

HANDPRINT WREATH

Lesson of the Day:

Wreaths are put on the front door to openly celebrate the holiday. When you enjoy something or it is a part of your life, be proud! Don't get embarrassed if other people don't like it too, it's what you love! Be proud of who you are, what you love, and what you do! When you see other people proudly showing who they are- celebrate it with them!



Materials:

- Green felt
- Red felt
- Red ribbon
- Fabric scissors
- Glue
- Markers
- Cardboard ring



Instructions:

- 1. Discuss the lesson of the day with your students. Talk about what it means to them.
- 2. Have students trace their hands onto the green felt with markers. They can then cut out the hands as best they can. Felt can be hard to cut, so remind them to be patient and do their best.
- 3. Have students cut out red circles of felt for mistletoe berries.
- 4. Have students glue the felt handprints to the cardboard ring to make the wreath.
- 5. Have the students then glue the red berries to the wreath in groups of three.
- 6. When the glue has dried, have students tie a nice bow (and double knot it!) at the top of the wreath, to hang it by.