

"Jesus' Pre-incarnate Presence" Exodus 3:2-6 ◆ Pastor Jim Lennon December 11, 2022

Introduction –During the Advent season we are looking at Jesus' appearances in the Old Testament before He was born. Today we see Him appear as "the Angel of the LORD."

I. The Angel of the LORD.

- A. The difference between an angel and the Angel of the LORD.
- B. See Genesis 18:1-2.

II. Manifestations of the Angel of the LORD.

- A. The burning bush.
- B. The fire and the cloud.

C. The rock.

- D. Jesus is the image of the invisible God.
- E. Jesus reveals God to us.

III. The Angel of the LORD is God.

A. The name YHWH.

B. The name El-Roi.

C. The name "Wonderful."

D. Jesus identified Himself as YHWH.

Conclusion – Lessons:

- 1. Jesus is God –
- 2. Jesus makes God known to us. -
- 3. Jesus' presence in the Holy Spirit is always with us –
- 4. The next time we see Jesus face to face -