



Generous God,
As we approach Christmas,
stop us from being swept away by lesser things.
Help us *know* what's important,
so that we *do* what's important.

Because of the birth of our Servant Saviour
help us colour our Christmas with service,
and give us the courage to stand out for our faith.

We pray in the name of Bethlehem's Child,
who gives us so much more
than we give him,

Amen.