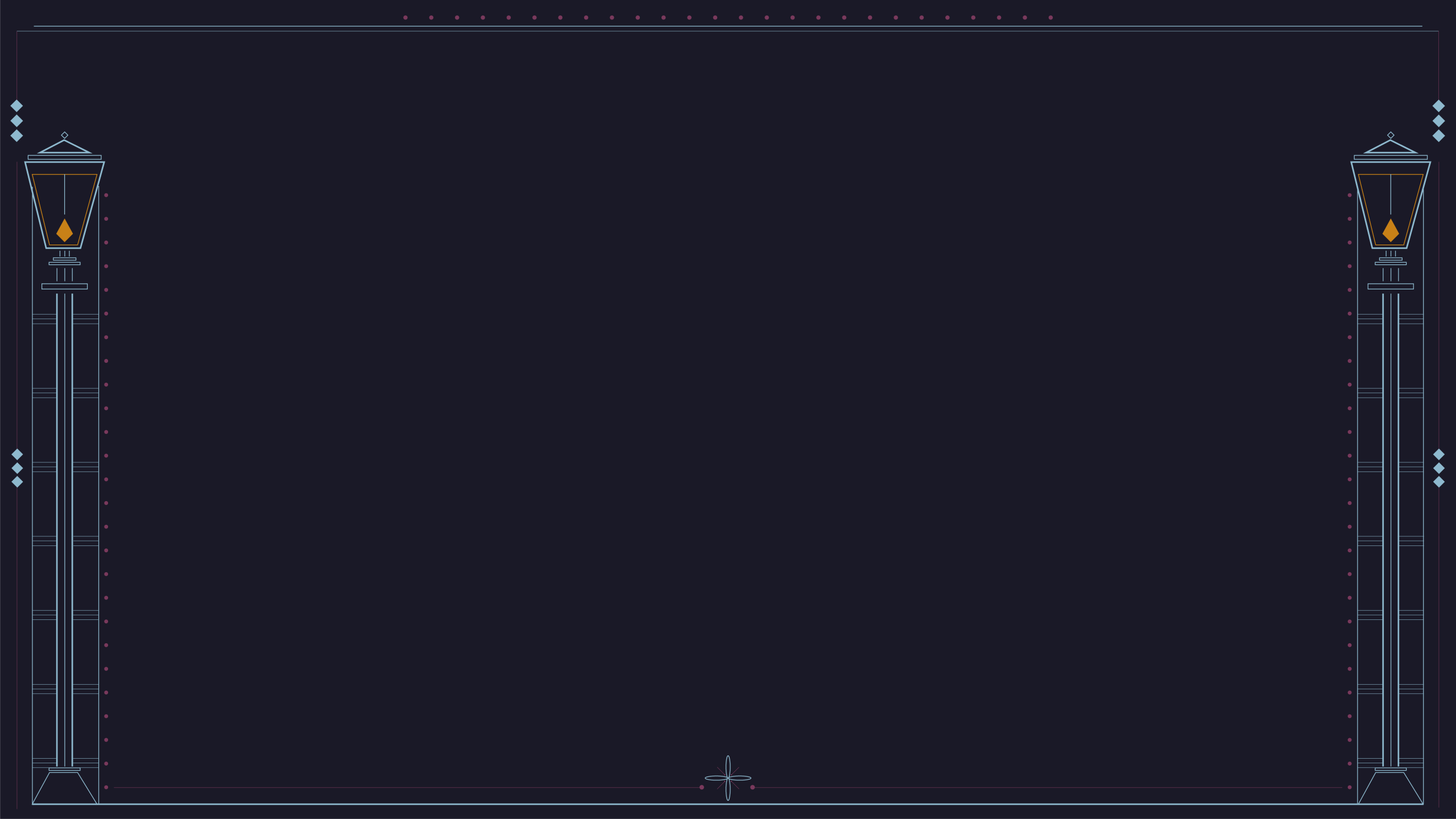




All Is Bright

Revelation 12, John 1:1-5,
Isaiah 9:1-7

HOPE
for the holiday blues



Revelation 12:1-2

And a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. She was pregnant and was crying out in birth pains and the agony of giving birth.



Revelation 12:3-4

And another sign appeared in heaven: behold, a great red dragon, with seven heads and ten horns, and on his heads seven diadems. His tail swept down a third of the stars of heaven and cast them to the earth. And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she bore her child he might devour it.



Revelation 12:5

She gave birth to a male child, one who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron, but her child was caught up to God and to his throne.



John 1:1-2

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God.



John 1:3-4

All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men.



John 1:5

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.



Genesis 1:3

And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.



Ezekiel 1:27

And upward from what had the appearance of his waist I saw as it were gleaming metal, like the appearance of fire enclosed all around. And downward from what had the appearance of his waist I saw as it were the appearance of fire, and there was brightness around him.



Ephesians 6:12

For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.



John 3:19

And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the light because their works were evil.



John 3:17

For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.



Matthew 17:2

And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light.



John 8:12

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."



Isaiah 9:2

The people who walked in darkness
have seen a great light;
those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness,
on them has light shone.



Revelation 22:5

And night will be no more. They will need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.



Next steps

1. Receive the light



John 1:12

Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.



Next steps

1. Receive the light
2. Live in the light



Next steps

1. Receive the light
2. Live in the light
3. Witness about the light



John 1:6-8

There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light.

