

PCOM SERMON NOTES

January 4, 2026 • Pastor John Sanders

Sermon Series: Christmastide

Scripture: Luke 2:8-20 and Matthew 2:1-2, 7-12

Sermon Notes:

1. The _____ of _____ in the Christmas Story is often _____. There's singing, reflecting, celebrating, giving.
2. The Angels: Worship as a _____.
3. Mary: Worship as a _____.
4. The Shepherds: Worship as a _____.
5. The Magi: Worship as an _____.
6. _____ and Wonder.
7. Pondering and _____.
8. Loud and _____.
9. _____ and Intentional.
10. God isn't looking for _____; He's seeking _____, _____ and _____ that truly _____ to Him.
11. Take this home and think about it: If you connect best with God in awe and wonder, worship like the angels—lift your voice or your heart in praise! If you need quiet, honest time with God, be like Mary—reflect, ponder, and surrender. If you're bursting with joy and want to share what God has done, take a cue from the shepherds and let your praise be loud and spontaneous. And if you're in a season of seeking or serving, follow the Magi's example—worship intentionally through study, service, and giving.

Next week's Scripture: Acts 10:34-48 with Pastor Jackson