Jesus, The Savior, Was born

Scripture: Luke 2:1-20

Also: 2 Peter 3:11-12; Matthew 1

Questions

- 1. What has challenged you, changed you or confused you from this week's sermon or the Scriptures in it?
- 2. Jesus was born in the real world. A world filled with politics, harshness, and tyranny.
 - How is that similar to our current world?
 - How is that dissimilar to our current world?
- 3. Politics, harshness and tyranny work to erode people's hope:
 - Where do you see a need for hope in our world?
 - Who do you see around you that needs hope?
 - What is one thing you could do to be a channel of hope for them?
- 4. Jesus was born into this world to bring real joy, salvation, real peace.
 - · How are those elements visible in your life this season?
 - If you pause and reflect for a few moments, what could you use more of?
- 5. How do the real events of Jesus' coming provide an anchor for your faith?
- 6. How does Jesus' birth (as well as His life, death, burial and resurrection) anchor your hope for the future?
- 7. How do those same events give you an opportunity to talk with others about your faith?

Rejoice together in Jesus!