

“Between Two Advents”

Selected Scriptures

December 10, 2017

1. Did you grow up observing advent the weeks prior to Christmas? Or do you do that now with your family? If so, talk about why you like it, what it teaches you. Any favorite parts or special memories?
2. As we celebrate Christ's first coming this Christmas, what are some of your favorite traditions?
3. What do the following passages tell us about Christ's first advent?
 - Deuteronomy 18:18-19
 - Isaiah 7:14
 - Galatians 4:4-5
 - Philippians 2:5-11
 - John 1:11-12
4. Though John says that many rejected Him, according to Luke 19:10 why did Jesus come?
5. How does John 14:1-3 give you comfort?
6. What does Isaiah 9:6-7 teach us about Christ's first and second comings?
7. We all have lots of questions about the end times and what life will be like in the millennium. From what you see in passages like Isaiah 9:6-7, Philippians 2:9-10 and Psalm 98, what are you looking forward to?

8. How does the view of eternity motivate you to live today? Romans 13:11-12

Pray for our church to be a welcoming place for guests for our Christmas Eve services and that many will learn of God's great gift of love for them!