



Christmas is For the Seekers

Matthew 2:1-12 | December 28, 2025

Everyone is seeking something to give them meaning and hope in this life.

- » We all seek happiness.
- » We all seek love.
- » We all seek peace.

All the answers to deep searches of meaning can be found in Jesus.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Blood Drive** on Jan 5 from Noon to 6:00 PM
- Women's Bible Study** begins the week of Jan. 20
- Kids Elementary Retreat** from Jan. 23 to Jan. 24
- Connect Class** on Jan. 25 at 9:00 AM
- Hunger Bowl** on Feb. 8

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STUDY QUESTIONS

GETTING STARTED:

When you hear the word Christmas, what emotion comes to mind first?

Have you ever searched really hard for something and felt relieved when you finally found it?

A DEEPER DIVE:

- Who are the different people or groups in this story?
 - The Magi
 - King Herod
 - The religious leaders
- What was each one seeking or protecting?
- Who actually went to see Jesus? Who didn't?

Everyone in the story knew something about Jesus, but only the Magi were willing to seek Him.

- Why do you think God revealed Jesus to the Magi, even though they were outsiders?
- What kept Herod from responding to Jesus in a healthy way?
- Why do you think the religious leaders didn't go to Bethlehem, even though they knew the prophecy?
- What does this story teach us about fear and faith?

NEXT STEPS:

- What are people in our culture most often searching for?
- Which of these do you personally relate to right now?
 - Happiness / Joy
 - Love
 - Peace
- Where do we tend to look for these things instead of Jesus?
- What is one step I can take this week to follow Jesus more closely ?