#### **ADVENT CONSPIRACY**

Love All

December 10, 2023



### **KEY SCRIPTURE**

John 3:16 Colossians 1:15-20

#### **FAMILY MINISTRY**

Help move your child toward a deeper faith. Check out the <a href="Parent Cue">Parent Cue</a> app on The App Store & Google Play.

### **WANT TO SERVE?**

Check out our serving opportunities at: Colonial Hills.church/lovedesoto

# **START TALKING**. Find a conversation starter for your group.

· Did your family have an Advent tradition growing up?

## **START THINKING**. Ask a question to get your group thinking.

• What is the hardest part of gift giving? Is there a type of generosity that is especially difficult for you?

## **START SHARING**. Choose a question to create openness.

- When was the first time you heard John 3:16?
- Why do people struggle with internally struggle with the prepositional phrase "For God?"
- Why does it say "so loved?" Why not just "love?" What is the context of John 3:16?
- How should God's love shape our Christmas season? What does it do to shape us personally? How does it shape how we engage with others?
- Why do people want a "non descriptive" or "non specific" God? Why do people want a self defining "love?"
- What are your favorite names for God?
- Why is Jesus so controversial/divisive? How do we engage with a culture that
  is comfortable with "god" but not comfortable with Jesus?
- What are some of the motives people have for giving? How do keep yourself properly motivated to give?
- How do you keep "eternity in mind" during Christmas when you are engaging with people that do not follow Christ?

## **START PRAYING**. Be bold and pray with power.

• Please pray for our Advent Offering. Pray that our people are generous with their time, talent, and treasure.