Just as the Savior cared for His sheep,

Daily Acts of Kindness

help us become Jesus Christ's shepherds in search of those needing a little extra Light today!

Each day as you do a small act of service for someone else, glue a cotton ball to your sheep and Countdown the Days until Christmas!



DAILY ACTS OF KINDESS: Light the World - One By One

Use	all, some or come up with your own ic	deas t	o give simple acts of service to others.
	Make someone's bed.		Set the table.
	Help Mom with a chore.		Make someone laugh.
	Write a friend a note.		Help Dad with a chore.
	Put dishes away.		Help cook a meal.
	Help with Laundry.		Put toys away.
	Write a thank you note.		Clean the floor.
	Pull weeds.		Skype a family member.
	Take out the trash.		Make a card for someone.
	Ding-dong-ditch a neighbo	or w	vith a fun treat.
	Read a book to a younger	chil	d.
	Sing or play a Christmas c	caro	I for someone.
	Draw a picture for a frience	d.	
	Make a treat for someone.		
	Drop off a treat to a neigh	bor.	
	Make a small craft for som	neor	ne.
	Pick up trash in the neighb	orh	ood.
	Share "The Christ Child" v	ided	

FAMILY HOME EVENING LESSON: Light the World - One By One

NOTES & THOUGHTS	PRAYER AND SONG
	"One By One" written by Elder Bednar, Paul Cardall and sung by Nathan Pacheco or One Voice Children's Choir.
	QUESTIONS
	What does it mean to serve one by one? How did Jesus Christ teach us by his example of service?
	QUOTES
	What it the principle of "one by one" means: Elder David A. Bednar wrote the words to the song above. He said, "Much of what we need to know about the character of Christ is embodied in the simple principle of "one by one." This principle evidenced in the life of the Savior has been a focus of my study for a very long time. I am always touched to consider how much the Savior loves each one of us as individuals. I wrote the lyrics to a song about this principle of "one by one."
	As you study the ministry of Jesus Christ and seek for eyes to see and ears to hear, you will find that He ministered to "ones." He healed the leper, the centurion's servant, the man with palsy, the woman who touched his garment – plus many more (see Matthew 8 and 9 in the New Testament).
	In the New World, He invited the multitude gathered at the temple in the land of Bountiful to come forth one by one and witness for themselves that He had been slain for the sins of the world. The Savior invited the multitude to bring all who were afflicted in any manner, and He healed every one. Then He commanded that their little children be brought unto Him one by one, and He blessed them and prayed for them (see 3 Nephi 11 and 17 in the Book of Mormon).
	Remember, the simple truth of "one by one" reveals not everything—but much of what we need to know about the character of the Savior. Similarly, each one of us in our service to others—in our families, among our friends, in our communities, or in our callings in the Church—has the opportunity and responsibility to minister to "ones."

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NOTES & THOUGHTS	SCRIPTURE
	3 Nephi 17:21 And he took their little children, one by one, and blessed them, and prayed unto the Father for them.
	3 Nephi 11:15 And it came to pass that the multitude went forth, and thrust their hands into his side, and did feel the prints of the nails in his hands and in his feet; and this they did do, going forth one by one until they had all gone forth, and did see with their eyes and did feel with their hands, and did know of a surety and did bear record, that it was he, of whom it was written by the prophets, that should come.
	QUESTIONS
	Why did Jesus bless & have them come to him "one by one?" How can we serve as the Savior did?
	DISCUSSION
	Tell the story found in Luke 15:4 about the Lost Sheep What man of you, having an hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?
	Just as the Savior helped the one, we too can serve each other one by one.
	VIDEO
	Watch the "Join Light The World 2019: One by One" video
	ACTIVITY IDEA
	Introduce the Daily Acts of Kindness Advent Calendar. Use cotton balls to build your sheep as you do a daily act of kindness for a family member, neighbor or friend.

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NOTES & THOUGHTS	ADDITIONAL SCRIPTURES and QUESTIONS TO PONDER
	3 Nephi 28:1 1 And it came to pass when Jesus had said these words, he spake unto his disciples, one by one, saying unto them: What is it that ye desire of me, after that I am gone to the Father?
	3 Nephi 18:36 And it came to pass that when Jesus had made an end of these sayings, he touched with his hand the disciples whom he had chosen, one by one, even until he had touched them all, and spake unto them as he touched them.
	Why did Jesus speak and touch the disciples one by one? What was the significance of doing that one by one? What power can be found as we touch the hearts of others one by by?
	Ether 3:6 And it came to pass that when the brother of Jared had said these words, behold, the Lord stretched forth his hand and touched the stones one by one with his finger. And the veil was taken from off the eyes of the brother of Jared, and he saw the finger of the Lord; and it was as the finger of a man, like unto flesh and blood; and the brother of Jared fell down before the Lord, for he was struck with fear.
	Why did the Lord touch each stone one by one? Why do you think he just didn't light them all at once? Is there a lesson here on how we can serve individually and why it is important to reach out one by one?