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## The Christmas Story Week One – "The Divine Announcement" Luke 1:26-33

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- 1. Share with the group the best gift you ever received at Christmas.
- 2. When you think of Christmas, what usually comes to mind?
- 3. Find the oldest person in the room and ask them what they were doing in the year of 1620? Imagine not hearing one sermon, one voice from God for 400 years. How would that make you feel?
- 4. Why did God want John the Baptist born 6 months before Jesus?
- 5. Why do you think God choose Mary? What do you think were some of Mary's attributes that God found appealing?
- 6. How do you think you would feel if you knew you would be the mother or father of the Messiah, God's son?
- 7. Out of all the things Jesus came to do, (teach, heal, preach, etc...) what was His primary mission? (Luke 19:10, Matt. 1:21, Luke 2:21)
- 8. What did you think when you first heard Handel's Messiah?
- 9. How do you want this Christmas to be different than from all the others in your past? How will you go about being intentional in making that happen?