

BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CENTER

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THE LORD'S DAY

December 11, 2022 at 8:30 & 10:15 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude David Schmidt
Piano Wendy Baldwin
Guitar Steve Budnick

Announcements and Prayer

Carol 258 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

Carol 259 "Angels, from the Realms of Glory"

Scripture – Psalm 91 (opposite page)

Pastoral Prayer

Carol 278 "Angels We Have Heard on High"

Carol 290 "As with Gladness Men of Old"

Meditation "Joy to the World" Abby Budnick-piano (2nd only)

Message WHY DID JESUS COME?

Matthew 1:21 Rev. Calvin VanderMey

Benediction Postlude

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tues Precept on Zoom-Hebrews part 3 on **Jan.10** wlabaldwin@gmail.com

Wednesday at 10am Men's Bible study – Jim O'Rourke

Wednesday Evening Prayer and Bible Study

No Thursday Precept Bible study on Ephesians at 8:15am - Margaret Was

Thursday 6:30-7:30 pm Choir Practice

Westminster Catechism

Q. 33. What is justification?

A. Justification is an act of God's free grace, wherein He pardoneth all our sins, and accepteth us as righteous in His sight, only for the righteousness of Christ imputed to us, and received by faith alone.

Rom. 3:24 Rom. 4:6-8; 2 Cor. 5:19 2 Cor. 5:21

Rom. 4:6, 11; 5:19 Gal. 2:16; Phil. 3:9

Safety of Abiding in the Presence of God

Psalm 91 He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High
Shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.

² **I will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge and my fortress;
My God, in Him I will trust."**

³ Surely He shall deliver you from the snare of the fowler
And from the perilous pestilence.

⁴ **He shall cover you with His feathers, and under His wings you shall
take refuge; His truth shall be your shield and buckler.**

⁵ You shall not be afraid of the terror by night,
Nor of the arrow that flies by day,

⁶ **Nor of the pestilence that walks in darkness,
Nor of the destruction that lays waste at noonday.**

⁷ A thousand may fall at your side, and ten thousand at your right hand;
But it shall not come near you.

⁸ **Only with your eyes shall you look, and see the reward of the wicked.**

⁹ Because you have made the LORD, *who is* my refuge,
Even the Most High, your dwelling place,

¹⁰ **No evil shall befall you, Nor shall any plague come near your dwelling;**

¹¹ For He shall give His angels charge over you,
To keep you in all your ways.

¹² **In their hands they shall bear you up,
Lest you dash your foot against a stone.**

¹³ You shall tread upon the lion and the cobra,
The young lion and the serpent you shall trample underfoot.

¹⁴ **"Because he has set his love upon Me, therefore I will deliver him;
I will set him on high, because he has known My name.**

¹⁵ He shall call upon Me, and I will answer him;

I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him and honor him.

¹⁶ **With long life I will satisfy him, and show him My salvation."**

Looking Ahead

Sunday, December 18th at 2 pm Christmas Carol Sing-A-Long

Monday, December 19th at 6:30pm – Packing bags for Lighthouse Ministries

Christmas Eve Candlelight service **4:30-5:30pm**

Christmas Morning Sunday Worship Service at 9:30am only

(Choir singing)

Christmas Collection for Ladies of Lighthouse Ministries

40 Beautiful “Ditty Bags have been lovingly made by one of our church family. We are collecting special items to be put into them to bless the ladies. We will be collecting items through December 18th. On Monday, December 19th we will have a packing party at the church at 6:30 to stuff them.

They will be delivered the next day, Tuesday, for their Christmas party!!! Some suggested items are:

Lotions

Shampoo or soaps

Bubble Bath or Bath Bombs

Individually wrapped candy or chocolates

Gift Cards in \$5 or \$10 increments only please for places like Tim Hortons or Dunkin Donuts or Rite Aid, ect...

Book Marks, Christian Encouragement Cards/Notes

Nail Kit

Chapstick

The bags are 8 ½ x 9 inches and can hold a lot!

We have a Gospel of John for each one already.

MINISTRY OF MISSION

For the glory of God, Bible Fellowship Center is committed to spreading the Good News of salvation, equipping the believers, that they might become more Christ-like, worship God and enjoy Him forever.