

## Overview of the Winter 2018–2019 Quarter

### Session Dates, Titles, Scriptures, and Goals

The complete scope and sequence can be found at [pcusastore.com/GGGdownloads](http://pcusastore.com/GGGdownloads).

#### **December 2, 2018**

God's Promise of Peace

Micah 5:2–5

Goal: To commit to be God's peacemakers.

#### **December 9, 2018**

Surprised by Grace

Luke 1:5–25, 57–66

Goal: To recognize moments of God's surprising grace and share it with others.

#### **December 16, 2018**

God's Gift of Love

Luke 2:1–7

Goal: To recognize God's surprising love in Jesus Christ.

#### **December 23, 2018**

Rejoice and Ponder

Luke 2:8–20

Goal: To ponder and rejoice in the good news of Jesus' birth.

#### **December 30, 2018**

Simeon and Anna Rejoice

Luke 2:22–40

Goal: To rejoice, like Simeon and Anna did, as we recognize God's promise in Jesus.

#### **January 6, 2019**

It's Epiphany! Let's Worship Jesus!

Matthew 2:1–12

Goal: To explore Epiphany as a way to worship Jesus with the wise men.

#### **January 13, 2019**

You Are My Beloved

Luke 3:1–22

Goal: To explore baptism as the beginning of our lives of faith.

#### **January 20, 2019**

It's Tempting!

Luke 4:1–13

Goal: To learn that we can put our trust in God even when we are tested.

#### **January 27, 2019**

Good News!

Luke 4:14–21

Goal: To reflect on the good news of Jesus' ministry and our call as disciples of Christ.

#### **February 3, 2019**

Spreading the Good News

Luke 4:16–30

Goal: To discover ways that God's love turns expectations upside down.

#### **February 10, 2019**

Follow Me

Luke 5:1–11, 27–28; 8:1–3

Goal: To identify ways God has called us to follow.

#### **February 17, 2019**

Blessed Are . . .

Luke 6:17–26

Goal: To practice being a blessing by helping others.

#### **February 24, 2019**

God's Way to Live

Luke 6:27–38

Goal: To practice God's way to live: loving, giving, and forgiving.