



PSALM 62:1

For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation. (NRSV)

So that we do not reach Christmas Day feeling unprepared, exhausted and filled with anxiety, we allow God's Word and His promises to awaken us to the wonder of Christmas.

By practicing Advent thoughtfully, we experience the coming of Jesus, Emmanuel God with us! He has come in the past, He continually comes in the present, and He will come in the future.

Sunday, November 29 - Saturday, December 5
Hope with Thanksgiving

Sunday - Luke 1:35-38
Monday - Romans 1:8-12, 16
Tuesday - Psalm 100
Wednesday - Matthew 1:18-23
Thursday - Colossians 3:12-17
Friday - Psalm 27:13-14
Saturday - Luke 1:46-55

Sunday, December 6 - Saturday, December 12
Hope with Patience

Sunday - Isaiah 11:1-4
Monday - 2 Peter 3:11-18
Tuesday - Malachi 3:1-4
Wednesday - Isaiah 35:1-10
Thursday - Psalm 85:10-13
Friday - Colossians 2:2-3
Saturday - Mark 1:1-3

Sunday, December 13 - Saturday, December 19
Hope with Healing

Sunday - Isaiah 61:1-8
Monday - Philippians 2:8-11
Tuesday - Luke 15:11-20
Wednesday - Matthew 3:1-12
Thursday - Titus 3:4-7
Friday - Psalm 33:20-22
Saturday - Luke 4:17-21

Sunday, December 20 - Friday, December 25
Hope with Joy

Sunday - Isaiah 7:14
Monday - Hebrews 1:1-6
Tuesday - Isaiah 9:2-7
Wednesday - Matthew 2:9-11
Thursday - John 1:1-18
Friday - Luke 2: 1-14

**"Listen, I am standing at the door knocking;
if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you, and you with me."**

Revelation 3:20 NRSV