

BREAKIN IT DOWN

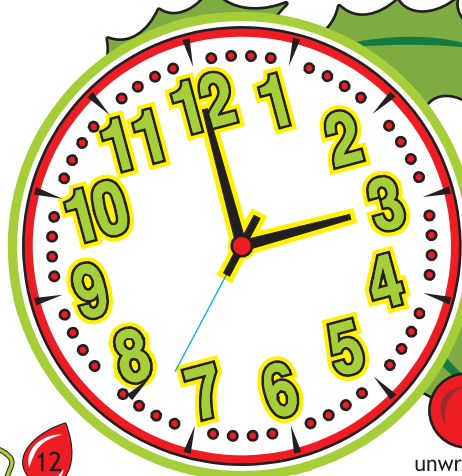
THE SESSIONS



SESSION	THEME	UNWRAPPED TOPIC	BIBLE TOPIC	FOCUS	LIFE POINT	SCRIPTURE
#1	An Angel Appears	“Place an angel on top of the tree”	Mary, Joseph, Wise men, Inn keeper, Angel of the Lord, and Jesus	Choose Jesus today	Jesus is our Savior	Luke 2:11 [NIV] “Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord.”
#2	Jesus is Born	“String the lights”	The Journey to Bethlehem	Jesus is born in Bethlehem	Celebrate the birth of Jesus	Luke 2:1-20
#3	Shepherds share the good news	“Share your gifts with others”	God gives us a gift worth sharing; the gift of eternal life through Jesus	Share the joy of Jesus with your friends	Give a gift to someone who doesn't know Jesus	Romans 6:23[NIV] “...But the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
#4	Follow the Star	“The presents are open”	Godly actions show others that our commitment to God is genuine	Be recognized as a Christian by the way you live	Show others you love Jesus by what you do	James 1:22[NIV] “Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.”

THE TIME

How long should each segment last?



STRING THE LIGHTS	Before Service Begins	5 minutes
GO CAROLING	Worship	15 minutes
LET IT SNOW	Ice Breaker	5-10 minutes
JINGLE BELLS	Large Group Growth Time	20-25 minutes
STUFF THE STOCKING	Small Group Growth Time	15-20 minutes
BUILD A SNOWMAN	Large Group Game	5-10 minutes
SILENT NIGHT	Prayer	5 minutes
OPEN THE PRESENTS	Hand-outs	

