



Let Us Adore Him “People of Peace”

Advent Week 2

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Romans 15:4-13

⁴ *“The Scriptures give us hope and encouragement as we wait patiently for God’s promises to be fulfilled.*

⁵ *May God, who gives this patience and encouragement, help you live in complete harmony with each other, as is fitting for followers of Christ Jesus.* ⁶ *Then all of you can join together with one voice, giving praise and glory to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

⁷ *Therefore, accept each other just as Christ has accepted you so that God will be given glory.* ⁸ *Remember that Christ came as a servant to the Jews to show that God is true to the promises He made to their ancestors.* ⁹ *He also came so that the Gentiles might give glory to God for His mercies to them. That is what the psalmist meant when he wrote:*

*“For this, I will praise You among the Gentiles;
I will sing praises to Your name.”*

¹⁰ *And in another place it is written,
“Rejoice with His people,
you Gentiles.”*

¹¹ *And yet again,
“Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles.
Praise Him, all you people of the earth.”*

¹² *And in another place Isaiah said,
“The heir to David’s throne will come,
and He will rule over the Gentiles.
They will place their hope on Him.”*

¹³ *I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in Him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.”*

1. The members of the church in Rome were allowing their _____ to _____ them.
2. Though the community of faith _____, the _____ is the same.
3. In the midst of _____, our _____ is to become more like Christ.