

DOUGH Holy Night

Merry Christmas and welcome to Dough Holy Night! Join us on Sunday, December 20th at 4PM to bake a batch of Christmas cookies and, along the way, hear the story of the very first Christmas. Best of all, there's a video that walks you step-by-step through the entire experience! Stick this letter up on your fridge; you'll need it when it comes time for us to bake together!

Directions:

Step 1: Gather your ingredients. Tim and Hannah will show you how to make a Christmas-y version of snickerdoodles! You can check out the recipe below.

Step 2: Tune in at 4PM on Sunday, December 20th to [faclex.com/doughholynight](https://www.faclex.com/doughholynight) to catch Tim and Hannah walking through the entire experience. Occasionally, they'll have you pause the video and do something. When you've finished, press play again.

Step 3: Eat cookies. Possibly the best step ever! When your cookies are out of the oven, chow down while Tim and Hannah talk about how the Christmas story is a lot like a recipe- God put together all the right ingredients to make Jesus' birth happen.

Resources:

You can check out some resources to help extend your family's Dough Holy Night fun on [faclex.com/doughholynight](https://www.faclex.com/doughholynight)! On December 20th at 4PM, the Dough Holy Night video will go live on that page!

You'll need this password to access the video: **LETSDOUGH**

Snickerdoodle Cookie Recipe:

1 cup butter (softened)	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cups all-purpose flour
2 large eggs	$\frac{1}{4}$ salt
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups white sugar	1 tsp baking soda
2 tsp vanilla extract	
$\frac{1}{2}$ cup sprinkles (for decorating)	

1. Preheat oven to 400 degrees F (200 degrees C).
2. Cream together butter, sugar, vanilla, and eggs. Then mix in flour, salt, and baking soda until a soft dough forms.
3. Form dough into 1 inch balls and roll through sprinkles. If decorating later, don't roll in sprinkles. Just place straight on the baking sheet. Place 2 inches apart on a baking sheet.
4. Bake 8 - 10 minutes until set (but not too hard).

