

A Very Covid Christmas Expecting the Unexpected

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What changes will you make in your Christmas celebrations due to COVID?

Read Mark 8:27-33.

What about this story strikes you as interesting?
Weird?
Challenging?
Helpful?

What kind of Christ was Peter expecting?

What kind of Christ is Jesus?

How did Peter have to change his view (expectation) of Jesus?

What views of Jesus have you held that have been challenged and changed?

Why is it so hard to change our views of things?

COVID has forced us to change the way we do Christmas.

What has been the impetus for changes in your views?

When Jesus said to Peter, "Get behind me, satan," Jesus is using a word that means "adversary". Jesus wasn't calling Peter the "devil incarnate". He was simply saying, "Your way is not God's way, so, 'Get out of my way.'"

What will you do this week to make sure your ways match the ways of Jesus?