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Jesus: Shepherd and King (Matthew 2:6)

READ and REFLECT Matthew 2:6

- If you could step into the Christmas story, who would you want to be—one of the shepherds, the wise men, an angel, Mary, Joseph, or someone else?
- How did you first meet Jesus? Share a moment or season when faith became real for you.
- Matthew 2:6 calls Jesus our Shepherd and our King. How has His leadership or care shaped your life? Consider ways Jesus has guided, protected, corrected, or transformed you.
- Like Mary, who treasured God's work in her heart, what is something God has done in your life that you are holding onto with gratitude? This could be a Scripture, a truth God is teaching you, or a meaningful experience.

RESPOND

- Where is Jesus inviting you to follow Him more closely right now, as your Shepherd or as your King?
- Who in your life needs the hope of this story, and how can you share it with them this week?

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