The Presence and Power of God

Luke 1:34-37

Discussion Questions

Key Texts: Luke 1:18, 9:28-36, 18:27; John 14:11; Exodus 40:34; Philippians 2:6; Genesis 15:1-6, 18:14; 1 Corinthians 2:5;

The Essentials

- 1) How is Mary's response similar to Abraham's response to God in Genesis 15:1-6?
- **2)** Do you expect the supernatural?
- 3) What is the connection between our text and the transfiguration account in Luke 9:28-36?
- **4)** Consider how we still need the empowering presence of the Holy Spirit in our walk with Jesus.

Going Deeper

- 5) Discuss these tenets of the Chinese Underground Church: 1) Bible reading, 2) Prayer, 3) Everyone is a missionary, 4) Expect the miraculous, 5) embrace suffering for the glory of God.
- 6) How did Jesus continually rest in the presence and power of God?

Memory Verse: "For no word from God will ever fail." Luke 1:37

Prayer Point: Please pray for this advent season, for those who are grieving and without family at this time of the year.