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# **CLARITY INTRO**

Welcome to Clarity, Fellowship's series designed to help us see Jesus clearly in the coming year. This initiative involves our personal devotional lives, our corporate worship, and our small groups.

A guide to the entire year can be found in the Clarity book, which is available for purchase, as well as on the web at Clarity2020.org. Week by week, the Clarity material will provide a devotional, daily readings, a prayer, and discussion questions.

Let's pray that we would commit to seeking Christ individually and collectively, having a unified vision of knowing and expressing the person of Jesus to Northwest Arkansas and the world.

#### Belong

What are you most looking forward to with the Clarity series?

### Grow

Take turns reading Isaiah 53:1-12, one verse at a time. What is the focus of this passage? Who is it describing?

Which of the descriptive phrases stands out the most to you? How would you summarize what this Old Testament passage is telling us to look for in the Messiah?

The verses in Isaiah 53 are referenced numerous times in the New Testament. Have someone from the group read aloud Acts 8:30-35 and 1 Peter 2:21-25. How do these passages help clarify Isaiah 53?

How are you working to see Jesus more clearly right now? How can you commit to engaging in the Clarity series this Advent season and over the coming year? Are you committed to worshiping God regularly with other believers? How can you connect more intentionally with the church in the coming year?

Consider closing your time together in prayer, expressing to God thankfulness for His provision and many gifts.

# Serve: NWA Samaritan Market Food Pantry in Rogers

Samaritan Market food pantry in Rogers has expanded program hours! The food pantry will now be open every first and third Thursday of the month from 6:00-8:00pm. Volunteers are needed to help greet clients and assist with sign-in, input client information into client tracking system, be an encourager and pray with clients, and assist clients while shopping in the pantry. If interested,

Connect DAILY	
Sunday	Isaiah 53
Monday	Genesis 3:15; Psalm 1
Tuesday	Isaiah 7:14; Psalm 2
Wednesday	Matthew 1:1-17; Luke 3:23-38; Psalm 3
Thursday	Matthew 1:18-25; Psalm 4
Friday	Luke 1:1-10; Psalm 5:1-4
Saturday	Luke 1:11-25; Psalm 5:5-12

# **QUESTIONS?**

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