December Suggested Reading List

TO DO: Find a Christmas Devotional that works for you, your friends and your Director of Lay Activities. Below is an example of one:

How to Focus on Christ During Advent

Why is this? Partly because we don't know how.

In *Unwrapping the Names of Jesus*, Asheritah Ciuciu leads readers through the four weeks of Advent (Hope, Preparation, Joy, and Love). Each week:

- **Begins with an interactive family devotional that equips readers to celebrate Advent together**
- **Offers five daily reflections that focus on that week's name of Jesus**
- **Includes suggestions for fun-filled family activities or service projects**

This devotional can be used by readers in their own personal worship times or as a tool to engage in family worship during the busy holiday season. Either way, participants will gain a greater sense of awe and wonder at who Jesus is.

By focusing on the person and character of Jesus throughout the Advent season, readers will prepare their hearts so that when they admire the live nativity, sit in the candlelight service, or wake up on Christian morning, they can join the faithful who sing from the bottom of their hearts, "O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!"