

Worship with us in the Word

Enjoying His Christmas Presence
Excited Anticipation – His Presence is Promised!

Matthew 1:18-25

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Recap from last week's message

Its description – Immanuel

Its distinction – Unlike eternal omnipresence

Its design – Redemption of man

The Promise - Given & clarified through:

- Genesis 3:15 - Eve
- Genesis 12:3 - Abraham
- Genesis 17:19; 26:3-4 - Isaac
- Genesis 25:22-23; 28:13-14 - Jacob
- Genesis 49:10-12 - Judah
- 2 Samuel 7:11-14 - David

- The Prophets & The Messiah
How? Virgin-born

Where? Bethlehem-born

What? His ministry & suffering

The Promise – Increased anticipation through:

- Zechariah – Luke 1:5-24
- Mary – Luke 1:26-38
- Joseph – Matthew 1:18-25

What's the point?

- God's promises are trustworthy.
- God's promises do not change due to your situations or circumstances.
- God's promises escalate in their impact over time.
Consider reviewing a list of His promises to us.