

Christmas in the New Testament

December 14, 2025

I. Introduction

- A. Last week: Christmas in the Old Testament
- B. Today: Christmas in the New Testament
- C. Next week: Christmas in Song

II. The People and Passages of the Nativity

- A. The Messenger: Gabriel
 - 1. Luke 1:26
 - 2. Matthew 1:20
- B. The Maiden: Mary
 - 1. Luke 1
 - 2. Matthew 2:11
- C. The Message and Miracle
 - 1. *"You will conceive in your womb and bear a son and you shall name Him Jesus."* – Luke 1:31
 - 2. *"The Holy Spirit will come upon you and the power of the most High will overshadow you . . ."* – Luke 1:35
- D. The Motivator: Elizabeth
 - 1. Luke 1:36-45
- E. The Magnificat
 - 1. Luke 1:45-56
- F. The Man: Joseph
 - 1. Matthew 1:18-25
- G. The Mandate: The decree of Caesar Augustus
 - 1. Luke 2:1-7
- H. The Marshals: Shepherds
 - 1. Luke 2: 8-20
- I. The Man: Simeon
 - 1. Luke 2:21-38
- J. The Magi
 - 1. Matthew 2:7-12

