



God of love and peace, grant us your
blessing as we eagerly anticipate the
birth of your Son.

Through Him we find salvation and hope
for the future.

Through Him, darkness is made bright.

Through Him your will is made manifest.

We light the candle as a sign of this
promise through Christ our Lord.

*Therefore the Lord himself will give you a
sign; the young woman, pregnant and
about to bear a son, shall name him
Emmanuel. (Isaiah 7:14)*