

The Misfits of Christmas
Simeon... “Waiting For Something Better”
Luke 2:21-34

Imitations....



Simeon’s waiting

Even better than the real thing

Jesus said “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” John 8:12

Questions to Ponder

When have you settled for an imitation?

- What is close to the real thing?
- When have you found an imitation creating a longing for the real thing?

What caught your attention the most from our sermon today?

- Why do you think you are drawn here?
- What do you think God might be saying to you?

What strikes you about Simeon’s relationship with God?

- Have you heard the Holy Spirit speaking to you or leading you?
- What happened through the Holy Spirit’s guidance?

The Jewish temple held within it the presence and the glory of God.

- In what ways was the temple a temporary place?
- How does Jesus replace the temple?

What have you focused on this Advent season?

- Has it led to the Jesus or away from Jesus?

Imitations never bring hope, peace, joy, and love....only Jesus does.