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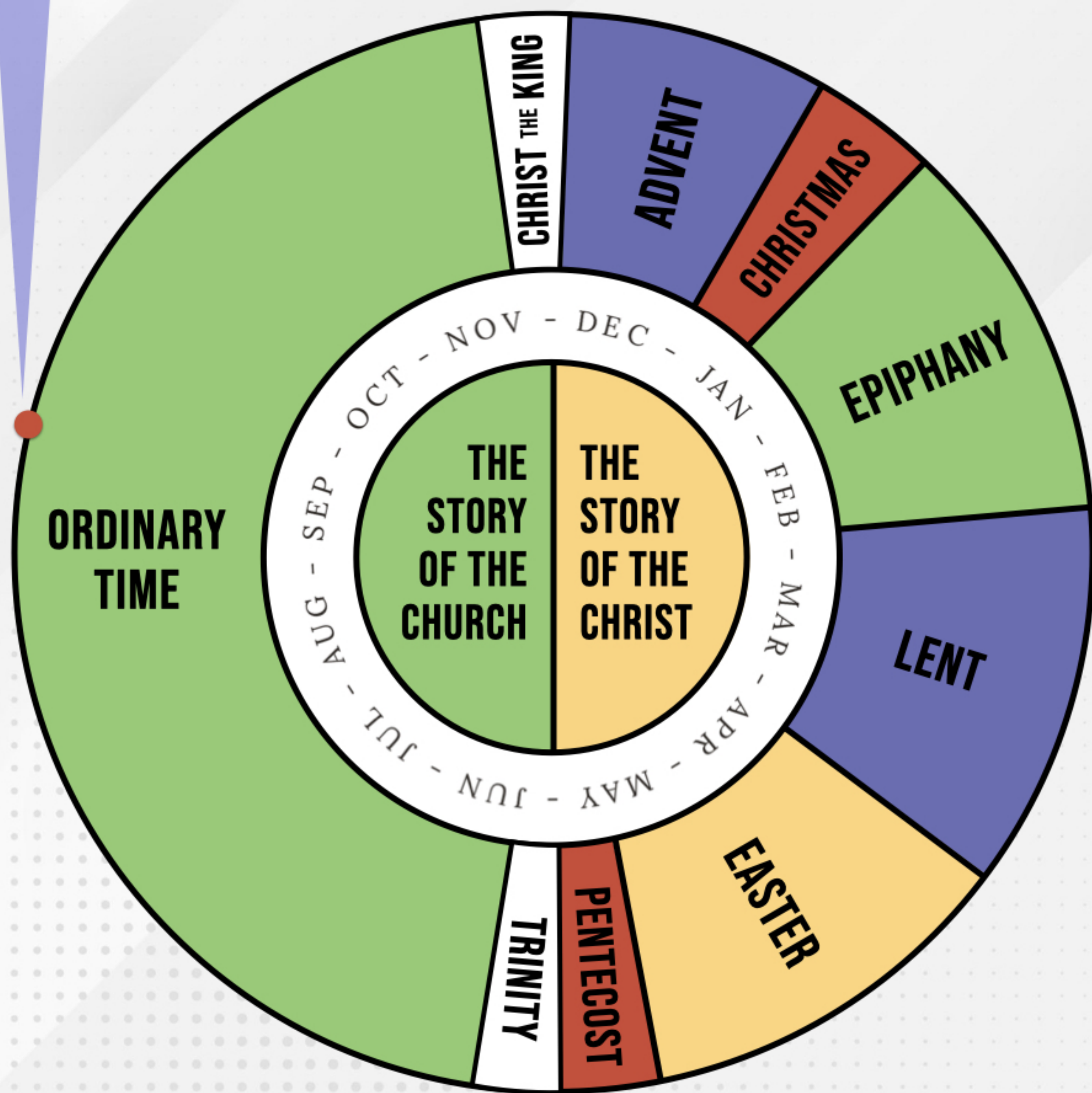
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**WE ARE HERE**



## THE SEASONS OF THE CHRISTIAN CALENDAR

Advent: Anticipation

Christmas: Incarnation

Epiphany: Revelation

Lent: Crucifixion

Easter: Resurrection

Pentecost: Ascension

Trinity: Magnification

Ordinary Time: Mission

Christ the King: Conclusion

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# JEREMIAH 7:1-8

This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord: “Stand at the gate of the Lord’s house and there proclaim this message: “Hear the word of the Lord, all you people of Judah who come through these gates to worship the Lord.

## JEREMIAH 7:1-8

This is what the Lord Almighty, the God of Israel, says: Reform your ways and your actions, and I will let you live in this place.

Do not trust in deceptive words and say, “This is the temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord, the temple of the Lord!”

## JEREMIAH 7:1-8

If you really change your ways and your actions and deal with each other justly, if you do not oppress the foreigner, the fatherless or the widow and do not shed innocent blood in this place, and if you do not follow other gods to your own harm...

# JEREMIAH 7:1-8

Then I will let you live in this place, in the land I gave your ancestors for ever and ever. But look, you are trusting in deceptive words that are worthless.

***FALSE RELIGION  
USES MAGIC WORDS***



## ACTS 19:13-16

“Some Jews who went around driving out evil spirits tried to invoke the name of the Lord Jesus over those who were demon-possessed. They would say, “In the name of the Jesus whom Paul preaches, I command you to come out.”

## ACTS 19:13-16

Seven sons of Sceva, a Jewish chief priest, were doing this. One day the evil spirit answered them, “Jesus I know, and Paul I know about, but who are you?” Then the man who had the evil spirit jumped on them and overpowered them all. He gave them such a beating that they ran out of the house naked and bleeding.”

## MATTHEW 15:7-9

“You hypocrites! Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you: ‘These people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. They worship me in vain; their teachings are merely human rules.’”

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## JEREMIAH 7:9-11

“Will you steal and murder, commit adultery and perjury, burn incense to Baal and follow other gods you have not known, and then come and stand before me in this house, which bears my Name, and say, “We are safe”—safe to do all these detestable things? Has this house, which bears my Name, become a den of robbers to you? But I have been watching! declares the Lord.

***FALSE RELIGION  
HIDES BEHIND SYMBOLS***

# ***HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION***

**IF THE UNDERGROUND  
HORNET'S NEST HAD  
A LITTLE CHURCH AT  
THEIR ABOVE GROUND  
ENTRANCE, WOULD  
THEY BEE SAFE?**







**BEHOLD—  
NOW I AM  
BECOME  
DEATH, THE  
DESTROYER  
OF WORLDS.**



# JEREMIAH 7:12-15

“Go now to the place in Shiloh where I first made a dwelling for my Name, and see what I did to it because of the wickedness of my people Israel. While you were doing all these things, declares the Lord, I spoke to you again and again, but you did not listen;

# JEREMIAH 7:12-15

I called you, but you did not answer. Therefore, what I did to Shiloh I will now do to the house that bears my Name, the temple you trust in, the place I gave to you and your ancestors. I will thrust you from my presence, just as I did all your fellow Israelites, the people of Ephraim.'

***FALSE RELIGION  
RUNS ON NOSTALGIA***

***“IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO IMAGINE  
THE WORLD ENDING IN FIRE OR IN  
ICE. THERE ARE TWO OTHER  
POSSIBILITIES: ONE IS PAPERWORK  
AND THE OTHER IS NOSTALGIA.”***

***FRANK ZAPPA***

## JEREMIAH 7:16-19

“So do not pray for this people nor offer any plea or petition for them; do not plead with me, for I will not listen to you. Do you not see what they are doing in the towns of Judah and in the streets of Jerusalem?”

# JEREMIAH 7:16-19

The children gather wood, the fathers light the fire, and the women knead the dough and make cakes to offer to the Queen of Heaven. They pour out drink offerings to other gods to arouse my anger. But am I the one they are provoking? declares the Lord. Are they not rather harming themselves, to their own shame?"

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# JAMES 1:22-27

Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says. Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. But whoever looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues in it—not forgetting what they have heard, but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do.

# JAMES 1:22-27

Those who consider themselves religious and yet do not keep a tight rein on their tongues deceive themselves, and their religion is worthless.

Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.



**CHICKEN ALFREDO**



**FISH & CHIPS**



**BELGIAN WAFFLES**



**BISCUITS & GRAVY**



**THANKSGIVING**



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**If you would like personal  
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with a Prayer Team Member  
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