



First Sunday
in Advent



HOPE FOR THE HOPELESS

NOVEMBER 27, 2022



Growing in the grace and knowledge of Jesus

Worship

Open The Eyes Of My Heart

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Amazing Grace

Scripture Reading

Romans 15:8-13

(Children dismissed to classes)

Worship

I Have Decided To Follow Jesus

Proclamation

Hope for the Hopeless

Advent, I

Communion

Worship

King Of Kings

Your Grace Is Enough

The people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death, on them a light has dawned.

- Matthew 4:16

SERMON NOTES

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Introduction

I. Powerless & Improper, apparently?

II. Insignificant & Inadequate, surely?

III. Unwashed & Undignified, right?

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope. - Romans 15:13

Conclusion: God for us

- Why are we in a hopeless state without God?
- Where do we naturally go for hope, without Christ?
- What is most surprising to you about God's plan (and his glory)?
- How does the coming of Christ in this way deepen our hope?



Ladies Christmas Party!

Here's your chance to don festive attire, join in singing Christmas carols led by a special quartet and hear about Christmas traditions from other countries!

DECEMBER 8TH, 6:30 PM AT GRACE



Show a little bit of Grace everywhere you go! Get your very own Grace Church Bellingham hooded sweatshirt. They are cozy, warm, make great gifts - and they are only \$25!



Follow That Star

Grace Kid's Christmas Program
Sunday, December 11th, 5:00 PM, Grace Church Fellowship & Meal to Follow

COMING UP @ GRACE:

Sunday 6:30- 8:30 PM	Middle School & High School Groups, at Grace
Tuesday 6:30- 8:30 PM	Young Adults & College Group, at Grace
12/9, 6:30- 8:30 PM	TGP Christmas Party, Palmer Home
12/11, 6:30- 8:30 PM	The Corner Christmas Party

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