# Spirit of Christmas: Candlelight Service

Part of Spirit of Christmas December 20, 2025

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Luke 2:7 And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.

# • JUST BECAUSE THINGS HAVE NOT GONE ACCORDING TO PLAN, IT DOESN'T MEAN GOD DOESN'T HAVE A PURPOSE

#### 1) UNCERTAINTY IS PART OF LIFE

Ecclesiastes 9:11 I have seen something else under the sun: The race is not to the swift or the battle to the strong, nor does food come to the wise or wealth to the brilliant or favor to the learned; but time and chance happen to them all.

Luke 2:15 When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

## 2) GOD ALWAYS KNOWS WHERE YOU ARE

Psalm 139: 17 -18 How precious to me are your thoughts, God! How vast is the sum of them! Were I to count them, they would outnumber the grains of sand— when I awake, I am still with you.

### 3) GOD'S PLAN STILL WORKS WHEN THE DETAILS DON'T

2 Peter 3: 9 The Lord isn't really being slow about his promise, as some people think. No, he is being patient for your sake. He does not want anyone to be destroyed, but wants everyone to repent.

John 3:16 "For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.

John 3:17 God sent his Son into the world not to judge the world, but to save the world through him.

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