

Retracing Christmas | More than a Baby 11.27.22

START TALKING | (Find a conversation starter for your group)

What is one of your Christmas traditions?

START EXPLORING | (Read the Bible)

Read Luke 2:1-12.

• What is most memorable to you about the birth of Jesus?

START SHARING | (Choose a question to create openness)

 Which of these words is the first one you would choose when describing Jesus? Why?

Comforter • Deity • Friend • Healer • King • Prophet • Savior • Teacher

- Why do you think the word "King" is not the first word that comes to mind when many people describe Jesus?
- Would you say you are participating in God's Kingdom?
 - What makes you say that?

Start Praying. (Be bold and pray with power)

"Jesus, thank for being obedient to the Father's plan and coming down to earth to show us the way to God. I am grateful this Christmas season for your love. As my King, I want you to show me how to engage more fully into the things You care about this Christmas. It's in your name that I pray, amen."

Start Doing. (Commit to a step, and live it out this week)

As you pray that prayer above, pull out your phone or a notepad and write down some possible ways you can leverage this Christmas to be more about Christ and His kingdom!