

With this bracelet you will know (start with a pipe cleaner)

The first Thanksgiving that was long, long ago.

The Pilgrims set sail from far away

On the Mayflower with tall white sails. (insert a white bead)

They sailed many days across the ocean blue. (add a blue bead)

The seas were rough, but the ship came through.

At last they spotted land so green. (string on a green bead)

They were so happy they cheered and screamed.

The first year was so hard and black. (now a black bead)

Many died and wished that they could go back.

But the Native Americans gave them a hand

And helped them survive in the strange new land.

They decided to celebrate in a special way

And that became the first Thanksgiving day.

They prepared a feast with turkeys brown (add a brown bead)
And red cranberries that they had found. (time for a red bead)
Yellow corn that they had learned to grow (insert a yellow bead)
And orange pumpkin pies, don't you know! (last an orange bead)
But before they ate the turkey and dressing,

They all held hands for a thankful blessing. (twist the ends of the pipe cleaner to make a bracelet.)