Sermon Discussion Guide:

A Son Who Blesses

Sunday, December 12, 2021 Scripture: **Luke 1:39–56**

Series: Advent

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OVERVIEW

Mary knew enough about what was going on to write a song. Her song is her response to the mercy, grace, and blessing she was experiencing. Here is what her song teaches us: **The Son of God blesses the unworthy.**

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CORROBORATING TEXTS

1 Samuel 2, Psalm 24:5, Psalm 25:5, Genesis 12, Genesis 15, Genesis 17, John 3:16, Romans. 1:16, Ephesians 1:19, 2 Corinthians 8:9, Philippians 2:5ff

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. Both Mary and Elizabeth were blessed because of their faith. What makes their faith so special? [Nothing—they were blessed because of God's kindness.] What are some ways in which God has blessed you?
- 2. What does it mean to be of humble estate? [Not being so haughty as to not accept help when you need it.] Would you say you are of humble estate? Why or why not?
- 3. Do you see your sin in light of God's holiness and kindness? Why or why not?
- 4. We are all unworthy of Christ's sacrifice. How can you show and/or grow in humility this week?

