

Date: December 9, 2018

Title: Advent: Peace

Text: Matthew 13:24-43

Introduction

I. Peace, defined
Conflict all around

II. Peace, threatened
Worried Servants

III. Peace, found
Our Savior

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.” (John 14:27)

Conclusion

- What do you think of when you think of ‘peace’? What parties are involved?
- How are we tempted as Christians to impose peace? Is that ok?
- If Christ is our peace, how come we are so beset by anxieties and troubles?
- How is our peace related to our hope? How does faith impact peace?