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**“The Good News of Christmas”**

**Luke 2:1-20**

**Memory Verses: Luke 2:10-11**

**Big Idea: The good news of Christmas teaches us that God is sovereign, faithful, and gracious.**

**I. Even When We Do Not Understand, God Is in Control (2:1-7)**

**II. All of God’s Promises Find Their Yes in Jesus (2:8-14)**

**A. Luke 2:10-11**

**B. 2 Corinthians 1:20**

**III. We Need to Experience the Good News and Tell Others (2:15-20)**

**A. The shepherds became heralds of the good news.**

**B. Why don’t we herald the good news?**

**1. Some people are “Christianized” but not converted.**

**2. Some people think they have to have all the answers first, so they don’t share the gospel with anyone.**

**3. Some people want to be liked so much they won’t speak the truth in love to lost sinners.**

**C. With whom will you share the gospel?**

**Conclusion**

**A. The good news of Christmas teaches us that God is sovereign, faithful, and gracious.**

**B. What are YOU going to do with this good news?**

**1. Have you repented of your sin and trusted in Jesus?**

**2. Will YOU tell others about Jesus?**

**C. The Gospel Definition**