

Happy New Year

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Let's Go!

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When God reveals, we respond.

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about." ¹⁶ So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger. ¹⁷ When they had seen him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this child, ¹⁸ and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them. ¹⁹ But Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart. ²⁰ The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, which were just as they had been told. Luke 2:15-20

Our response...

- Pursue God... with urgency.
- Spread the good news.
- Worship Him!

Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷ He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." Acts 1:6-8

Our response...

- Think
- Pray
- Give
- Go

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Let's Connect

Did you make any new year's resolutions? If so, share one.

Let's Talk About It

When God revealed that His Son, Jesus our Savior, was being born in Bethlehem, the shepherds responded by spreading the word concerning what they had heard. As followers of Christ, our response should be similar. We pursue God with urgency, we spread the good news and we worship Him.

Luke 2:15-20; Acts 1:6-8

- Which part of the message impacted and challenged you?
- Read Luke 2:15-20. What would it look like for you to worship God and pursue Him with urgency this year?
- Who has God placed on your heart to hear the good news? What step can you take to share with them this year?
- Read Acts 1:6-8. Think about the Gospel message and pray for God's message to spread throughout the world. How might God have you participate in His mission by praying, giving and going?
- Prepare for the upcoming week of prayer and fasting. You can download the prayer booklet on the Grace Honolulu app or at gracehonolulu.org/2023prayer.

Take a Step

- Prepare for the upcoming week of prayer and fasting. You can download the prayer booklet on the Grace Honolulu app or at gracehonolulu.org/2023prayer.
- Spend time this week praying for the missionaries who shared during our New Year services.

Here's My Prayer

• Lord, thank you for sending Your Son, Jesus, to earth in human form. You are worthy to have Your name preached throughout the world. As I worship You, work through me to spread Your good news. In Jesus' name, amen.