

# OUR CATHOLIC FAITH IN ACTION



## CCF SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

**NO CCF CLASSES: November 21 and November 28**

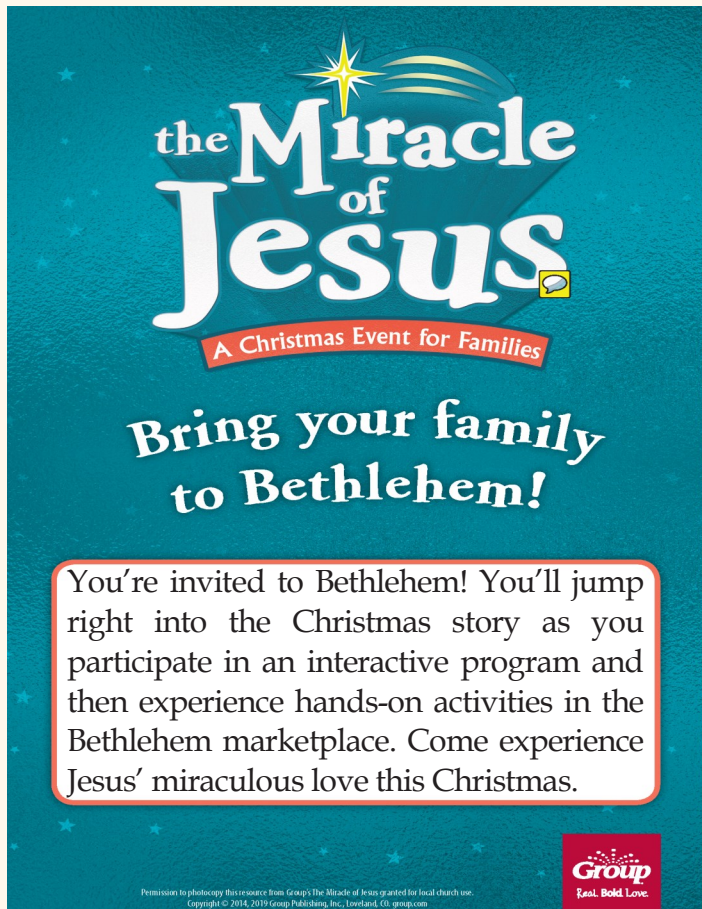
**Next Class Date: December 5: CCF Classes for Grades K-9**

**Special Christmas Family Event: Class Date (December 12)**  
**right after the 9:30am Mass come to Bethlehem (see page 3)**

*Have a wonderfully Blessed Thanksgiving.*

## COMING TO HOLY FAITH on DECEMBER 12

This December 12th, don't just attend the annual Children's Christmas Play...Experience it!



**The Miracle of Jesus**  
**Sunday, December 12, 2021**  
**10:45am in the Fr. John M. Phillips**  
**Parish Life Center**

Be transported back in time to Bethlehem to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Travel through the Bethlehem Marketplace on the way to the infamous stable where Jesus was born.

Meet Angels, Shepherds, and the Magi during your tour.

Come and experience Jesus' miraculous love with your family and ours!

**EVERYONE IS INVITED!**  
**Parents, Grandparents, Teens, Kids**  
**All the Family & Friends!**  
**Babysitting available.**

This experience is also considered a class date, but as a Family Event, so parents come with all the children to experience "The Miracle of Jesus" together.

**You will arrive in Bethlehem ... WELCOME! ... Come right in through the City Gates!**



**WELCOME  
TO  
BETHLEHEM!**

## Historical Background

- The area around city gates was important for more than just protection. Here people gathered to hear public announcements, transact business, and settle legal matters.
- Cities and towns were bustling places with common peasants and aristocrats sharing the street. Money-changers would commonly stand at the city gates and throughout the marketplace, loudly jangling their coins to draw in clients.