

God with us, God for us, God in us

Christmas: God with us

Where are you God?

- It's difficult following an invisible God.
- Christmas shows us that God is with us in the mess and muck of real life.
- Jesus is 'Emmanuel' meaning 'God with us' Matt 1v23
- Ask God to help you visualise where Jesus is in a situation. What might He be saying? What might He be doing?



Easter: God for us

God, do you care about us?

- Can be hard to believe that God cares about us when we feel we are failing or life is tough.
- Easter shows us that God is fully committed to us.
- Jesus 'took a bullet' for us. Romans 8v31-32
- Adrian Plass book of daily readings 'When You Walk': *Company and Encouragement for ordinary followers of Jesus who sometimes find the going a bit tough*.



Pentecost: God in us

How can we live this life well?

- We need the Holy Spirit in us to help us have the power to live well. Acts 1v4-8

