

SERMON NOTES

I. Introduction

A. Christian Living

B. Motives Matter

II. Main Argument

A. Weak in the Faith

1. Both Extremes
2. Emphasis on the Weak
3. Who are *the Weak*?
4. What is *the Faith*?

B. Effects of Weakness

1. Weakness Expected
2. Six Causes of Weakness
 - a. Natural Ability
 - b. Temperament
 - c. Neglect of Means of Grace
 - d. Short Time as a Christian
 - e. Poor Teaching
 - f. Experiences and Influences

3. Application: *Do not remain weak.*

C. Treatment of the Weak

1. Welcome
2. What Sort of Weakness?

D. Purpose of the Welcome

1. Not for Quarreling
2. For the Sake of Love

III. Conclusion:

Psalm 133

1. Be hold how good a thing it is, And how be - com - ing well To -
2. Like pre - cious oint - ment on the head, That down the beard did flow, Ev'n
3. As Her - mon's dew, the dew that doth On Zi - on's hill de - scend; For

ge - ther such as breth - ren are In un - i - ty to dwell.
Aar - on's beard and to the skirts Did of his gar - ments go.
there the bless - ing God com - mands, Life that shall nev - er end.

Psalm 91A

Unison



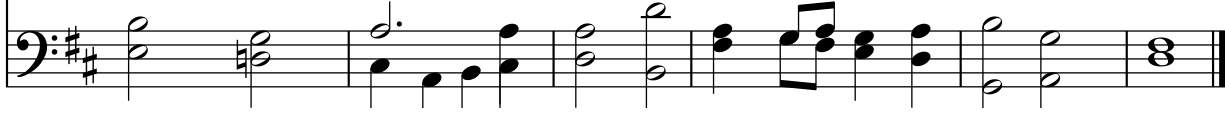
1. ¹The one who dwells in God as his a - bode, with - in the
 2. ³He sure - ly saves you from the fowl - er's snare and res - cues
 3. ⁵You will not fear the ter - ror of the night, nor ar - rows
 4. ⁷Tho' thou - sands fall, ten thou - sand at your right, no harm will
 5. ⁹Be - cause you make the LORD your dwell - ing place— the Most High



shad - ow of th'Al - might - y rests. ²“He is my ref - uge,”
 you from dead - ly pes - ti - lence. ⁴Un - der his wings a
 • fly - ing in the light of day, ⁶nor the dis - ease which
 come to you or near you stand. ⁸Your eyes will then look
 God, who is my ref - uge sure—¹⁰no e - vil then will



I say of the LORD, “My for - tress sure, my God; in him I trust.”
 ref - uge you will find; your strong de - fense will be his faith - ful - ness.
 • stalks you in the dark, nor plague of noon that will de - struc - tion lay.
 on, and you will see the wick - ed pun - ished as their ways de - mand.
 ev - er on you fall, nor dire ca - lam - i - ty come near your door.



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THE LORD'S DAY EVENING
 FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 AUGUST 27, 2023 | 6:00 p.m.

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HYMN SING

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 168“I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer”

*THE INVOCATION

THE OLD TESTAMENT READINGIsaiah 55

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & ADORATION

*THE PSALM OF THE MONTH NO. 91“The One Who Dwells” (Ps. 91:1-10)

THE SCRIPTURE READING.....Romans 14:1

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*THE PSALM OF RESPONSE NO. 133.....“All Praise to God” (page 3)

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE RESPONSEPsalm 72:18-19

Now Blessed be the Lord Our God, the God of Israel.
 For He alone does wondrous works in glory that excel.
 And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity.
 The whole Earth let His glory fill; amen, so let it be.

~ ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

- The Lord's Supper will be observed as part of morning worship next week. There will be no evening worship next week.
- The Women in the Church and Session will have their monthly meetings Wednesday, Aug. 30 at 6:30 p.m. There will be no prayer meeting or young children's activities that Wednesday.