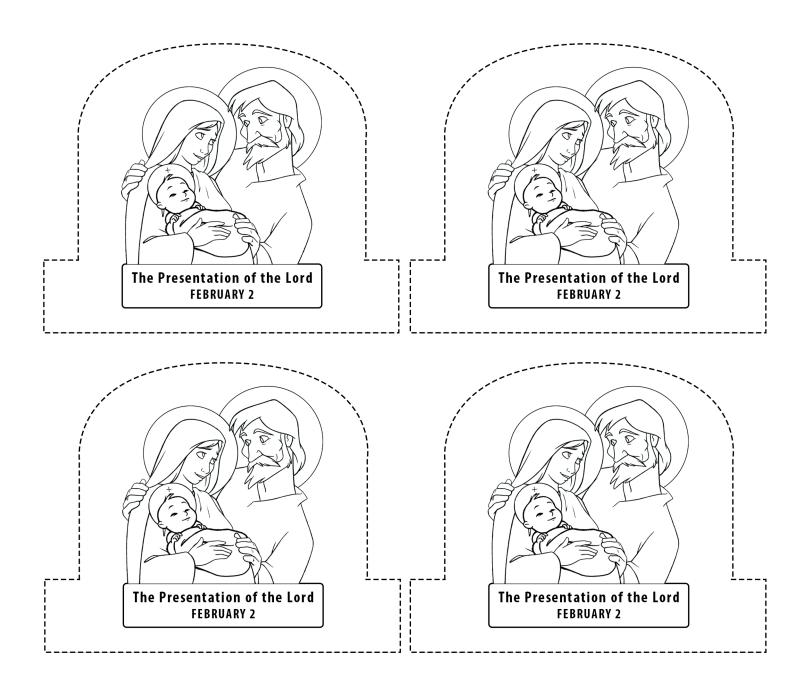


## The Presentation COLORING CRAFT

1. Color in & cut-out the Holy Family.

2. Tape the ends onto your votive candle holder.



Every year on February 2nd, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord is celebrated. This feast day commemorates when Mary and Joseph took Baby Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem, according to Jewish law. We read about this in the Gospel of Luke Chapter 2.

"When the days were completed for their purification according to the law of Moses, Mary and Joseph took Jesus up to Jerusalem to present Him to the Lord, just as it is written in the law of the Lord, 'Every male that opens the womb shall be consecrated to the Lord,' and to offer the sacrifice of 'a pair of turtledoves or two young pigeons,' in accordance with the dictate in the law of the Lord." (Luke 2:22-24)