



And Mary said, “My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name.”

Luke 1:46-49  
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## “Worship Fully”

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“I stress most about \_\_\_\_\_ during Christmas.”

Problem: During Christmastime we tend to worship \_\_\_\_\_, spend \_\_\_\_\_, give \_\_\_\_\_ and struggle \_\_\_\_\_.

*Instead of just surviving Christmas, experience the hope that Jesus brings.*

-To experience hope worship \_\_\_\_\_, spend \_\_\_\_\_, give \_\_\_\_\_, and love \_\_\_\_\_.

### Worship Fully

-We are shaped by what we \_\_\_\_\_ & we worship what we \_\_\_\_\_.

*“The fastest growing religion in the world is not Islam or Christianity... This expanding belief system is radical \_\_\_\_\_.”*

McKinley, Seay, Holder in *Advent Conspiracy*

-We would rather \_\_\_\_\_ the consequences of our over-consumption.

- \_\_\_\_\_ has replaced \_\_\_\_\_ as the focus of Christmas.

### Jesus’ Story

-Almost every character who encounters Jesus in the nativity shares the same response: \_\_\_\_\_.

-Mary was around \_\_\_\_\_ years old when she was told she would bear the Christ child.

“And now, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you will name him \_\_\_\_\_.”

Luke 1:26-33

-Mary shared the good news with Elizabeth and \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord.

“He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the \_\_\_\_\_.”

Luke 1:52-55

*Emmanuel, “God with us,” is not only God with us, but also God with those who need him most. @OneChurchActs2 #1CSermon*

### Daisy’s Story

-UNICEF reports more than \_\_\_\_\_ unaccompanied migrant children in the world.

### Action Steps

-Prepare: Make plans to \_\_\_\_\_ Emmanuel this Christmas season.

-Pray: \_\_\_\_\_ how God wants you to help a child seeking shelter.