

Don't Miss Christmas | Christmas, Part 2

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WHY PEOPLE MISS CHRISTMAS

• Busyness (Innkeeper)

And she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger because **there was no room for them in the inn.** [Luke 2:7 \(NIV\)](#)

• Familiarity (The Religious Leaders)

Herod called a meeting of the leading priests and teachers of religious law and asked, "where is the Messiah supposed to be born?" "In Bethlehem" they said, "for this is what the prophet [Micah] wrote." [Matthew 2:4-5 \(NLT\)](#)

• Fear (King Herod)

When King Herod heard this, he was deeply disturbed... [Matthew 2:3 \(CSB\)](#)

HOW NOT TO MISS CHRIST THIS CHRISTMAS

1. STOP my life.

All our busy rushing ends in nothing. We heap up wealth not knowing who will spend it. [Psalm 39:6 \(NLT\)](#)

Be still and know that I am God. [Psalm 46:10 \(NLT\)](#)

2. LOOK closely at .

Go and **make a careful search** for the child. [Matthew 2:8 \(GNT\)](#)

3. LISTEN to the !

But the angel reassured them. "Don't be afraid!" he said. **1 bring you good news** that will bring great joy to all people." [Luke 2:10 \(NLT\)](#)

Jesus: "I came that they may have life and have it abundantly." [John 10:10 \(ESV\)](#)

Talk It Over

1. Of the three reasons people miss Christmas, which one do you relate to most right now? Why?

2. The sermon asks: "Why did Jesus come?" How would you answer that in your own words? How does remembering that—change how you approach Christmas?

For your own notes:

Daily Bible Readings

Monday—[Matthew 15:21-39](#)//**Tuesday**—Matthew 16

Wednesday—Matthew 17//**Thursday**—[Matthew 18:1-20](#)

Friday—[Matthew 18:21-35](#)//**Saturday**—[Matthew 19:1-15](#)

Sunday—[Matthew 19:16-30](#)

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CHRISTMÁS, Part 3

Service Times:

Saturday @ **6:15pm**

Sunday @ **10:00am + 11:45am + 1:30pm**