

SERMON NOTES

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ADVENT: Romans 5:1-11 December 3, 2023

PEACE

BIG IDEA: The manger makes peace with God possible.

PEACE WITH GOD (vv. 1-5)

We have been justified by faith. (Galatians 3:11)

We have <u>access</u> to the grace of God. (Hebrews 4:16)

We have hope in the glory of God. (Psalm 3:3)

We can <u>rejoice</u> in our sufferings. (James 1:2-3)

We have love <u>poured</u> into our hearts. (*Titus 3:4-7*)

THE PROOF OF PEACE (vv. 6-9)

Love demonstrated—Christ died for the ungodly. (1 Peter 3:18)

We are saved from the wrath of God. (John 3:36)

THE PRODUCT OF PEACE (vv. 10-11)

We were enemies <u>reconciled</u> unto God by Christ's death. (Ephesians 2:1-5)

Our reconciliation is cause for <u>rejoicing</u> in God. (Colossians 1:20-21)