

ADVENT: DREAMING GOD'S PEACE

Inspired by Dorothy Day, Isaiah's Vision, and the Call of Advent



DOROTHY DAY:
Journalist, Advocate
for the Poor, Pacifist.

**“I really only love
God as much as
I love the person
I love the least.”**

An uncomfortable truth
that challenges our love
for God and neighbor.

THE STING OF TRUTH & THE PROMISE OF SCRIPTURE



Who do I love the least? My love for them measures
my love for God.



Isaiah's Vision: A world where no one is loved least.
All are loved equally, without exception.



A child-like faith to believe in peace and reconciliation
beyond our understanding.



ADVENT'S INVITATION: PREPARE THE WAY

LOOK TO THE END TIME:
The healing of all
brokenness, the end
of all suffering.



LIVE OUT ISAIAH'S VISION NOW:
Make guests of enemies.
Live peaceably. Forgive.
Be reconciled to God.



Our Homes, Schools, Neighborhoods,
Workplaces, Towns, Parishes.



ADVENT'S WORK: CLEARING A PATH

Dismantle the walls that keep us from loving one another and God.



End conflict, reconcile
estrangements, let go
of old hurts.



Restore trust
and confidence
in the Church.



Be at peace
with God, seek
His mercy.

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Saddest sin: To stop dreaming,
to give up on Christ's peace.

MAKING A SUPER HIGHWAY FOR THE LORD

Advent cuts through the weeds
of our lives. Jesus seeks to
dwell among us, in our towns.



BETHLEHEM = HOUSE OF BREAD

Meet the One born in a manger, died on a Cross, in the Eucharist.
Nourish the hope and dream of peace on earth, for all.

May this sacrament nourish in us the hope and dream
of peace on earth, among all, in all and for all.

