

The Word with Children

Recount the story of the wise men, perhaps telling of the tradition of the Chaldeans and of the Zoroastrians in believing that with each new birth a star appears. End with the following:

What can I give him, poor as I am?

If I were a shepherd, I would bring a lamb; if I were a wise man, I would do my part; yet what I can I give him - give my heart.

(Hymn: "In the Bleak Mid-winter," v. 4)

Bible Story Alternative

The Magi Vidi Jesus - Matthew 2:1-23