**Advent Peace**

**John 14:1–7, 26–27 (NLT)**

1. **The Way gives peace of heart.**

* A troubled heart is a dark heart filled with guilt and shame.
* Creation began in darkness with God saying, “let there be light”.
* Salvation begins in the dark heart of man by the Light of Jesus.
* Jesus is the only Way to have a peaceful heart by your sins being forgiven and your heart cleansed.
* Hebrews 9:14 (NLT)

1. **The Truth gives peace of mind.**

* A troubled mind is filled with worry and uncertainty.
* The Truth sets the mind free.
* John 8:31–32 (NLT)
* Our mind can put us in the bondage of fear and keep us from trusting God.
* Being forgiven and having the hope of Heaven can give you peace of mind.

1. **The Gift gives peace of Eternal Life.**

* The Gift of life everlasting only comes through Jesus.
* The Gift is the Holy Spirit.
* The world can’t give you peace of heart and mind, only Jesus through the gift of the Holy Spirit.
* The world’s peace is shallow, unsatisfying, and temporary; while Christ’s peace rests deep in the heart, is always satisfying, and will abide forever. The world offers peace through outward means; Christ gives peace that dwells in the heart.