



WEEK 4

REFLECTION

AGAIN JESUS SPOKE TO THEM,
SAYING, “I AM THE LIGHT OF
THE WORLD. WHOEVER FOLLOWS ME
WILL NOT WALK IN DARKNESS,
BUT WILL HAVE THE LIGHT OF LIFE.”

JOHN 8:12, ESV

As Christmastime reaches its conclusion this year, take a few minutes to reflect on how you are coming out of it. What are some lingering struggles you are wrestling with as you step into the new year? What is one hope you can bring before the Lord as the new year approaches?

What is one story in particular that stuck out to you during this week's readings? Following Jesus means we will inevitably be confronted with inexplicable trials at times. What do these stories reveal about the light of Jesus during times of darkness and distress?

As you anticipate the new year, what are some truths God has reminded you of during this Advent season that will bring some welcomed assurance of his presence? Take a moment to rejoice in Christ, confess your sins, thank him for his forgiveness, and ask for renewed strength to follow him.