Stained glass nativity window

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 2.9 × 4.5 in (7.4 × 11.4 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Ruby border, green border, berries, vine leaves, gold fillet, sky, star beam, star, ground, Joseph's halo, Joseph's mantle, Joseph's tunic, and 14 more
- **Whipped back stitch**, 3 to 5 strands
  Leading, window edge
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Vine

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 2 to a sunny window or lay it on a light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a sharp pencil or a water-soluble pen.
2. **Fabric you cannot see through**
   Lay dressmaker's carbon paper colored side down on the fabric with page 2 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.
3. **Iron-on**
   Go over the lines of page 3, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron.

Pages 2 and 3 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off.

Floss

- **DMC 321 Red** Ruby border
- **DMC 909 Very Dark Emerald Green**
  Green border, ground (darker)
- **DMC 783 Medium Topaz**
  Berries, Joseph's mantle (middle), Joseph's sleeve (darker)
- **DMC 912 Light Emerald Green**
  Vine leaves, ground (lighter)
- **DMC 743 Medium Yellow**
  Gold fillet, Joseph's halo and Mary's halo, Joseph's mantle (light) and 1 more part
- **DMC 3841 Pale Baby Blue**
  Sky (lightest), star beam (middle)
- **DMC 3848 Medium Teal Green** Sky (middle light)
- **DMC 29 Eggplant** Sky (dark)
- **DMC 3747 Very Light Blue Violet**
  Star beam (dark), Mary's wimple, sky (light)
- **DMC 32 Dark Blueberry** Sky (darkest)
- **DMC 3847 Dark Teal Green** Sky (middle dark)
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Swaddling, star beam (light)
- **DMC 3078 Very Light Golden Yellow**
  Star and child's halo
- **DMC 976 Medium Golden Brown**
  Joseph's mantle (dark)
- **DMC 920 Medium Copper** Joseph's tunic
- **DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown**
  Joseph's hair and Joseph's beard
- **DMC 738 Very Light Tan**
  Faces, Mary's hand and Joseph's hand
- **DMC 797 Royal Blue**
  Mary's mantle (dark), Mary's veil (lighter)
- **DMC 3843 Electric Blue**
  Mary's sleeve (lighter), Mary's mantle (lightest)
- **DMC 336 Navy Blue**
  Mary's mantle (darkest), Mary's veil (darker)
- **DMC 322 Dark Baby Blue**
  Mary's sleeve (darker), Mary's mantle (light)
- **DMC 666 Bright Red** Mary's tunic
- **DMC 310 Black** Leading, vine and window edge

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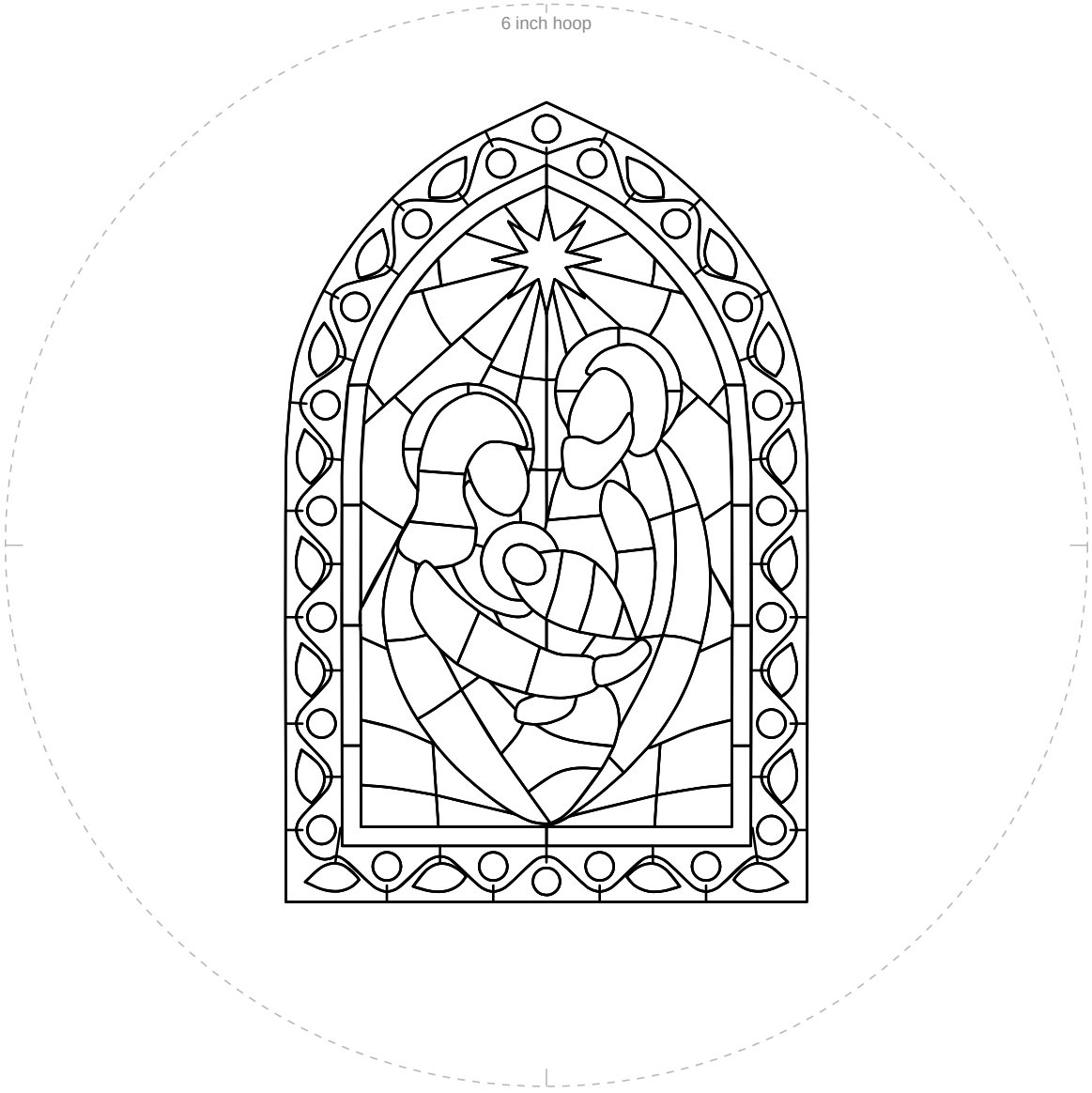

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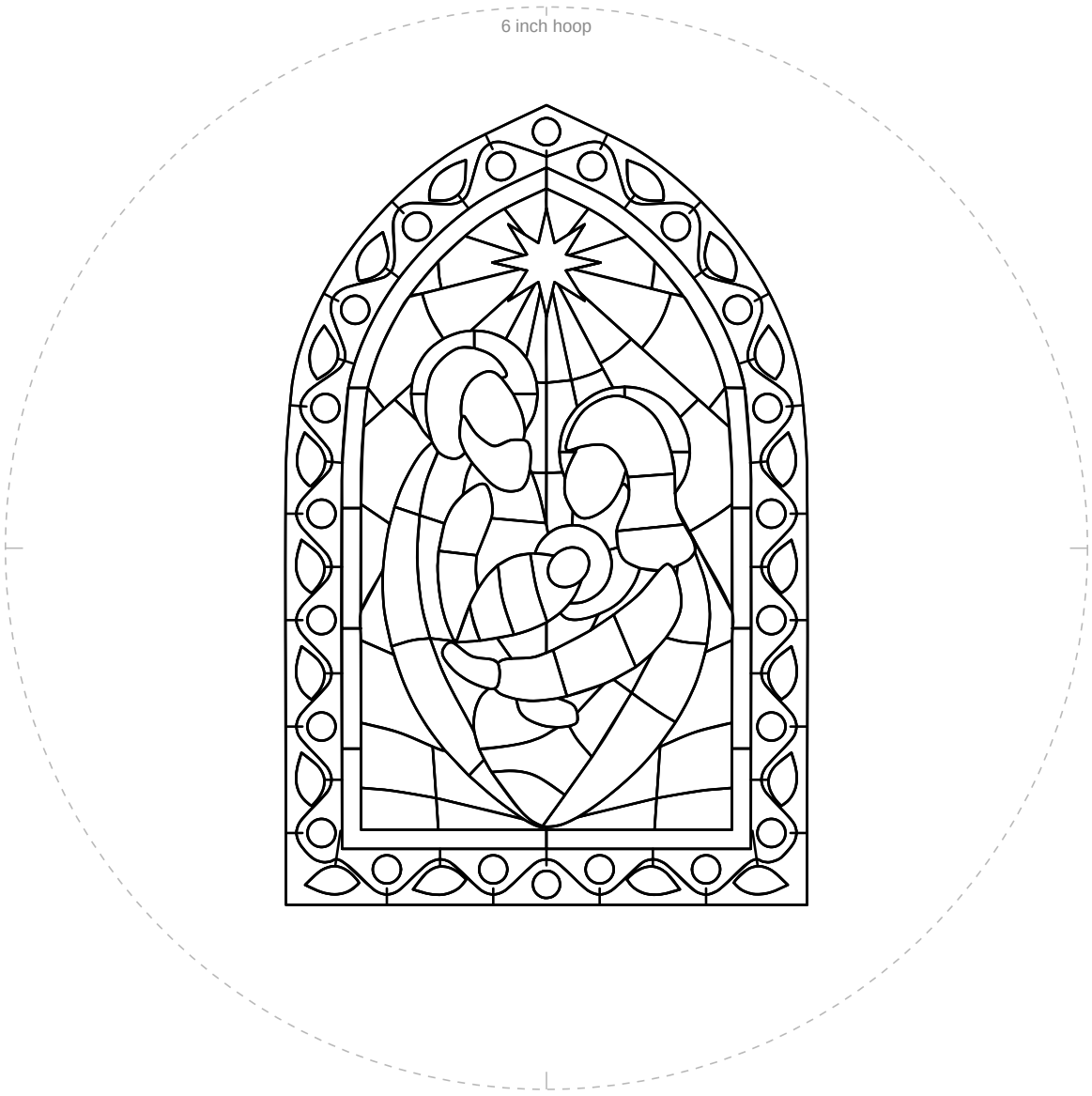
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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