

Unwrapping Christmas

*Celebrating Christ's
Humility*

03.12.2023 LIFEGATE CHURCH



Philippians 2:5-7

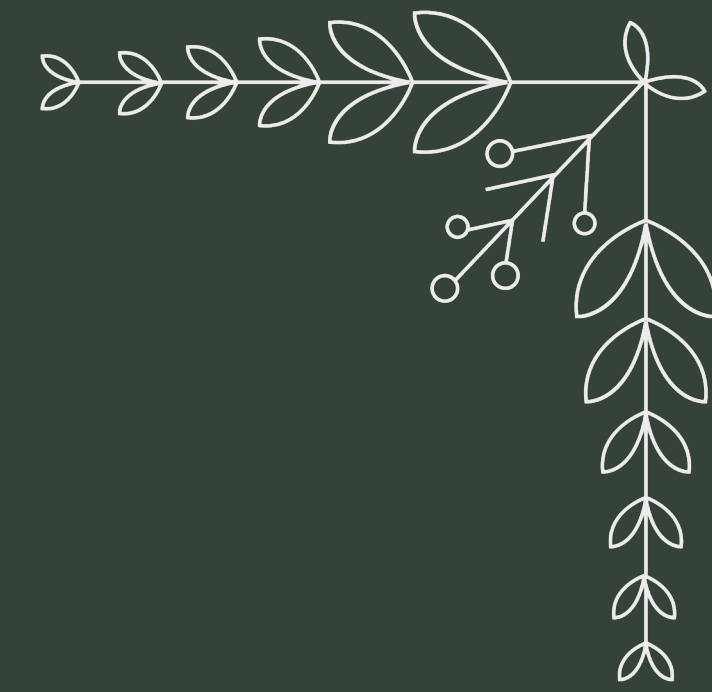
In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.



Jesus Christ who...

- Is the very nature of God (morphe).
- Did not grasp for the glory associated with being God.
- Emptied Himself and took on the form of a servant, being made in human likeness.



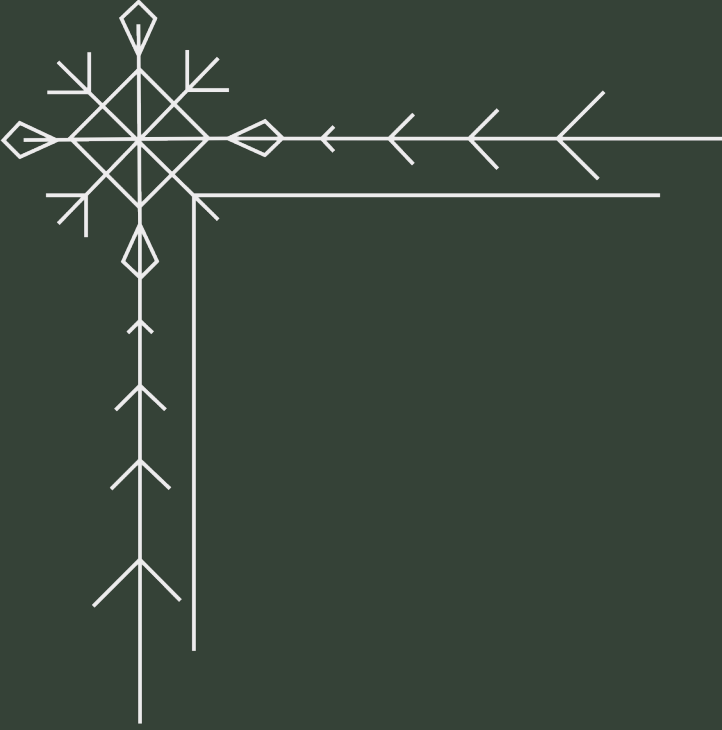


BORN THROUGH MARY

Luke 1:31-33

You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end.”





BORN IN A MANGER



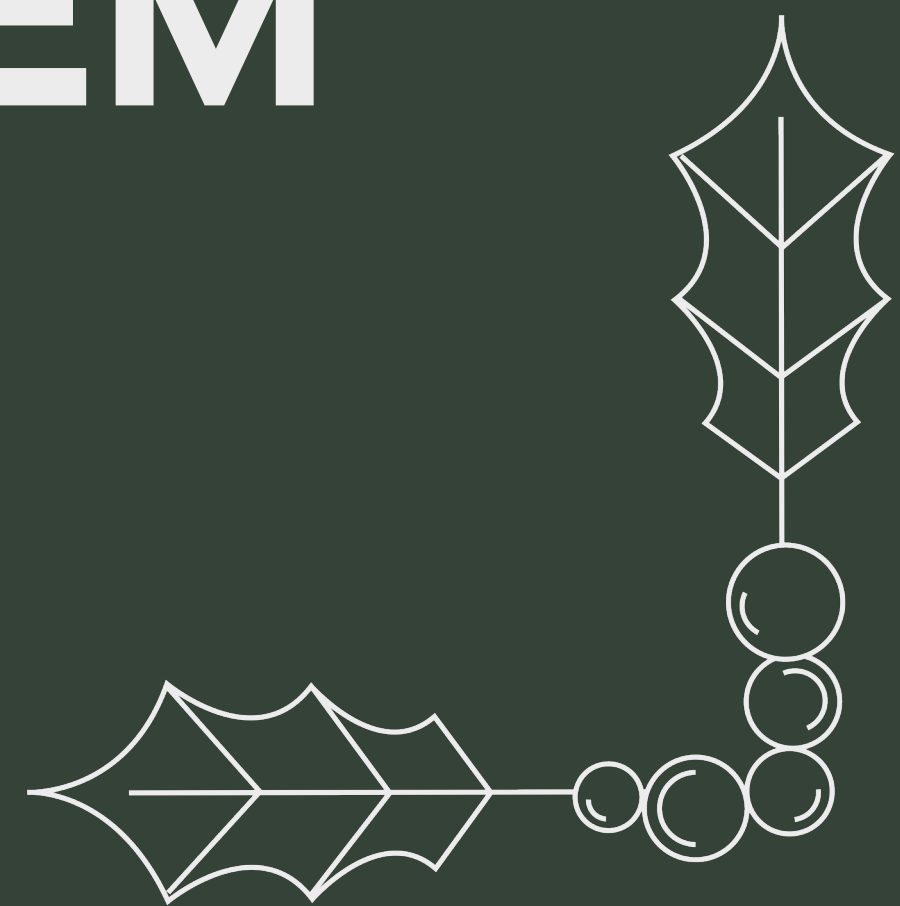
Luke 2:6-7



While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.



BORN IN A BETHLEHEM



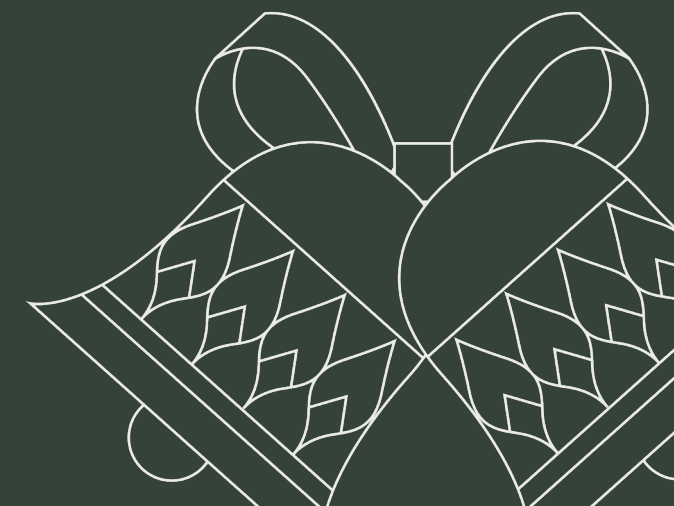
Micah 5:2

“But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah,
though you are small among the clans of Judah,
out of you will come for me
one who will be ruler over Israel,
whose origins are from of old,
from ancient times.”

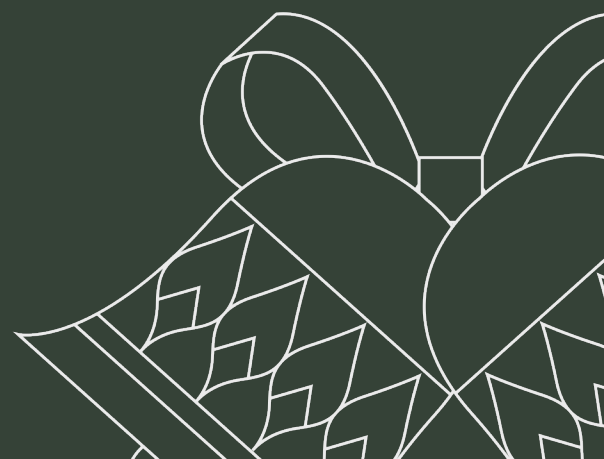
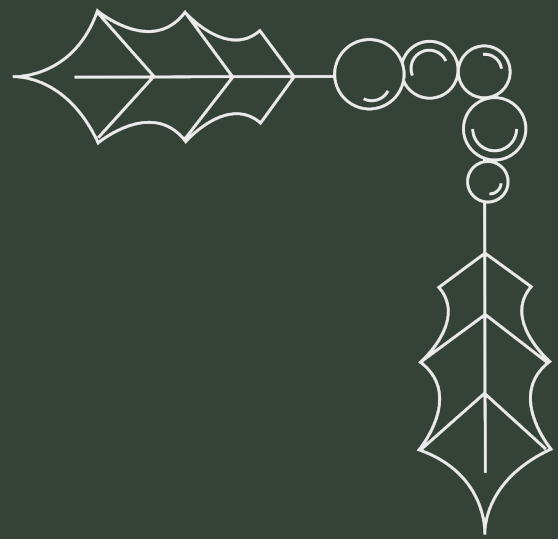




Born through Mary
Born in a manger
Born in Bethlehem



**In your relationships
with one another, have
the same mindset as
Christ Jesus.**



**Surely not this little place Lord,
So small and insignificant,
I need a bigger place,
Where others can see the gifts I see in me,
Then I hear the master's whisper,
Bethlehem was a little place,
And so was calvary.**

