### 2021 Christmas - I

### **JESUS REIGNS FOREVER**

Luke 1:26-38
Key Verse: 1:32-33

1. What happened six months earlier (26a, 5-25)? Who was Mary and what was her plan (26b-27)?

2. How did God interrupt her plan and how was this God’s favor (28-31)? What does the name Jesus mean (31; Mt 1:21)?

3. What is Jesus’ identity and the purpose of Jesus’ coming (32; 2Sa 7:16; Isa 9:7)? How is he different from other rulers and kings (33; Dan 7:14; Rev 5:9)?

4. How did the angel help Mary believe God’s word to her (34-36)? What was the angel’s conclusion (37)? What does her response show about her (38)?