

THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

Year B – Advent 3

Who has had a new baby born into their family recently, or who has had a new child come into their class or move near them? If you had heard before that he or she was coming, how did you feel? What did you wonder? Explain the feelings, expectations, and wonderings of the Israelites when they heard from John of One who was coming.

They did not know who this was until Jesus came to show and to tell them and us something of who God is. We cannot know it all, but we learn that God is love by loving and feeling ourselves loved by God.

Bible Story Alternate:

Mary visits her cousin Luke 1