

The Promise Is Born: Luke 2:1-20

Jesus is the perfect gift!

➤ At the perfect _____ (vv. 1-3)

➤ In the perfect _____ (vv. 4-7)

➤ With the perfect _____ (vv.8-20)

➤ For the perfect _____

*Receive the gift of Jesus by faith!
Give the gift of Jesus with love!
Prepare for the gift of Jesus with hope!*

FOLLOW TODAY'S MESSAGE ON YOUVERSION BIBLE APP!

Visit <https://bible.com/events/6738477> and follow along.

- Or download and open the You Version Bible App on your smartphone, and search for Forcey Bible Church in the events section.
- Or simply scan the QR Code using your smartphone camera.
- Make sure you “save the event” if you want to revisit the notes from today.



FOR FURTHER ACTION AND REFLECTION

- Continue in our Jesse Tree Advent Activity – <https://www.rca.org/jesstree>
- Plan to prayerfully invite someone to our Christmas Eve Service: “The Living Jesse Tree”
- Listen to “Prepare Him Room” by Sovereign Grace Music - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KO4a0ky0Kc8>
- Meditate on Psalms 97,98,99
- Read Luke 2:1-20 together as a family
- Read “The Prophecy of the Seventy Weeks” by John Walvoord - <https://walvoord.com/article/250>

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

1. What is something that has stood out to you this week from our “Jesse Tree” readings?
2. What stood out to you most from the message?
3. What questions do you have after hearing the message?
4. Describe a favorite gift you remember receiving at just the right time! Describe a time you received a “not so perfect” gift!
5. Read Luke 2:1-20. What is your favorite part of this Christmas story? Why?
6. Read Luke 2:18 – how can we rediscover this “amazement” that captured the hearts of those who heard the message that first Christmas?
7. Read Luke 2:19. What do you think Mary was pondering in this verse?
8. Share about how you received Jesus for the first time. What made you realize that Jesus was the perfect gift for you?
9. Read Isaiah 9:6-7. Which name of Christ is most meaningful to you this Christmas and why: Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, or Prince of Peace?
10. Who is someone you can share the gift of Jesus with in the year to come? Spend some time praying for these people.