

Assembly (Junior/ Senior Infants)

Based on Lesson 11 On Our Way

Preparing/ Advent

Hymns/ Songs: A is for Advent, Make way, Go tell it on the mountain

You need:

- to have taught Lesson 11 Preparing
- items relating for 'preparing'
- Words 'Advent' and 'Prepare' on posters/cards

1	Last week in RE we talked about preparing for things
2	Lunches for school (hold up lunchbox)
3	Swimming gear for swimming (Hold up sports bag)
4	Holidays (suitcase)
5	This is a special time in the Church Year
6	Advent (hold up sign) is a time of preparing for Christmas
All	Poem <i>On our Way</i> p. 56 Prepare
7	Mary prepared for Jesus to be born
8	Her cousin Elizabeth prepared for her baby to be born too
9	Mary went to visit Elizabeth
Teacher	Teacher reads 2 parts of story p. 56 and 57 <i>On Our Way</i> It could be scripted or acted.
10	When babies are going to be born there is lots of preparing
11	Cots, clothes, toys, nappies.
12	My mum had a baby.....His/her name is..... We did lots of jobs to prepare for the baby.
13	Mary and Elizabeth lived long long ago - they would have made clothes and blankets and cleaned their houses to get ready for their babies.
14	In Advent we think of Mary preparing for Jesus to be born.
All	Prepare P is for.... <i>On our Way</i> p. 58
All	Prepare poem (repeated as said earlier) <i>On Our Way</i> p. 58