

Sermon Outline by Ron Mangin 12-23-18
"The People God Uses: Humble Ones"
Luke 2:1-20

- 1. The humble circumstances surrounding Christ's birth.**

- 2. Luke's framing of the birth narrative with both power & poverty.**
 - A. The pomp & power of Caesar Augustus.**

 - B. The contrast of Jesus' humble coming vs Caesar's reign.**

 - C. The declaration made to lowly shepherds.**

- 3. The kingdom of God vs the kingdoms of this world.**
 - A. The gospel is open to all.**

 - B. God's kingdom is accessed by those who are humble.**