

Sermon Title: The Arrival Of The Promise

Scripture Reference: Isaiah 7:13-14

Connection:

- What do you remember most from last week's sermon?
- How did you hear God's voice or sense His presence this past week?
- What are you looking forward to this winter?

Reflection:

- Summarize this week's sermon in one to three sentences. What was the main point of the message?
- What did the message say about you, God's people or the world?

Application:

- 1. Read Genesis 3:13-15, Isaiah 7:13-14 and Galatians 4:4-5. What do these verses say about the promises of God?
- 2. Why are promises important in our world? Why are promises important in the Bible?
- 3. What does Immanuel mean? What does it mean for us on a daily basis?
- 4. Look at these promises from Jesus in John 10:10b, John 15:9-11, John 15:14-15, John 6:37 and Matthew 11:28-30. How might we claim each of them this week? What would our life look like if we do claim them?
- 5. How do we best prepare for the arrival of Christmas in a spiritual sense? How can we elevate this spiritual preparation above shopping and wrapping presents, etc.?
- 6. End by identifying promises you believe and need to claim again this week. Pray to be reminded of the promises of God.