

Daily Devotions
for the Week of December 2
WDJS (What Did Jesus Say?)

Monday

John went throughout the region of the Jordan River, calling for people to be baptized to show that they were changing their hearts and lives and wanted God to forgive their sins. (Luke 3.3) John calls us to change our hearts and lives to get ready for Jesus. Let's get ready.

Tuesday

This is just as it was written in the scroll of the words of Isaiah the prophet - A voice crying out in the wilderness: (Luke 3.4a) The ancient prophet had called the people to listen for one in the wilderness, what do you hear from the margins of society? Listen!

Wednesday

Prepare the way for the Lord; make his paths straight. (Luke 3.4b) As you prepare for Christmas, prepare for Christ. Don't just straighten up the house, straighten up your life.

Thursday

Every valley will be filled, and every mountain and hill will be leveled. (Luke 3.5a) Sounds like highway construction! What obstacles do you need to overcome to let the way of Christ lead your life?

Friday

The crooked will be made straight, and the rough places made smooth. (Luke 3.5b) What do you need to straighten out in your life? Which are your rough edges that you need to work on?

Saturday

All humanity will see God's salvation." (Luke 3.6) In the end, if we prepare our hearts and look with discernment, we will see Christ this Christmas and have the responsibility like John to help others prepare and see.