

# DECEMBER 26: HOLY FAMILY NATIVITY FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

## INCLUDED:

Tissue Paper Squares  
2 Foam Nativity Pieces  
1 Clear Acetate Piece  
Paint Brush    Glue Dot  
Glue Pen (from prev craft)  
Satin Ribbon

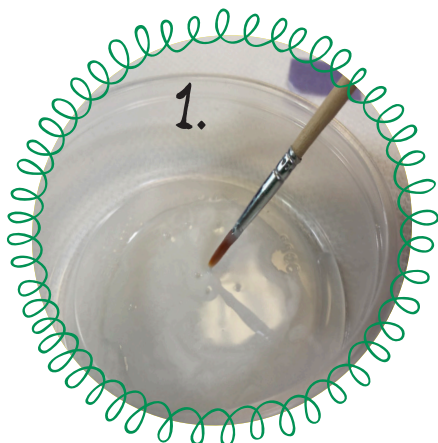


## USE YOUR OWN:

Disposable Cup, Scissors

## LUKE 2:41-52

Each year Jesus' parents went to Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, and when he was twelve years old, they went up according to festival custom. After they had completed its days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus remained behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. Thinking that he was in the caravan, they journeyed for a day and looked for him among their relatives and acquaintances, but not finding him, they returned to Jerusalem to look for him. After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions, and all who heard him were astounded at his understanding and his answers.



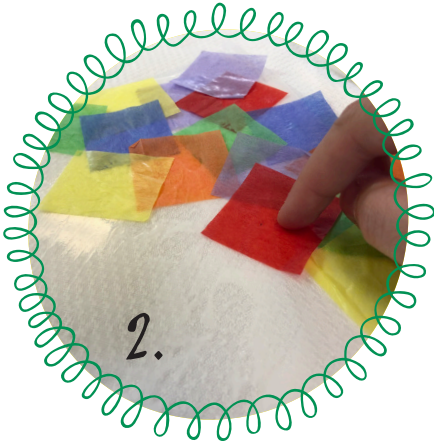
1. To make tissue paper glaze: in a disposable cup, mix glue with a small amount of water, until a thin liquid forms.

Use your paintbrush to apply the glaze to one side of the clear acetate piece.

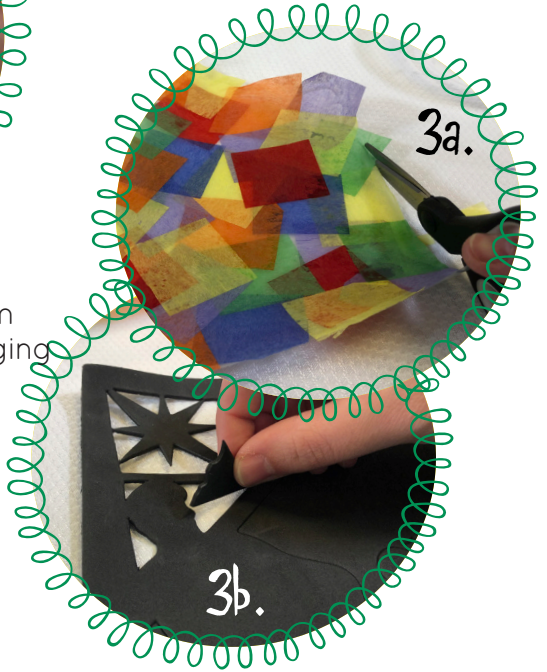
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2. Layer colorful tissue paper squares on top of the glazed clear acetate piece, then cover these, especially the edges, with more glue glaze.



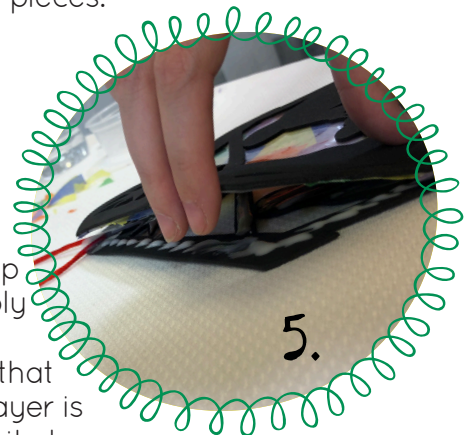
3. Allow time to dry, then trim any tissue paper that is hanging off the edge of the acetate piece. Then, punch out the inside cut-out pieces from both foam nativities so you have a silhouette, like the finished picture.



4. To make the hanger, use your glue dot to attach the satin ribbon to the top back side of one of the black foam pieces.



5. Apply glue to the back of one of the foam nativity pieces, and line up the acetate piece on top. Then apply glue to the back of the remaining foam piece, and put this on top so that the tissue paper-covered acetate layer is sandwiched between the two nativity layers.



Allow time to dry before hanging up your 'stained glass' nativity!