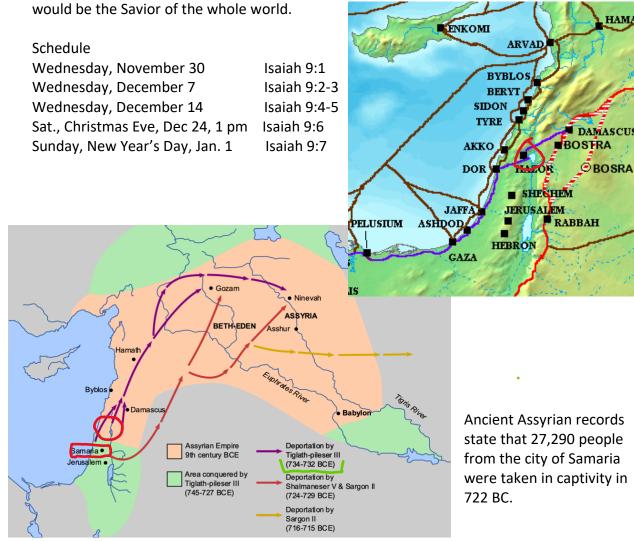
God's Promises in Isaiah 9:1-7 Advent - Christmas 2022 Zion Lutheran Church, Ridgeville Corners During the Advent and Christmas services in 2022 the prophecy about Jesus in Isaiah 9:1-7 will be the focus.

Isaiah was a priest who worked in the Temple in Jerusalem. He wrote the narrative, prophesies and teachings in the book of Isaiah from about 740 to about 686 B.C. Isaiah's writing include many promises about the coming Messiah, God's Anointed Servant, who



Promises from Isaiah 9:1 - Christmas: A Savior to Defeat Satan for All the Nations I. The World-Wide Problem of Sin and Death (Gen. 3:1-15)

God created the _____ and _____ to be in harmony with Him.

The first sin was to rebel against God, to break the harmony,

"to be _____ God"

The result was ______, ____, from God , sin and _____

This result of this sin was upon _____ people - "the nations"

II. No more Gloom and Anguish for the Nations (Isaiah 9:1)

During Isaiah's time the land areas for the 10 norther tribes, including Zebulun and Naphtali, were taken over by the Assyrians. Many were taken into brutal captivity.

The northern tribes had long worshipped ______ instead of the LORD.

But Isaiah prophesied there would be a time when the gloom, anguish and contempt would end.

God would make glorious the "Way of the Sea." There was a great transportation road running through that part of northern Israel which much of the Middle East world used. It ran from Damascus, through Israel, to Egypt.

"Galilee of the _____," the Gentiles.

III. Jesus ministry started by defeating the devils temptations... (Matthew 4:1-16)

and preaching and healing in the areas of ______ and _____...

Galilee of the _____.

The promise in Genesis 3:15 Jesus is Savior for ______ the people.