**The King and His Kingdom: Jesus’ Baptism and Temptation**

Matthew 3:13-17

**The Revelation of the Trinity**

**The Inauguration of the King**

Isaiah 42:1

**The Humility of John and Jesus.**

Matthew 4:1-11

**Jesus faced real Temptation**

*“He understands humanity, for as a Man, our magnificent King-Priest was tempted in every way just as we are, and conquered sin.”* *Hebrews 4:15*

**3 Temptations**

**The Temptation of Personal Need**

**The Temptation of Power**

**The Temptation of Pride**

**Take Aways:**

1. **The wonder of the incarnation.**
2. **The importance of knowing the scriptures.**

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1. Take a few minutes to share around the group about your week.
2. Share about a time you faced temptation and overcame it? How did you overcome that temptation?
3. If anyone would be willing, have them share about when they were baptized and what it meant to them.
4. Take time to review Sunday’s teaching. What was something that stood out to you? Something that was new to you?
5. Read 2 Timothy 3:10-17 together a couple of times. Look at the passage in a few different translations.
6. What differences did you see in the translations? Do you have any interesting study notes in your bible?
7. What part of this passage stood out to you? Why?
8. What parts did you have a hard time with and why?
9. From this passage why is it so important to study and read the scriptures?
10. Though Paul teaches that knowing the Bible is important (and this is affirmed in many other passages Col 3:16, Ps 1:1-3, 119:9-11, Heb 4:12) it seems many people struggle with knowing their Bibles. Why do you think this is?
11. What are some ways we can get better at prioritizing the scriptures place in our lives?
12. How can you apply what we have been talking about to your life this week?
13. Spend some time praying for one another as we follow Jesus this week.