

Monday Quotes



Grain

“God is experienced in community and within the space of solidarity.” – Paraphrase of Ada María Isasi-Díaz by Marianne Tierney FitzGerald

Field

8In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. 9Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. 10But the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid; for see—I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: 11to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. 12This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger.” 13And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying, 14“Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!”[15When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, “Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us.” 16So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. 17When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; 18and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. 19But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. 20The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.]

Thoughts

May Jesus, who was born in solidarity with the world amid our differences in gifts, cultures, identities, and places of struggle, be born into your hearts.



1. Mary - Ron DiCianni
2. Joseph and Mary - Stephen Wysocki
3. Stars - unknown
4. Joseph and Jesus - Nichole Lanthier
5. www.speaklife.org.uk He Came Down
6. Madonna and Child, Hope for the world - Patricia Brintle
7. Three Kings - Sadao Watanabe
8. Jesus among the rubble at a church in Bethlehem, where Christmas celebrations are being cancelled
9. Logos - In the beginning was the world - Robert Frank Gabriel

Happy Monday! Have a blessed Christmas!

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