

A wide-angle landscape photograph of a mountain range at sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow hues, transitioning into cooler blues and purples at the top. In the foreground, dark silhouettes of forested hills are visible. In the middle ground, a small, dark silhouette of a church with two towers can be seen nestled among the trees. The background is dominated by a range of majestic mountains, their peaks partially obscured by the low-hanging clouds. The overall atmosphere is serene and majestic.

RECOGNIZING  
**God**  
LUKE 2

“Recognizing God”  
12.28.25

Big Question: On a typical day, how often do you recognize God and the things of God?

Passage: Luke 2:21-24, 25-35, 36-38

Recognizing God:

1. We must be \_\_\_\_\_.

2) We must be \_\_\_\_\_.

*(The Spirit of God will lead you to the things of God.)*

3) Once you \_\_\_\_\_ Him.... \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

A scenic landscape featuring a range of mountains in the background, their peaks partially obscured by a warm, golden sunset. In the foreground, there's a dark, silhouetted area that appears to be a valley or a cluster of trees. A small, light-colored building, possibly a church, is visible on a hill in the middle ground. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and blue, with some wispy clouds. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and contemplative.

ON A TYPICAL DAY, HOW  
OFTEN DO YOU RECOGNIZE  
GOD AND THE THINGS OF  
GOD?

A wide-angle landscape photograph of a mountain range at sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow hues, transitioning into cooler blues and purples at the top. In the foreground, dark green forests are silhouetted against the bright sky. In the middle ground, a prominent mountain peak rises, with a small, light-colored church visible on its slopes. The overall atmosphere is serene and majestic.

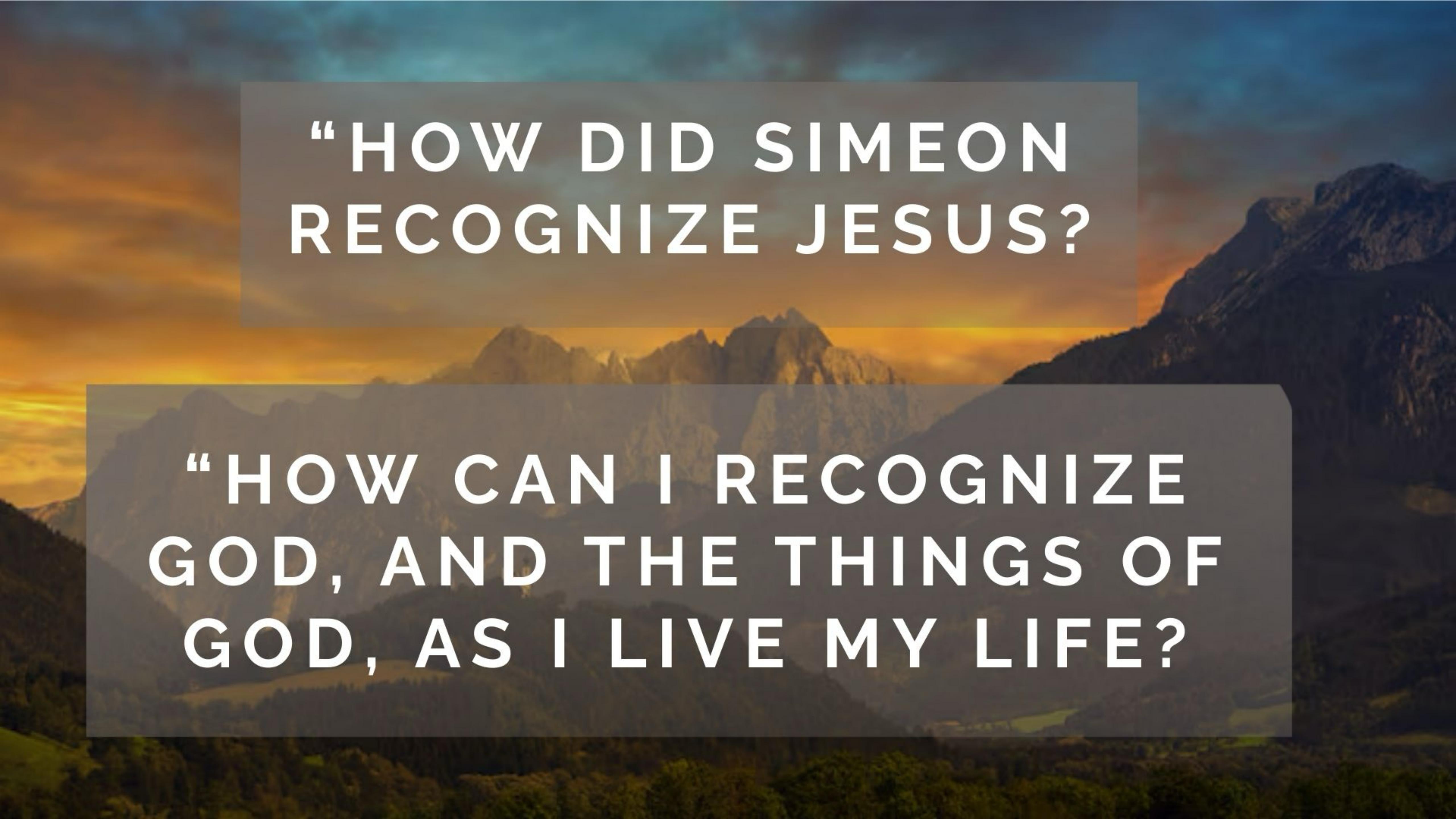
LUKE 2:21-24

A wide-angle photograph of a mountain range during sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow hues, transitioning into cooler blues and purples at the top. In the foreground, dark green forests are visible. A prominent church spire with a cross is situated on a hill in the middle ground. The mountains in the background are rugged and partially obscured by the low-hanging clouds.

LUKE 2:21 - 24

A wide-angle photograph of the Alpine mountain range during sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange, and yellow hues, transitioning into cooler blues and purples at the top. In the foreground, dark green forests and fields are visible. A small, dark silhouette of a church with two towers is perched on a hill in the middle ground. The majestic peaks of the Alps rise in the background, their slopes partially illuminated by the setting sun. A large, semi-transparent dark grey rectangular box is positioned in the center-left of the image, containing the text.

LUKE 2:25-35



“HOW DID SIMEON  
RECOGNIZE JESUS?

“HOW CAN I RECOGNIZE  
GOD, AND THE THINGS OF  
GOD, AS I LIVE MY LIFE?

A scenic landscape featuring a range of mountains in the background, their peaks partially obscured by a sky filled with warm, orange and yellow hues of a setting sun. In the foreground, a dark silhouette of a church with two towers is visible on a hill. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and inspiring.

WE MUST BE  
EAGERLY LOOKING.



WE MUST BE  
LEADABLE.

*THE SPIRIT OF GOD WILL LEAD YOU TO  
THE THINGS OF GOD.*

A wide-angle photograph of a mountainous landscape at sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and yellow hues, transitioning into cooler blues and purples at the top. In the foreground, there's a dark, silhouetted area that looks like a forest or a valley. In the middle ground, a range of mountains is visible, their peaks partially obscured by the low-hanging clouds. On the left side of the mountains, a small, light-colored church with a prominent spire is nestled among the trees. The overall atmosphere is serene and majestic.

ONCE YOU SEE  
HIM...PRAISE HIM.

# Announcements

**12.28.25**

- There will be no regular Wednesday evening activities on December 31st
- The church office will be closed Dec 31 - Jan 2
- “Manly Monday” January 5th, 2026 at 6:30 PM. Location TBD depending on weather. This month we’ll kick off with a cornbread competition.
- Student DNow Weekend January 17-19. See Tanner for all the details and register by scanning the following QR code:

