

# St Joseph's Infant and Junior School Prayer Focus



## December 2017

During the month of December, we prepare for the coming of Jesus Christ. We do this by lighting one of the Advent candles each Sunday to symbolise we are coming out of the darkness and into the light.

*Open our eyes Lord, to the coming of your light.*

*Help us grow in hope and give us the courage*

*To hope for your presence in our hearts,*

*Hope for your peace in our world*

*And hope for your promise in our lives.*

*We wait in joyful hope*

*For your coming into our hearts and lives*

*This Christmas we make our prayer*

*Through Christ, our Lord.*

*Amen*



## Joy

We have been learning all about Gospel Values and we will have a specific focus on a regular basis. For the next couple of weeks, we will be learning about **Joy**. Please talk to your children about having **joy** and what it means to them both at home and at school.

- I can show joy to others.
- I can know the feeling of happiness.