

“The Word Became Flesh”
John 1:1-18

On this final Sunday before Christmas, we will be examining the Advent of our Lord through the eyes and heart of the Apostle John as he wrote under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. In the prologue to his Gospel, John tells us that *the eternal Word who was with God and was God, became flesh and lived among us*. He was and is God’s Perfect, Living Word, who came as Emmanuel to accomplish our redemption. The Incarnation is one of the great foundational truths of our faith, one that is meant to prompt sincere gratitude and worship in our lives.

As we progress through the passage, we will highlight five major truths about the Word, each one with supportive, complementary insights. In addition to gaining additional knowledge about our Lord, our greater goal is to engage in worshipful exposition.

1. The Word and His _____ (Verses 1-2)

- Three essential facts about His Deity

2. The Word and His _____ (Verse 3)

- He is the absolute Source and Sustainer of life

3. The Word and His _____ (Verses 4-5)

- His illuminating light is indestructible

4. The Word and His _____ (Verses 6-13)

- His coming revealed both rejection and acceptance.

5. The Word and His _____ (Verses 14-18)

- His arrival, His presence, His character and His purpose

Notes
