

A Very Royal Christmas: Week 2

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Weekly Study Guide

Nativity comes from the Latin verb *nāscī*, which means "_____." (1)

Bethlehem had less than a _____ people so there most likely were not any inns like we think of today. (2)

Roman coins had a picture of Caesar Augustus with a caption on the coin which read: *divi filius*, "_____." (3)

Philippians 2:10-11 "at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is _____." (4)

_____ of shoppers are entering the holiday season still paying off debt from last year's gift shopping! (5)

_____ of people report receiving unwanted gifts during Christmas. (6)

2 Corinthians 9:7 "Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a _____." (7)

This week, let's read:

Sunday: Luke 2

Monday: Philippians 2

Tuesday: Proverbs 22

Wednesday: 2 Corinthians 9

Thursday: Luke 6

Friday: 1 Timothy 6

Saturday: Psalm 41

Answer Key

1. To Be Born

2. 1,000

3. Son of God

4. Lord

5. 46%

6. 53.1%

7. Cheerful Giver

Here's What's Coming Up at The Well:

***The Giving Season to benefit Our Shining Stars & Lesia's Home
Collecting Gift Cards: 12/1 - 12/22***

This year, we are once again collecting gift cards for teens and kids through the Our Shining Stars foundation and for general needs at Lesia's Home, a local foster care receiving home. Please stop at the Giving Season table in the lobby for more details!

***Men's Breakfast at Golden Corral
NEXT One: Saturday, 12/21, 8am***

***Annual UGLY Christmas Sweater Contest!
12/1 - 12/22 with Winner announced at Christmas Eve Service
If you haven't caught on by now, we like to have fun around here! Find your silliest, most creative or just plain UGLY Christmas sweater and wear it proudly! Rules:***

- 1. Wear your sweater on a Sunday between now & Christmas Sunday (12/22)***
- 2. Take your picture in front of a Christmas Tree***
- 3. Send the picture to suzanne.thewell@gmail.com***

***We hope you will play along!
(*Let's keep those themes PG and church appropriate, please!)***

Christmas Eve Service: 12/24 at 7pm