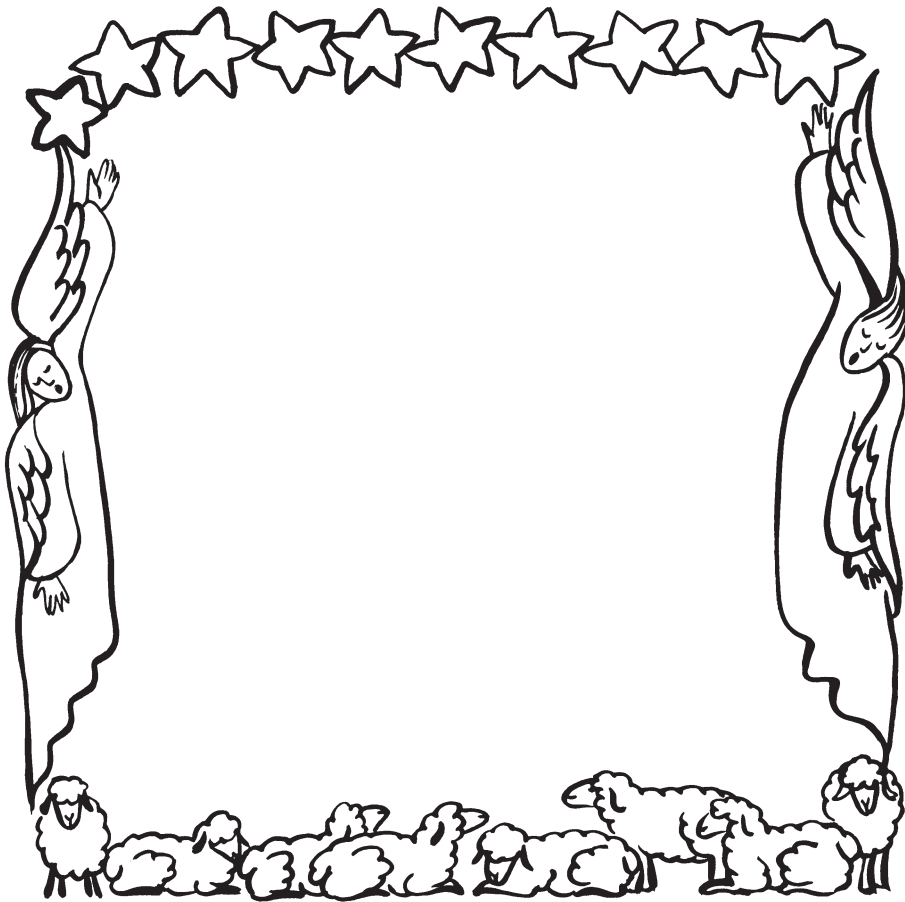


Jesus' birthday is almost here! All 4 candles in the Advent wreath are lit.

In this frame, draw or write what your family does on Christmas Eve to celebrate.

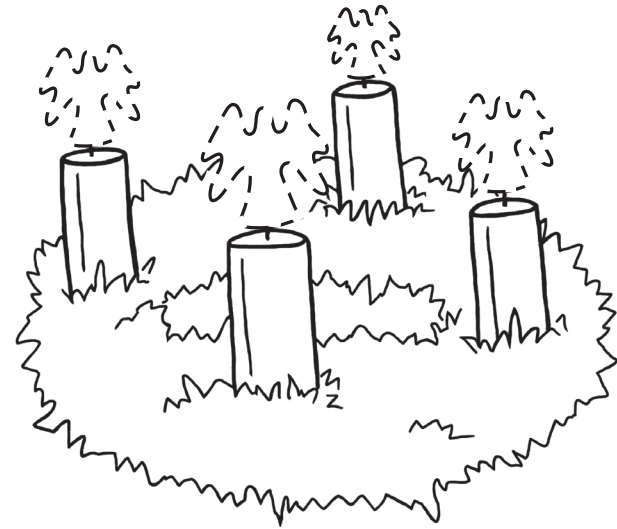


# PRE-READER

Advent 4

- Today is the **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday** in **Advent**.
- During Advent we hear the **good news**—Jesus is coming!
- **Angels** visited **Mary** and **Joseph** to tell them the good news.

Find and trace the angels near the Advent wreath. Then trace the dotted lines to write today's Gospel message.

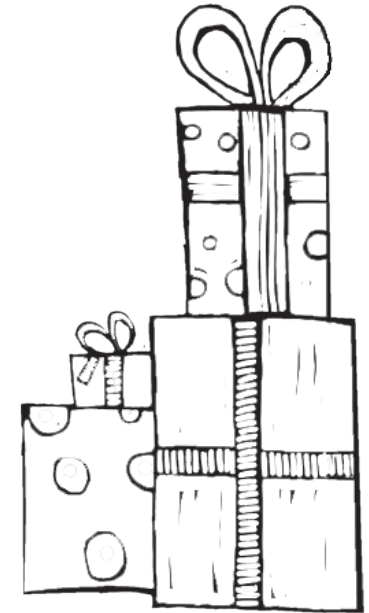


You will have a son  
named Jesus.



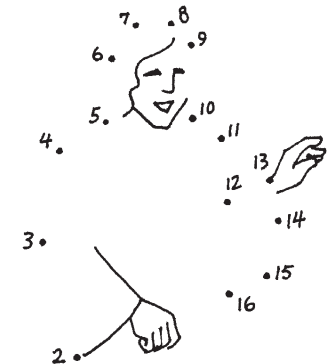
Angels surprised Mary and Joseph with this message: they would be Jesus' parents! What surprising news have you heard recently?

**Draw or write about those surprises.**



The angel Gabriel came to share the good news.

**Connect the dots and meet Gabriel for yourself!**



**“Don't be afraid... You are going to have a son, who you'll name Jesus... He will be God's son.”**

