# 3. Nine Reasons to SHINE (60:1-22)

• Because the Light has come (60:1, 9)

• The World is dwelling in darkness (60:2)

• The World will come to your light (60:3-4, 9)

• The World came to the Light (60:3, 5-6)

• We will shine in the Light forever (60:19–20)

• We will shine, for mourning will be no more (60:20)

• We will shine in righteousness (60:21)

• We will shine on earth forever (60:21)

• God will not turn aside from His glory (60:7, 13, 21-22)



NEXT WEEK Light Struggle 2 Corinthians 4



### **Light Promised**

Isaiah 60 Sunday, November 27, 2016

This Advent we are exploring what it means for Jesus to be the Light that shined in the darkness and how His shining causes and compels us to shine as well. This morning we'll look at Isaiah 60 where the Light was promised to shine.

### 1. Dwelling in DARKNESS (60:1-2)

• God's People (Then & Now)

• The World (Then & Now)

## 2. The LIGHT to COME (60:1-2, 19-22)

• Then (60:1-2)

• Now (60:19-22)



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#### **Connecting Together**

Take time to get to know, check in and share your lives with one another.

#### **Studying God's Word Together**

1. How did you "come under" God's Word in the message this week?

2. What questions did you come away with from the message?

**3.** What does it mean to dwell in darkness? Who is dwelling in darkness in your life?

**4.** How has the Light already but not yet come?

**5.** Which of the nine reasons to shine did you really need to hear this week?

**6.** What does it look like for you personally to shine?

# **Prayer Together**

Take time to pray for comfort and help for the needs of those in your group.

Take time to pray that God would cause you to shine as a light.

Take time to pray for those dwelling in darkness who need to see your light.

Take time to pray for God's people across the globe to shine as lights to a world dwelling in darkness.