

Intro. – French Canadian Christmas

-Christmas has always been about patience.

I. Background on Simeon – Luke 2:25-32

- Luke describes a time when the baby Jesus was brought to the temple by His parents.

- Purification Laws – **Leviticus 12:1-ff**

- Mary, Jesus and Joseph are met by Simeon

II. Lessons on waiting Patiently

Lesson #1 – God’s promises are not always

- Sometimes God’s answer is right before our very eyes.

Lesson #2 – Waiting Patiently is

- The Apostles asked Jesus to enable them to do “great” works.

- **John 6:29** _____

- Sometimes believing and waiting patiently are the only tasks required. _____

Lesson #3 – God always _____.

- Don’t let the indifference or disbelief of the world deter you from waiting patiently.

Summary/Invitation

- One last thing about waiting patiently.

- God also _____ for you.

*Will you come to Him today? _____

