

SUNDAY MORNING

IS “THE REASON FOR THE SEASON” THE REASON FOR YOUR LIFE?

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Text: Luke 1 & Matthew 1

Theme: When you don't just celebrate who Christ is, but live according to what He desires for your life.

Often Christians will claim to know Christ, but don't always live their lives in such a way that glorifies Him. Let's look at two examples of people who did.

I. Not my life but yours, Lord, to live (Luke 1:26-38)

Luke 1 records the announcement of two God-given, miraculous births – John the Baptist and Jesus Christ

Luke 1:37 For with God nothing shall be impossible.
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Mary made a decision to surrender her life to be lived the way the Lord wanted her to live (Luke 1:38)

II. Not my will but Thine, Lord, be done (Matt 1:18-25)

Joseph had already received the information regarding Mary before the angel approached him (Matt 1:18-20)

Joseph again made a decision to allow the Lord to direct his life instead of following his own will (Matt 1:24)