



## Sermon Notes: Impossible Is Nothing

### 5 essential truths about the Incarnation:

1. The incarnation is about Divine initiative and power.
2. The incarnation is about grace.
3. The incarnation is about salvation.
4. The incarnation is about Jesus' uniqueness.
5. The incarnation is about surrender.

### Gospel Applications:

1. Receive Jesus the way Mary did.
2. Trust Jesus the way Mary did.



## Application Questions: Impossible Is Nothing

1. What did you allow God to do with the shame, barrenness, and sadness in your life this week?
2. What did you know about the virgin Mary prior to this message?
3. List 5 (or more) ways the stories in Luke 1:5-25 and Luke 1:26-38 are similar. List 5 (or more) ways they are different.
4. Put yourself in Mary's shoes: Imagine you're 13 years old and an angel tells you you're going to become pregnant and give birth to your Messiah, who is the Son of God. How would you feel? What would some of your questions and fears be?
5. If you were breaking the news of God coming in the flesh to save His people, *where* would you break that news? *How* would you break that news? *To whom* would you break that news?
6. What does the *where*, *how*, and *whom* of Luke 1:26-38 show you about the nature of God and His salvation?
7. Was the virgin birth of Jesus Christ necessary? Why or why not?
8. For our salvation, why must our Savior be both fully God and fully human?
9. Luke 1:37 says "*nothing will be impossible with God.*" In context, what does that mean? Give some examples of what this does *not* mean?
10. What are some things that seem impossible in your life? Does Luke 1:37 apply to any of these? Why or why not?
11. What are some ways you could demonstrate your willingness and availability to do the Lord's will?
12. How will you "receive Jesus as Mary did" this week?