God So Loved the World

Advent 12.19.2021 ◆ Rev. James Chuang ◆ Luke 1:46-55

- 1. God's Lowly Servant (46-49)
- 2. God's Mighty Arm **(50-51)**
- 3. God's Upside-down Kingdom (52-55)

Conclusion: God's love for the world is risky, strong, and just; let us rejoice in His love and respond with awe and obedience.

Sermon Later ...

- 1. Mary was around the same age as the youth in our church when God called her to become the mother of Jesus. What lessons or inspiration do you draw from her willingness to obey?
- 2. Mary declared, "the Mighty One has done great things for me" in verse 49. Can you say the same thing in your testimony to God? What are some examples of great things God has done for you?
- 3. What is an example of a difficult obedience that God has asked of you? How did you respond to God's calling? What did you learn from this experience with God?
- 4. How do you feel about Mary's declaration about God filling the hungry with good things, but sending the rich away empty? What do these words convey about the nature of God's kingdom?