Jesus the Reason for the Season

Sermon Notes - Sunday Nov. 22/2020

If we search the scriptures from Genesis to Revelation and not just the familiar passages we turn to at this time of the year, we will discover that Jesus is and always has been the central reality of God’s plan for the ages.

Gen. 3 – *Christmas Announced in Eden*

Three CRITICAL REALITIES we need to regularly remind ourselves of:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 1-7

-Satan – ‘the father of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_’ Jn. 8:44, ‘comes to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_... Jn. 10:10

-He tempts people to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, that God is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, DOUBT His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and question its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and in so doing entices people to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

-Through \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ disobedience, sin entered the world (Rom. 5:12-21) resulting in both \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

-Rom. 3:10-12, 23

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 8ff.

-Grace = giving us what we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

-God was gracious in:

 -how he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to them vs. 8

 -how he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them vs. 9

 -how he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to them vs. 10-13

 -how he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with them vs. 14ff.

-Because he is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ punishment was delivered but mankind was not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_!

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - vs. 15

-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ announced in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

-3 gifts given to offer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 1. Enmity between \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 2. Enmity between the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 3. A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 -the first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 -the first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(‘protoevangelium’)*