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WELCOME: Fixing Our Focus

Suggested Icebreaker:
Have you received good
news that was hard
for you to believe?
How did you react to it?

WORSHIP: Adoring Our God

Suggested songs:
• [Light of the World](#)
• [Come Thou Fount
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WORD & WALK:

Understanding & Applying the Word

LESSON AIM

1. GG members will regularly read and study God's Word for their spiritual nourishment.
2. GG members will praise God for His work of redemption and take part in it.

INTRODUCTION

The gospels are about the person and work of Jesus Christ. The Gospel of Luke was written after careful research from eyewitness accounts so that the believer may have certainty regarding the good news of salvation through Jesus Christ. The gospel starts with the pronouncements of the births of John and baptist and Jesus Christ. In this lesson, we will look at the pronouncement of John the baptist's birth.

Luke stated the purpose of this letter (vv. 1-4)

1. Luke mentioned many written works already present during that time. What were these works about?
2. Who were the people who wrote these works?
3. What did Luke do prior to writing this letter?
4. What was his purpose in writing it?

Application

1. All of God's Word is beneficial to a believer's spiritual growth. How are you regularly reading and studying the whole of the Bible? Share your habits and tips with fellow GG members.

Luke recorded the prophecy of John the Baptist's birth (vv. 5-25)

1. Who was King Herod, and what was he known for in the gospels? (cf. Matthew 2:16)
2. What were the backgrounds of Zechariah and Elizabeth? How were they described by Luke?

WORD & WALK:

Understanding & Applying the Word

3. What was Zechariah doing when the angel appeared to him? What did he feel when he saw the angel?
4. What was the prophecy pronounced by the angel? What did the angel prophesy about John? (cf. Matthew 11:11; Numbers 6:1-4; Jeremiah 1:5; Matthew 3:5-6; Mark 1:4-5; Malachi 3:1; 4:5-6; Matthew 11:13-14)
5. How did Zechariah respond to the prophecy? What happened as a result of his response?
6. How was the prophecy fulfilled?

Application

1. God sovereignly prepared John the baptist as the herald of His Messiah, Jesus Christ, so that many people would be redeemed back to Himself. What ways can you respond to God's redemption?

Prayer Item

Pray for one another and for the whole church, that each one will be nourished by the regular reading and studying of God's Word. Praise God for His work of redemption and ask Him how you may take part in it.



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