## Sunday Morning | December 18, 2016



# **COME HOME TO GOD'S LIGHT**

#### **JOHN 1:1-5**

**TRUTH:** Jesus is the light of God to banish the spiritual darkness of our lives (2 Corinthians 4:4).

#### I. JESUS CAME TO GIVE US A PICTURE OF GOD.

TRUTH: At the core of much of our misery is an incorrect view of who God is.

**TRUTH:** You will never become what God intends till you have an "aha" moment of light regarding God as He is, not as you think He is (John 12:46 NLT).

TRUTH: There's a lot of distorted images of God in our world (John 14:9 NIV).

Why Jesus came as a baby:

- 1. To identify with us.
- 2. Because He came to save us, not to scare us.

Two things we learn from nature:

- 1. God loves variety.
- 2. God is powerful.

What we learn only from Jesus:

- 1. God is forgiving (John 8:11).
- 2. God is loving (Matthew 23:37).
- 3. God is waiting for us in heaven (John 14:3).

**TRUTH:** Jesus came to show us what God is really like.

### II. JESUS CAME TO REVEAL GOD'S PLAN FOR OUR LIVES.

**TRUTH:** You were created for a purpose.

**TRUTH:** God will always tell us the truth regardless of whether or not we like what we hear (John 18:37 NCV).

**TRUTH:** God is God, and He has a right to point out what is wrong in your life.

**TRUTH:** One day God wants to take you home to live with Him in heaven for eternity (Ephesians 1:11 NLT).

**INVITATION TRUTH:** You turn on God's light by faith.