

# Psalms for Uncertain Times



April 26, 2020

**Scriptural Call to Worship**—Psalm 24:1-6

(Read aloud)

**Prayer of confession of sin**

Use this time to individually and corporately confess any known sin to God

**Scriptural promise of forgiveness**—Colossians 1:13-14

(Read aloud)

**Prayer of thanksgiving for forgiveness of sin**

Thank God in prayer for the forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ!

**Songs of Praise**—Lyrics are available on page

[My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less](#)

[Come Thou Fount](#)

[Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee](#)

**Public Scripture reading for edification**—2nd Chronicles 1:7-14 & Proverbs 8:1-36

(Read Aloud)

## Sermon: Sequoias and Scarecrows—Psalm 1

### Sermon Notes:

Scene 1: The Righteous (1:1-3)

Scene 2: The Wicked (1:4-5)

Scene 3: The LORD Knows (1:6)

### Discussion Questions:

1. Why do the Scriptures tell us to value wisdom over precious jewels, fine gold and the like? What is this supposed to make us think about the value of wisdom?
2. How would you define wisdom to someone in one sentence?
3. Can you have wisdom without knowing Christ? Is there a difference between secular wisdom and Godly wisdom?
4. Does Psalm 1 simply teach salvation by works? If you do good then you will live, if you are bad you will die? How is Psalm 1 not teaching this?
5. What does Proverbs 1:7 mean? Why would Solomon say that “fearing the LORD is the beginning of wisdom?”
6. How is biblical blessing or happiness according to Psalm 1 differ from worldly blessing or happiness?
7. How does Psalm 1 point to Jesus?

## MISSIONARY HIGHLIGHT

Life Choices Crisis Pregnancy Center

Sandpoint, ID



Dear Friends,

To help prevent the spread of COVID-19, we implemented the CDC guidelines for medical clinics immediately which enabled us to remain open for our clients.

Although we have reduced staff in the clinic, our other staff has been working remotely concentrating on implementing virtual coaching and parenting classes which we will begin offering next week.

Our community is in dire need of our services offering the hope, help and healing power of Jesus Christ right now and we are grateful to you for your continued support.

Over the past three weeks, while the stores were limited on some essential baby supplies, we have offered curbside pick up orders of diapers and wipes to anyone who needed them in our community. Our supporters have been keeping up with our needs via our closed [Facebook Page](#) and have been faithful to fill in the gaps as necessary.

### 2020 VIRTUAL BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Due to the Coronavirus, we have implemented a Virtual Baby Bottle Campaign should your church decide to utilize this instead of distributing the bottles through church services. \*\*



Please share this [Virtual Baby Bottle Campaign Link](#) on your Facebook, Instagram, and in your emails to friends and families in your church.

\*\* If you'd like a physical baby bottle, please contact the church office and we can get you one.

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### ZOOM PRAYER MEETINGS

Join us *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays* each week at 10am for a time of checking in on each other and praying for our church, community and world.

Click at the appropriate prayer time to join [Zoom Meeting](#)



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## My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

### Verse 1

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

### Chorus

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

### Verse 2

When darkness seems to hide His face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In ev'ry high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil

### Verse 3

His oath His covenant His blood  
Support me in the whelming flood  
When all around my soul gives way  
He then is all my hope and stay

### Verse 4

When He shall come with trumpet sound  
O may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless to stand before the throne

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## Come Thou Fount

### Verse 1

Come Thou fount of ev'ry blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it  
Mount of Thy redeeming love

### Verse 2

Here I raise mine Ebenezer  
Hither by Thy help I'm come  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure  
Safely to arrive at home  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wand'ring from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger  
Interposed His precious blood

### Verse 3

O to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be  
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter  
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee  
Prone to wander Lord I feel it  
Prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it  
Seal it for Thy courts above

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## Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee

### Verse 1

Joyful joyful we adore Thee  
God of glory Lord of love  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee  
Opening to the sun above  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness  
Drive the dark of doubt away  
Giver of immortal gladness  
Fill us with the light of day

### Verse 2

All Thy works with joy surround Thee  
Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays  
Stars and angels sing around Thee  
Center of unbroken praise  
Field and forest vale and mountain  
Flowery meadow flashing sea  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain  
Call us to rejoice in Thee

### Verse 3

Thou art giving and forgiving  
Ever blessing ever blest  
Wellspring of the joy of living  
Ocean depth of happy rest  
Thou our Father Christ our Brother  
All who live in love are Thine  
Teach us how to love each other  
Lift us to the joy divine

### Verse 4

Mortals join the mighty chorus  
Which the morning stars began  
Father love is reigning o'er us  
Brother love binds man to man  
Ever singing march we onward  
Victors in the midst of strife  
Joyful music lifts us sunward  
In the triumph song of life

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