

**WEEK 4**  
**A SAVIOR**  
**IS BORN**

**BIBLE STUDY**

1. The shepherds, Simeon, Anna, Herod, and the Magi each had different responses to Jesus. How would you summarize their responses in a word or a phrase? What do you find most compelling or convicting about each?

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2. Read **Luke 2:8–38**. Scripture is clear that both the shepherds and Anna almost immediately began telling others about Jesus. How does their natural response of evangelism inspire you? Are there people God is bringing to mind whom you can tell about Jesus?

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3. Read **Matthew 2:1–12**. What does the Magi’s worship of Jesus reveal about the gospel and the nature of God’s kingdom? Why is their worship significant?

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4. Read **Matthew 2:13–18**. Anthony Carter describes this scene as “the brutal and blunt reminder of why Jesus came into the world in the first place.” In your own words, why does this event belong in our remembrance of the Christmas story? What do we miss if we overlook it?

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5. Read **John 1:1–18 and Philippians 2:6–11**. As you ponder the Incarnation, what sparks questions, wonder, or praise? How does it kindle hope?

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6. As you reflect on this Advent journey, how has your understanding of hope changed? How have you experienced a deepened hope in your daily life?

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YOUR SALVATION,  
WHICH YOU HAVE  
PREPARED IN THE  
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NATIONS: A LIGHT  
FOR REVELATION TO  
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Luke 2:30–32