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December 3: This season I will worship as much as possible with my home congregation and community. I will commit to daily prayer seeking to see where God is at work and seeking to join God there.

December 4: I'll remember that Jesus calls each of us not to lose our childlike faith.

December 5: Walking with Jesus, I will seek to be a Blessing – sharing God's love and care with someone else.

December 6: Today I will share a glory sighting, where I have seen God/Christ at work, with family and friends.

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December 8: This day I will do something special for or with my family.

December 9: Let me think of others today.

December 10: As I begin this new week, I will take some cookies to a friend that I know is lonely.

December 11: I will pray intentionally pray for 5 persons I know who are having a difficult time and could use the strength and blessing of prayer.

December 12: I will call a member of my family that I have not talked to in a while. I will pray intentionally pray for 5 persons I know who are having a difficult time and could use the strength and blessing of prayer.

December 13: I will make a gift or card for someone in my community and I will get it to that person by the end of this week.

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December 16: I will re-read my favorite passage of scripture and discuss it with someone.

December 17: I will visit someone who lives alone or who resides in a Nursing Home facility.

December 18: I will be a friend to everyone I see in the name of Christ.

December 19: I will read my Bible every day until Christmas in order to strengthen my walk with Jesus. (I am going to try to continue this discipline even after Christmas.)

December 20: I will be a volunteer. I will volunteer my time somewhere to help in the community.

December 21: *Random Act of Kindness Day!*

Today I will do something totally unexpected as an act of kindness for a person or organization in the community.

December 22: *Blessing Day!*

Today I will share a Blessing – a kind word or act - with someone outside of my Church Community.

December 23: I will pray for 10 persons who need to experience Christ.

December 24: I will take time to read the Biblical Christmas story from Luke 2; and I will attend the Christmas Eve Service and greet everyone with a smile.

December 25: Recommitting myself to walking with Jesus – not just some of the time, but all of the time, I will remember to share that the greatest gift given is Jesus Christ with my family and with all those with whom I share this Holiday.

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