

St Andrews Church Kettering

Travelling Crib 2023

Thank you for taking our “Travelling Crib” and helping Mary and Joseph along their journey through our parish to Christmas day.

Why not begin by saying this prayer with your family together:

**Dear Father God,
as we provide a home for this small crib tonight,
may we always make room for you in our hearts
—not just at Christmas time but every day.
Amen.**

Enclosed you will find:

- The figures of Mary & Joseph (and two small lambs who wanted to walk along with them to Bethlehem)
- A diary of their journey for you to fill in with a photograph if you wish
- A Christmas story book for you to share

Play with the figures and make them walk across your coffee table or around your house and read the story together.

When you pass the crib on to the next person on the list, tomorrow, you might want to say this blessing for them:

***May God bless you as you travel with
Mary and Joseph towards Christmas day.***



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