

## *The Miracle of the Manger*

### **Jesus' Amazing Arrival**

- A manger
- The Word, Jesus, became touchable John 1: 1-5 & 9-14

### **Jesus' Astonishing Claims**

- Bread of heaven/life John 6:33, 51
- Living water John 4:10 & Rev. 7:17
- Sent from God John 8:42
- One with the Father John 10:22-31
- Exclusivity John 14:6-7
- The Resurrection John 11:25-26
- Possessed all authority Matthew 28:18; John 17:1-2

### **Staggering Implications for Each of Us**

What if He is who He claims to be?

Jesus brings the question to a personal level Matthew 16:13-16

- Who do people say that I am?
- Who do you say that I am?

*Why did Jesus ask the second question of those who valued His friendship?*