

Sermon Notes 12 14 25

The Arrival of Peace on Earth

Big Idea: I must echo the message of Jesus's arrival.

Transition: Why? Because Jesus arrived to bring...

1) _____ on Earth, 8-9

Key Truth: God steps into real, aching, troubled places to reveal His peace.

2) _____ to Men, 10-12

Key Truth: Peace begins with God's goodwill.

3) _____ to God, 13-14

Key Truth: The church's message should be an echo of the angelic song until Christ returns - Peace on Earth, Goodwill toward men!

Application Questions

- 1) Where are you tempted to say with Longfellow, “There is no peace on earth”?
- 2) Is your peace shaped more by circumstances or by the Savior’s presence and promises?
- 3) How does the connection between God’s glory and God’s peace reshape the way you worship during Advent?
- 4) How can you ring the “bells” of hope and peace this Christmas season?