

StuhlmueLLer, C.P., Carroll. Biblical Meditations for Advent and the Christmas Season.

As Bishop Gumbleton states in his introduction, we are not very good at waiting. We are not used to it. We have instant coffee, microwave ovens, fast computers, instant-on TVs. Father StuhlmueLLer wants us to experience the good that can come from waiting. His thoughts on Advent show us how to wait, not with anxiety, but with hope and anticipation leading to the celebration of Christmas. He presents Scripture passages, reflections, and prayers for each day of Advent and the Christmas season which bring us an ever more intense awareness of God's immediate but mysterious presence. "Lord you are coming and will not delay. You will bring every hidden hope to light and reveal yourself in these secret inspirations." (Call No. 242.33-STU)