

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### “OUR LOVE”

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1 John 3:1; 4:9

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#### I. Introduction

- A. Love at Christmas
- B. Do We Really Understand Love?
- C. What's Love Have to Do With It?

#### II. We are Lavished Upon

- A. It is Godly (Psalm 100:5; 136:1-26)
- B. It is Great (Psalm 108:4)
- C. It is Generous (Ephesians 2:3-5; 1 Timothy 1:14)

#### III. We are Longed For

- A. As the Creation of God (Genesis 1:27, 31; Isaiah 30:18)
- B. As the Children of God (Romans 5:8; John 1:12; Jeremiah 29:11)
- C. As the Consecrated of God (Isaiah 40:3-5)

#### IV. We are Given Liberty

- A. To Freely Choose (Jeremiah 18:1-6)
- B. To Fondly Connect (Romans 5:1-2)
- C. To Fully Be Christlike (John 15:9-13; Luke 2:11)

#### Application:

- What does God's love mean to you?
- How is His love demonstrated to you?
- What can you do to demonstrate His love to others?