## Hope: Advent (Part One)

## The message of the incarnation is a message of hope.

Why? Our situation would have been hopeless if Jesus had not come.

Three options:

**Option #1** – Irreligion

## **Option #2 – Religion**

Neither of these options offer any hope.

(Job 8:13; 11:20; 27:8; Proverbs 11:7; 24:20; Jeremiah 17:3)

## **Option #3 – The Gospel**

Our hope is in Jesus and in what he has done for us.

(2 Corinthians 1:10; 1 Timothy 4:9-10; 1 Peter 1:21)

How is the gospel distinct from irreligion and religion?

What are we hoping for?

