

4th Sunday of Advent  
December 20, 2020

# Faith @ Home

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**First Reading:** 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8B-12, 14A, 16  
**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 89  
**Second Reading:** Romans 16:25-27  
**Gospel:** Luke 1:26-38

[Full readings can be found here!](#)

## 1. HEAR

Grab your Bible and look up today's Gospel reading.

Don't have one? No worries you can find the text [here](#).

Families with children might prefer this [video of the Gospel](#) (from [BrotherFrancisOnline.com](#); 1:03 min.)



Share with us how you are living out your faith at home. Use #LACatholicsBelieve and tag @LACatholics on social media.

## 2. PRAY

Ask God what you can do to prepare for Jesus coming at Christmas? Tell God how you will make Jesus visible to the others in your family.

The O Antiphons have been part of Catholic tradition since at least the 5<sup>th</sup> century. They are prayed during the final days leading to the Christmas celebration.

At the Annunciation, Mary said, "Yes!" to receiving Jesus under the name Emmanuel. The O Antiphons remind us of other names for Jesus.

In these final days preparing for Christmas, take a few minutes to pray the O Antiphon for that day. You can find the short [daily prayers here](#).

## 3. TALK

Share with your family or a close friend about a time when you followed the example of Mary and said, "Yes!" to something even though it was hard for you to do or you were afraid to do it.