

“The Ministry of Being Prepared”

Luke 1

December 17, 2017



Christmas is here!

1. Can you imagine what life was like before Jesus was born? Take turns sharing ideas of what life was like for the various characters of the story before that first Christmas. Mary. Joseph. Shepherds. Zechariah and Elizabeth.
2. What was so unique about Zechariah's ministry as a priest that particular day?
READ Luke 1:8-9
3. Why did Zechariah lose his voice? When he did get it back, what happened?
4. What was John's mission in life? How did he accomplish it?
5. Why is it important that we are prepared for what God wants to do?
6. How are we to be the light? How do we shine? Any specific details and ideas?
READ: Matt 5:14-16
7. How would John's ministry be a light? READ: Luke 1:76-79

8. Why is prayer so important in the work of God?

Pray for this weekend's 3 Christmas Eve services. How will praying for the services affect how we prepare?