

Christmas 2020

The Magi



Assignment (for 12/12/2020)

As we continue through this Christmas season, spend some time considering **Matthew 2:1-23** along with **Matthew 12:38-40**, **John 6:41-45**, **Romans 10:14-15**, and **1 Corinthians 15:1-8**. You might also want to check out chapter 6 of *Desire of Ages*, titled *We Have Seen His Star*.

Trey Wisecup, one of our young people taking Theology at Union College, will use **the Magi** to focus us on Jesus.

- This week, contemplate **Matthew 2:1-23**, **Matthew 12:38-40**, **John 6:41-45**, **Romans 10:14-15**, and **1 Corinthians 15:1-8**.
- What do you find comforting in these passages?
- Is there anything about these passages that make you uncomfortable? Why do you think that is?
- What personal obstacles do you think the Magi needed to overcome in order to set out on such a difficult journey?
- What do you think brought the Magi to Jesus? How did they recognize Him, even in such a humble setting?
- What is the most important message you see?
- How will what you have learned affect the way you live your life? Why?