## Advent Reading Plan

Day	Passage	Theme   Description
	Introduction	
1	Isaiah 40:1-5; Malachi 4:1-6	The prophecy of a forerunner
2	Luke 1:1-17	The fulfillment in John the Baptist
	Preparation	
3	Genesis 3:15, 12:1-3, 13:4-13	Promises to Adam, Eve & Abram
4	Genesis 15:4-7, 15:13-20,	Promises to Abraham
5	Genesis 17:1-8, 22:15-18	Promises to Abraham
6	Genesis 49:8-12; Numbers 24:15-19	The Hope of a Coming, Powerful Ruler
7	Deuteronomy 18:15-22	The Hope of a Greater Prophet
8	2 Samuel 7:8-16	The Promised King and Kingdom
9	Micah 5:1-6	A Promised Ruler
	Anticipation	
10	Psalm 2:1-12	A Promised Son
11	Isaiah 7:10-19	The Promise of Immanuel (God with us)
12	Isaiah 9:1-7	A Promised Child, a Ruler
13	Isaiah 11:1-10	A Promised Davidic Descendant
14	Isaiah 52:13-53:12	The Coming, Suffering Servant
15	Isaiah 61:1-11	The Promise of Good News and Comfort
16	Jeremiah 23:1-8	A Righteous Descendant & Faithful
		Shepherd
	Joy	
17	Luke 1:26-38	Gabriel foretells of the birth of Jesus
18	Luke 1:46-56	Mary's Song of Praise – the Magnificat
19	Matthew 1:18-25	The Virgin Birth
20	Matthew 2:1-12	The Visit of the Magi
21	Luke 2:1-7	The Birth of Jesus
22	Luke 2:8-20	The Angelic Proclamation
23	Luke 2:22-38	Simeon and Anna Rejoice
	Incarnation	
24	John 1:1-18	The Incarnation of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Person of the
		Godhead
25	Galatians 4:4-7; Philippians 2:5-11	Good News through Jesus, the Humility of
		taking on Humanity