

This I Declare - God Our Confidence

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Scriptures: Psalm 91:14-16; Genesis 50, Philippians 3

Bottom Line: God's declaration of protection is proven in Jesus.

COVID lockdown is hard! Press on, WMBC, tell God what you need. Thank Him for what He's done.

Psalm 91:14-16 - God's Declaration

7 Promises of God

- I will rescue you
- I will answer you
- I will honour them
- I will give you salvation
- I will protect you
- I will be with you in trouble
- I will reward you with a full life

Three Expectations of Us

- Love God
- Know God
- Call on God

Guide Posts

- A relationship of love is founded on choice. God chose to love you. Will you choose to trust Him?
- God will be with you in trouble, like a mother bird protecting her chicks
- Jesus and His Kingdom gives us a life of purpose and fulfillment

Declaration

"We celebrate the Lord's Supper as a declaration of our decision to trust and follow Jesus."

LISTENING

Have someone in your group share something about their week. They could answer one of the following questions:

- What was a big challenge or problem you faced this week? How did you handle it?
- Where did you experience God this week? Or where do you wish you had experienced God this week?
- Based on your life experience this week, what do you think God is trying to teach you right now? What is He trying to build in you?

After the person shares, the group can respond. Make sure you let them know you heard them: tell them what you heard, offer wise advice where it's asked for, share from your own experience as well.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Review Sunday's message. What stood out to you? What challenged you? Are there any lingering questions?
2. How have God's promises been your armour and protection?
3. How has "hindsight" brought perspective to a hard time in your life?
4. "He whose heart beats quickest lives the longest: lives in one hour more than in years do some." How do you view this statement? What perspective does it bring?