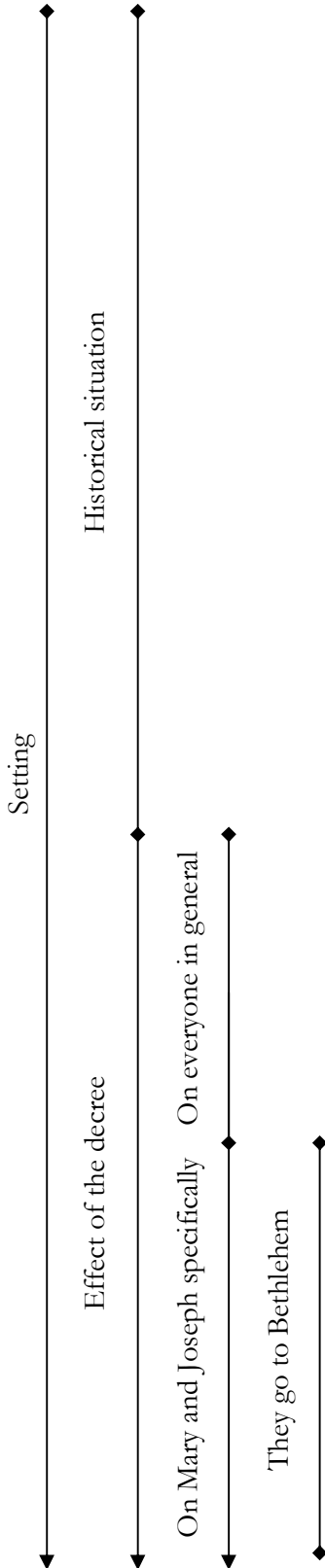


# Luke 2:1-52

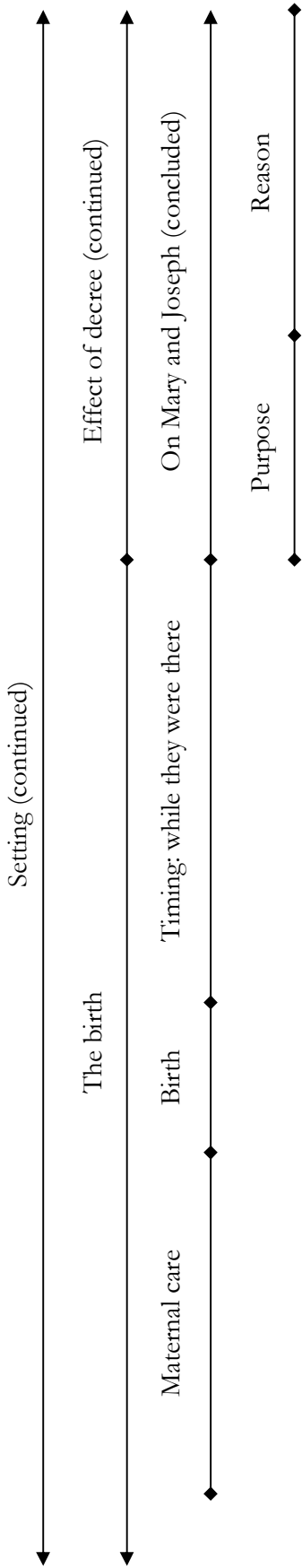
Panel 2B – Birth of Jesus



<sup>1</sup> And it came to pass  
in those days,  
that  
there went out  
a decree  
from Caesar Augustus  
that  
all the world  
should be **taxed**.  
<sup>2</sup> (And this **taxing**  
was first made  
when Cyrenius  
was governor  
of Syria.)

<sup>3</sup> And all  
went  
to be **taxed**,  
every one  
into his own city.

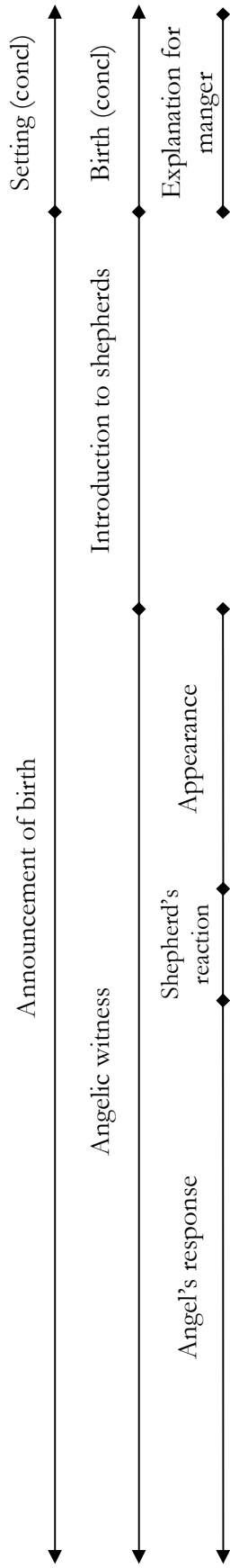
<sup>4</sup> And Joseph also  
went up  
from Galilee,  
out of the city of Nazareth,  
into Judaea,  
unto the city of David,  
which is called Bethlehem;



(because  
 he  
 was of the  
 house and  
 lineage  
 of David:)

<sup>5</sup> To be **taxed**  
 with Mary  
 his espoused wife,  
 being great with child.

<sup>6</sup> And so it was,  
 that,  
 while they were there,  
 the days  
 were accomplished  
 that  
 she  
 should be delivered. <sup>7</sup> And  
 she  
 brought forth  
 her firstborn son, and  
 wrapped  
 him  
 in swaddling clothes, and  
 laid  
 him  
 in a manger;



because  
there was no room  
for them  
in the inn.

<sup>8</sup> And there were  
in the same country  
shepherds  
abiding in the field,  
keeping watch  
over their flock  
by night.

<sup>9</sup> And, lo,  
the angel of the Lord  
came upon them, and  
the glory of the Lord  
shone round about them: and  
they  
were sore afraid. <sup>10</sup> And  
the angel  
said  
unto them,  
Fear not:  
for,  
behold,  
I bring you  
good tidings  
of great joy,

Announcement of birth (continued)

Angelic witness (continued)

Angel's response (concluded)

Reason to fear not (concluded)

Good news

Specifically: Savior is born

which shall be  
to all people.  
<sup>11</sup> For unto you  
is born  
this day  
in the city of David  
a Saviour,  
which is  
Christ  
the Lord.

<sup>12</sup> And this  
shall be a sign  
unto you;  
Ye shall find  
the babe  
wrapped  
in swaddling clothes,  
lying  
in a manger.

<sup>13</sup> And suddenly  
there was  
with the angel  
a multitude  
of the heavenly host  
praising God, and  
saying,

Army of angels appears

They  
praise

They appear

Sign is given

Reason to fear not (concluded)

Angel's response (concluded)

Angelic witness (continued)

Announcement of birth (continued)

Announcement of birth (continued)

Shepherds respond to the sign

Angelic witness (concluded)

Timing: when  
angels depart

Determination to verify sign

Army of angels appears (concl)

Outcome

Purpose: to see

They praise

They go

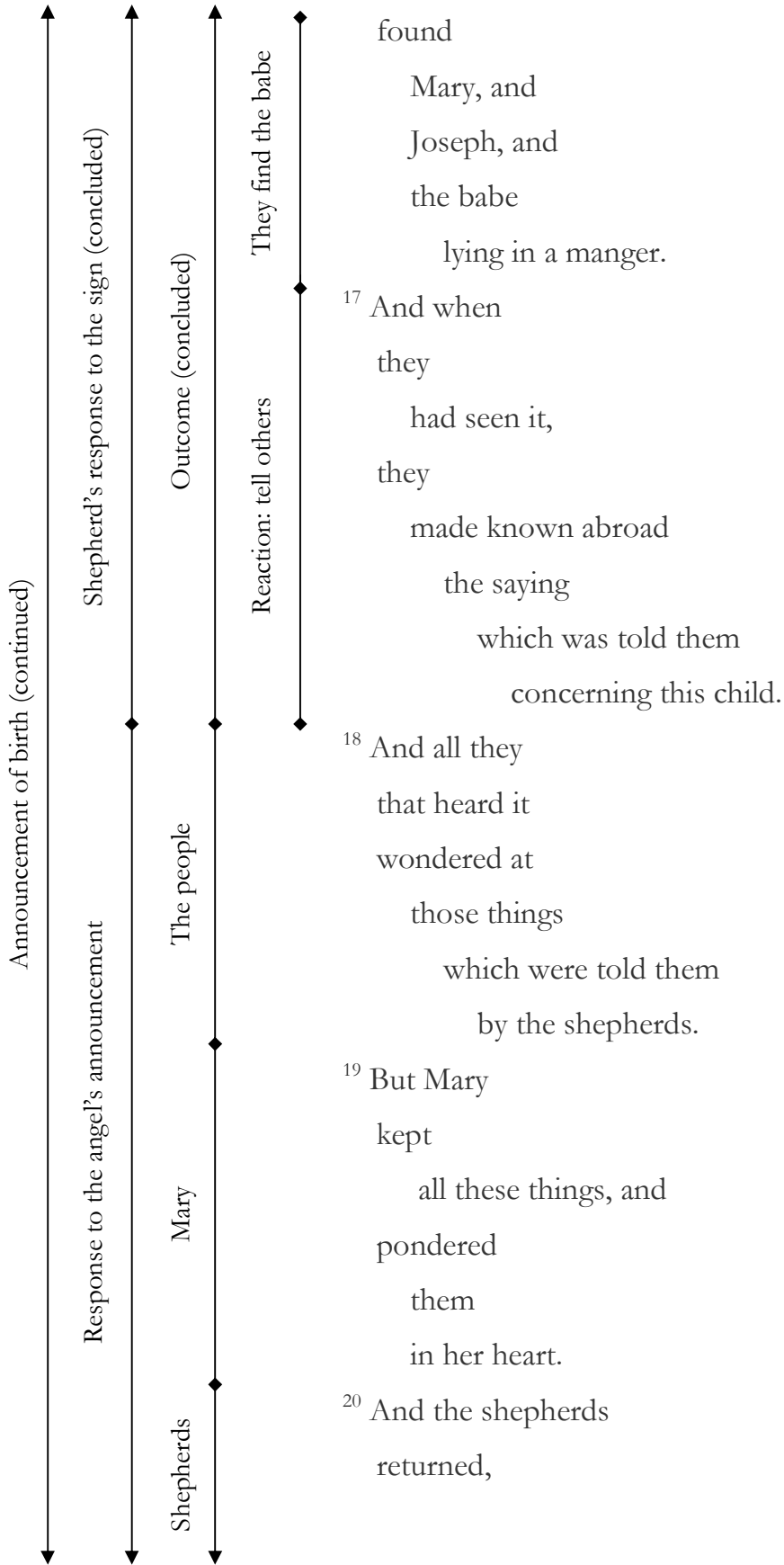
Intro

Let's go

<sup>16</sup> And they  
came  
with haste, and

<sup>15</sup> And it came to pass,  
as the angels  
were gone away from them  
into heaven,  
the shepherds  
said  
one to another,  
Let us now  
go  
even unto Bethlehem, and  
see  
this thing  
which is come to pass,  
which the Lord  
hath made known  
unto us.

<sup>14</sup> Glory  
to God  
in the highest, and  
on earth  
peace,  
good will  
toward men.



Announcement of birth (concluded)

Response to the announcement

(concluded)

Shepherds (concluded)

glorifying and

praising

God

for all the things

that they had

heard and

seen,

as it was told unto them.