

# The Challenge of Incarnation

Hebrews 13:8-16

# 1). The Defense of Christmas

Christ Incarnate is the  
anchor which keeps us  
secure.

## **2). The Offense of Christmas**

**Christmas confronts  
humanity with the question:  
Who exactly is this child?**

# **3). The Call of Christmas**

**“Because Christ exists,  
he must be followed.”**

**Dietrich Bonhoeffer**

9 things a *disciple* is  
not:



# 1. STATIC

## 2. SAFE

# **3. RESPECTABLE**

# 4. PART-TIME

# 5. SILENT

# 6. ACCIDENTAL

# 7. PASSIVE

# 8. STINGY



# 9. ALONE

**Advance! — risking life and reputation, in full-time, active, intentional and generous service to Christ and others.**