Daily Devotion for December 26, 2021

"Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews. We saw his star in the east and have come to worship him." Matthew 2:2

I hope you all have a very Merry and blessed Christmas as you remembered and celebrated the birth of our Lord Jesus yesterday.

As we look at that first Christmas, Matthew 2:2 tells us that the Magi came a long way seeking the new "king of the Jews." This seems ironic because the Magi, or "wise men", were subject to their own king, the ruler of Persia. But they followed a star to honor the birth of a foreign ruler. When they finally found the new born king, the Magi worshipped him.

**Thought For Today:** As Christians we realize that Christmas is not just one day on the calendar but something that we should remember and celebrate each day of the year. When the angels announced to the Magi of the birth of one who was to be the king of the Jews, their hearts desire was to go and worship. On this Sunday, how will you worship him?

**Today's Prayer Focus:** Thank God for the wondrous gift of His son Jesus that we celebrated yesterday. Pray that you would have a heart of worship today and every day. Deo Volente.