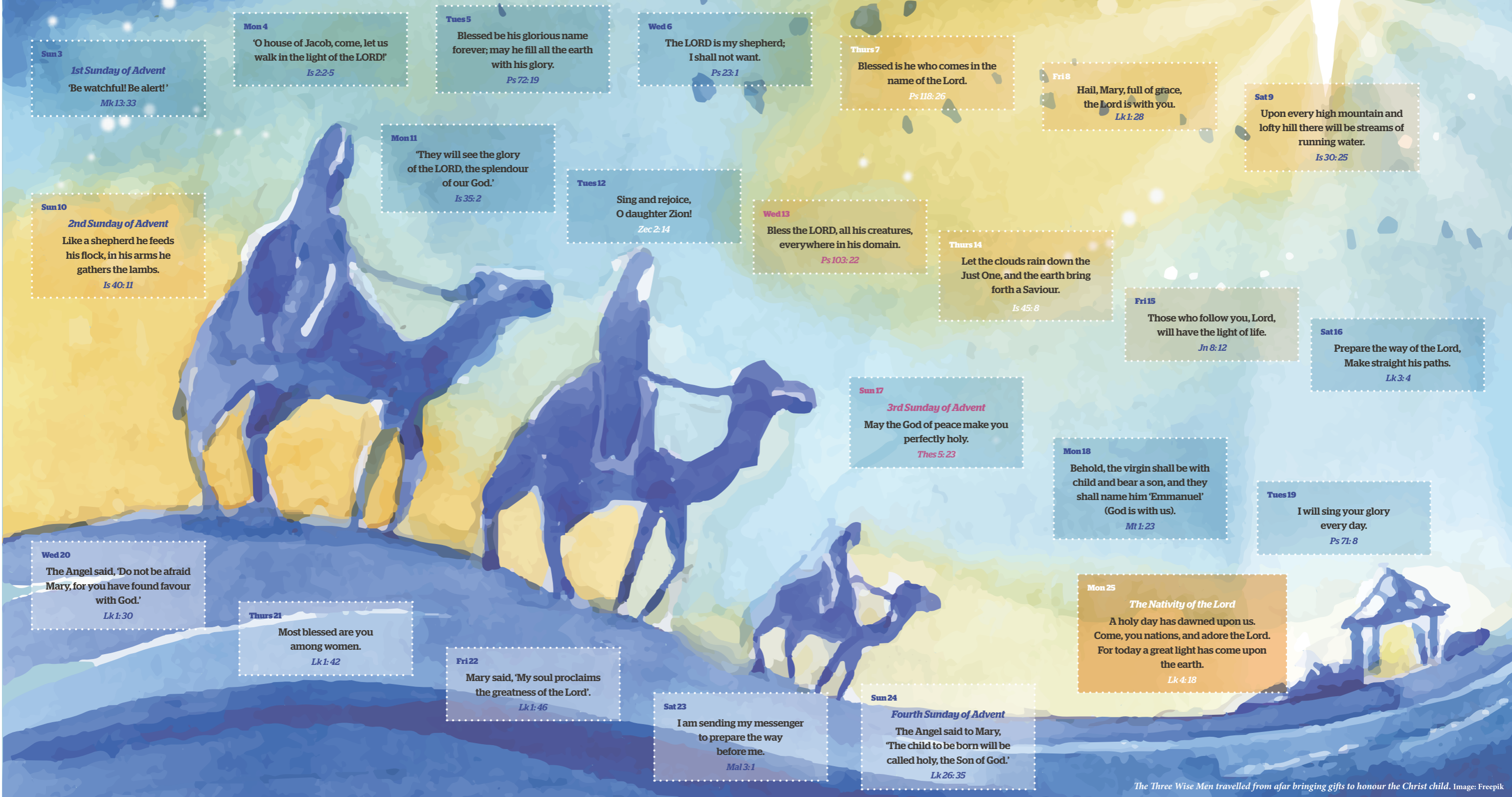


The Season of Advent - te Wā o te Aweneti

During the four weeks of Advent, we prepare for the celebration of Christ's birth through prayer and reflection and we look for practical ways to observe the holiness of the season in our everyday lives.

I ngā wiki e whā o te Aweneti, mā te karakia me te whakaaroaro ka whakariterite tātou i a tātou mō te kaupapa nui, arā te whānautanga mai o te Karaiti, ā ia rā, ia rā ka rapu tātou i ngā tikanga hei whakanui i tēnei wā tapu.

3 December - 24 December 2017



Sun 3
1st Sunday of Advent
‘Be watchful! Be alert!’
Mk 13: 33

Mon 4
‘O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the LORD!’
Is 2:2-5

Tues 5
Blessed be his glorious name forever; may he fill all the earth with his glory.
Ps 72: 19

Wed 6
The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
Ps 23: 1

Thurs 7
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Ps 118: 26

Fri 8
Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Lk 1: 28

Sat 9
Upon every high mountain and lofty hill there will be streams of running water.
Is 30: 25

Sun 10
2nd Sunday of Advent
Like a shepherd he feeds his flock, in his arms he gathers the lambs.
Is 40: 11

Mon 11
‘They will see the glory of the LORD, the splendour of our God.’
Is 35: 2

Tues 12
Sing and rejoice, O daughter Zion!
Zec 2: 14

Wed 13
Bless the LORD, all his creatures, everywhere in his domain.
Ps 103: 22

Thurs 14
Let the clouds rain down the Just One, and the earth bring forth a Saviour.
Is 45: 8

Fri 15
Those who follow you, Lord, will have the light of life.
Jn 8: 12

Sat 16
Prepare the way of the Lord, Make straight his paths.
Lk 3: 4

Sun 17
3rd Sunday of Advent
May the God of peace make you perfectly holy.
Thes 5: 23

Mon 18
Behold, the virgin shall be with child and bear a son, and they shall name him ‘Emmanuel’ (God is with us).
Mt 1: 23

Tues 19
I will sing your glory every day.
Ps 71: 8

Wed 20
The Angel said, ‘Do not be afraid Mary, for you have found favour with God.’
Lk 1: 30

Thurs 21
Most blessed are you among women.
Lk 1: 42

Fri 22
Mary said, ‘My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord’.
Lk 1: 46

Sat 23
I am sending my messenger to prepare the way before me.
Mal 3: 1

Sun 24
Fourth Sunday of Advent
The Angel said to Mary, ‘The child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God.’
Lk 26: 35

Mon 25
The Nativity of the Lord
A holy day has dawned upon us. Come, you nations, and adore the Lord. For today a great light has come upon the earth.
Lk 4: 18

The Three Wise Men travelled from afar bringing gifts to honour the Christ child. Image: Freepik