

Date Absent: 12.12.21/12.13.21

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Advent Session 1: Prepare the Way

You can see the video for the session at the following link:

<https://watch.formed.org/ysdisciple/season:18/videos/prepare-the-way-with-bob-rice>

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Answer the following questions **according to the video** and return the answers to the Faith Formation Office or email them to jlreddic@stmarktampa.org.

1. What would it be like for you if the Messiah had not yet appeared?
2. In your Bible, read Matthew 3: 1-17. How can what John the Baptist said back then apply to us?
3. Read Luke 12: 35-40 in your Bible. Explain what these verses are about.
4. Why do presepios in Italy put Jesus/the Nativity scene off to the side or hidden?
5. Read Matthew 6: 24-34 and summarize what you read.
6. What are some ways Bob mentions we can prepare for Jesus during Advent?