# Sermon Notes

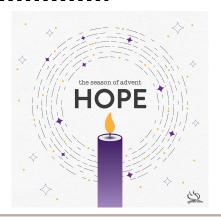
Date: 12/3/2024

Title: Please Come

Speaker: <u>Gary Reiss</u> Topic: Advent: Hope

### Scripture:

Isaiah 64:1-9 NIV https://bible.com/bible/111/ isa.64.4-9.NIV



#### **Key Points**

- THE CAME!
- V HE COMES!
- V HE WILL COME AGAIN!



### Notes/Reflection

### Hopeless Situation

- \* Return from exile
- \* Jerusalem destroyed
- \* Temple a pile of rubble
- \* Where is God?

### They Cried Out to God

- \* Tear open the Heavens and come down!
- \* We need you!
- \* They were desperate

# They also Knew that They'd Sinned

They didn't deserve Grace or Mercy
They confessed their sins
They got honest with God
"and like the winds our sins sweep us
away." (V.6)
"given over to our sins." (V.7)

## YET...(v.8)

- \*You, Lord, are our Father!
- \*We are the clay, You are the Potter!
- \*We are the work of Your hand!



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#### Hope

- \*Not because people were great
- \* Not because circumstances changed
- \* Because ...
  - \* God is Father
  - \* God is Potter
  - \* We are His people

"Yet you, Lord, are our Father. We are the clay, you are the potter; we are all the work of your hand." Isaiah 64:8 NIV

### Weard the Bells on Christmas Day

"And in despair 1 bowed my head.

'There is no peace on earth,' 1 said.

'For hate is strong, and mocks the song of peace on earth, good-will to me." (V.3)

Then pealed the bells, more loud and deep: 'God is not dead, nor doth He sleep; the wrong shall fail, the right prevail, with peace on earth, good-will to men." (V4)

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