

Glorifying God & Treasuring the Good News of Great Joy

● **God's revelation & glory:** (Lk 1, 2:8ff; Jn 1:1ff; Mt 2; Rev 1:1-8)
Jesus – the Word who became flesh & dwelt among us

● **God's Son:** (Lk 1:26ff; 2:4-12; Mt 1:18ff, 2:23; Rev 12:1ff)
Jesus – firstborn son of Mary, laid in a manger

● **God's presence:** (Lk 2:6ff; Mt 1:23; Jn 1:14; Rev 21:1-4)
Jesus, Immanuel – God is with us!

● **God's light:** (Lk 2:8f, 32; Jn 1:4f, 8:12; Rev 21:23f, 22:5)
Jesus – the light of the world

● **God's love & His people:**
unto “us” a child is born and a Son is given – Jesus
(Lk 1:67ff, 2:10f; Isa 9:6; Mt 1:21; Jn 3:16; 1Jn 4:7ff; Rev 21:1ff)

● **God's promise:** (Lk 1:32,54f, 2:11; 2Sa 7:12ff; Isa 9:7; Mt 1:1; Rev 5:5, 22:16)
the son of David will reign forever – Jesus

● **God's salvation:** (Lk 1:68f, 2:10f,30; Mt 1:21; Rev 7:10, 12:10, 19:1)
Jesus is Savior – He saves His people from their sins

● **God's kingdom:** (Lk 1:32f, 2:11; Mt 2:2; Rev 11:15; 12:10)
Jesus is the Christ – the one born King of the Jews

● **God's lordship:** (Lk 1:43, 2:11; Php 2:10f; Rev 17:14; 19:16, 22:20f)
Jesus is Lord – at His Name every knee should bow & every tongue
confess He is Lord

● **God's glory & peace:** (Lk 1:32f, 2:13f; Isa 9:6; Rev 7:9ff; Rev 21-22)
Jesus, Prince of Peace – our eternal Shepherd