Dear Lord

At the beginning of Advent, please help us to remember the true meaning of Christmas.

Fill our hearts with the love of your son, the joy of the shepherds at the good news and the calm of Mary as she prepared for the arrival of her son.

Help us reflect on the blessings of our Happy Christmases and the time with our loved ones and to be grateful for the roofs over our heads, remembering that many are not so lucky.

May we spread peace and kindness throughout our school, our home and our wider village community,

We ask this in you name

Amen