

A Light in the Darkness

Do you believe God still saves?

Prepare the way of the Lord.

Proclaim the salvation of the Lord.

Sit in the shadows.

Scripture Memory Verse

“But in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy,
always being prepared to make a defense to anyone
who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you;
yet do it with gentleness and respect.”
Isaiah 40:3

Sermons

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Order of Worship

Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus
King of Kings
Advent Reading
O Little Town of Bethlehem
Sermon
Lord's Supper
Living Hope



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Financial Information

Budget Offering 11/30
\$17,306.18

Building Fund 11/30
\$1,760.00

Building Fund Balance
\$647,371.51



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These questions provide a framework for individual or family study and for discussions in LifeGroup. LifeGroups meet at 9:45 AM on Sundays.
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Luke 1:67-80

1. As we begin a thirteen month campaign to share the gospel across our community, who are the people you are praying for specifically? Are there particular places where you are praying to be more evangelistic?

2. Luke 1:67-80 is Zechariah's prophecy after the birth of his son. In what ways do you see Zechariah continuing to fulfill his role as a priest, even as he celebrated and prophesied over his own son? What steps can you take to make sure that you continue to serve the Lord faithfully even as you love and care for your family?

3. On Sunday, Pastor Craig pointed out that John grew strong in the wilderness. What are some other wilderness stories in the Bible? How have your own "wilderness" experiences impacted your Christian faith?

4. John had a purpose of preparing the way for the Lord and pointing others to Jesus. How can we prepare the way for the Lord through prayer? What did Pastor Craig mean on Sunday when he spoke of earning the opportunity to evangelize? How can you earn more opportunities to share the gospel?

5. Read Isaiah 9:2 and Luke 1:76-79. Why is it necessary for us to meet people in the darkness or the shadows to give them hope and light? How can you do that more effectively?

6. Our goal over the next year is to reach 1,000 people through gospel conversations and to invite 4,000 people to attend Malvern Hill. How might our community change if we reach our goals? How might our church change? What do we need to do now to prepare for the realization of our goals?

7. Our theme verse for reaching our community is 1 Peter 3:15. Read it and discuss what you could do differently in coming months so that people might ask you about the hope that is in you.

Family Movie Night

Sunday, December 14
6:00 PM

