



## Discussion Guide | December 24, 2017

### **Read together John 1:1-14, Hebrews 1:1-3**

The Bible teaches that Jesus Christ was fully man but also fully God. In last week's sermon, we discussed the significance of Jesus' being a man. In this week's sermon, we will discuss the importance of Jesus being God.

### **Emmanuel**

1. What was the most significant take-away from this sermon?
2. Why does John use the term "Word" to describe Jesus in John 1?
3. Why did Jesus have to be God in order to be qualified to atone for the sins of humanity?
4. There are some that believe that the Bible is true and yet deny that Jesus was God. What scriptures would you take them to, to point out why you believe the Bible teaches that Jesus was in fact God?
5. It is an amazing thought that God would leave heaven to take on humanity in order to pursue a relationship with us. What is one way that you can respond to his pursuing grace to strengthen your relationship with him?

### **Sharing/Caring Questions**

1. What has God been showing you this past week through His word, through life situations at home, work, church, or through other means?
2. Are there any things in your life or family we can celebrate together - spiritual or otherwise?
3. Are there any struggles or hardships in your life or family that we can pray for - spiritual or otherwise?
4. Are there any other prayer requests or specific areas the group can pray for?