



Activity #5 – Grades 5, 6, and 7

Bring your completed activity to class on Sunday, January 9 or Wednesday, January 12, 2022

Name _____

Mass During Advent

On the weekend of December 11/12, attend Mass at our basilica or any other Catholic church or watch Mass online. Attend the 9:30 Mass at Sacred Hearts if you can. Mass online at the basilica is on the website <https://shjmbasilica.org/>.

Before Mass, look up and read two of the scripture readings below that you will hear at Mass. Go to <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/121221.cfm>.

Read Reading 1 from Zep 3:14-18a. The last four lines tell us how God feels about us. How does this reading say that God feels about us?

Read the Gospel from Lk 3:10-18. What does John the Baptist tell the crowd to do? This advice is for us, too.

During Mass, listen carefully to the homily, which the priest gives after he reads the Gospel. Ask an adult who is with you to listen carefully to the homily, too.

After Mass, write down something you learned from listening to the homily. _____

Ask the adult you were with for something that s/he learned from listening to the homily and write that down.
