



# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

## Shining Star Craft (for Epiphany Sunday)

Matthew 2:1-12

*When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy.*

Matthew 2:10



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Christmas Day was December 25<sup>th</sup>; but, we are still in the Christmas Season in the church. The Christmas Season ends on January 5<sup>th</sup>. January 6<sup>th</sup> is called Epiphany. It is when we really celebrate the wise men following the star and finding Jesus, whom they worshipped. This craft activity reminds us of the star they followed and that we can still find Jesus and worship him.

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### Materials required:

- Old foil pan(s)
- Scissors
- Push pins
- String

Piece of cardboard, box, or old newspaper

(Substitutions may be necessary.)

These stars are so simple. You can create a galaxy of original designs.

1. Cut shapes from **disposable foil pans**
2. Place them on a piece of cardboard or a stack of newspaper, and use a **pushpin** to create punched patterns.
3. Add a length of **string** for hanging.