

ADVENT SUNDAY

this is the day we start to prepare for the birth of baby Jesus at Christmas.

- There are 4 Sundays in Advent and each week we light a candle, one the first Sunday, two the next and so on until on Christmas Day we light one in the middle to represent Jesus the 'Light of the World.'
- Below are instructions for making your own to use at home. You could also make one with foliage and flowers.
- You may also have an Advent Calendar with a door or window for each day or an Advent Calendar
- Jesus wants us to shine like candles in the dark places in the world. Colour the poster and put it up for Advent.

HOW TO MAKE A TRAY ADVENT RING:

- Use a biscuit tin lid or a small round tray
- Add five candles and fix them with tack or plasticine
- Decorate the tray or tin lid with all sorts of magical



little Christmas things you could make them, or look at what favorite small decorations you have. Maybe add foliage or some Nativity characters.

- You can make it quite personal with family small treasures that remind you of people you might not be able to visit at the moment.
- Add an Advent Message.
- Light a candle each Sunday until the only one left is the one in the middle for Christmas Day.