

# Incomparable Christ SERMON NOTES

HUMBLE CHILD

MATTHEW 1:18-25 | DECEMBER 11, 2016

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*Intro:*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ the unbelievable. (18-19)

*Conclusion:*

2. Look for \_\_\_\_\_ to be fulfilled. (20-25)

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## **New Reading Plan:**

**Monday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> - Luke 1:46-56**

*Mary's Song*

**Tuesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> - Luke 1:57-80**

*Zechariah's prophecy*

**Wednesday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> - Luke 2:1-21**

*A Savior, Christ the Lord*

**Thursday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> - Luke 2:22-40**

*Jesus, light and glory*

**Friday, Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> - Luke 2:41-52**

*Growing Teacher*

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## IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: Matthew 1:18-25

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Opening: Read Matthew 1:18-25. From the passage/sermon, what truths impacted you the most?

1. What is something you have struggled to believe as a Christian? How can you give this over to God and trust Him in it?

2. What can you learn from Joseph's response...

a. ...when he heard Mary was pregnant?

b. ...after he heard from the Angel of the Lord?

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3. Think of a situation in your life where you're struggling to know what God is doing.

a. What word from the Lord do you need to hold onto in the midst of this?

b. How can you honor Him with your actions? How should you respond?

Application: Take some time to praise God for the gift of His son Jesus. Reflect on your week. Are there some areas where you need to ask forgiveness for your initial response to a situation or relationship?