

PASTORS BLOG APRIL 6, 2020

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

GOD'S STEADFAST LOVE Psalm 36:5-10

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

*5 O Yahweh, your loyal love extends into the heavens, your faithfulness unto the clouds. 6 Your righteousness is [like the mighty mountains], your judgments like the great deep. You save man and beast, O Yahweh. 7 How precious is your loyal love, O God, and the children of humankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings. 8 They are refreshed with the [fullness] of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights. 9 For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light. 10 Prolong your loyal love to those who know you, and your righteousness to the upright of heart.*

As we enter another week of Covid-19 we are also in Monday of Holy Week, a time to focus on the greatness and goodness of God and not our fears and anxieties and the unknowns of the future.

Psalm 35:5-10 speaks of God and His great love.

1. His love is steadfast... you can always count on God loving you and acting towards you in love.
2. His love has no limits.
3. He cannot lie or break His promises.
4. His love is just as well as compassionate.
5. His love is a place or refuge and safety and peace for all who trust in Him.
6. His love refreshes us when we are tired and short on strength.
7. His love life giving. His love is a light to guide our path.

In these times where life is fragile and the future seems clouded with doubt. God and His love is our rock and strength, our light and hope and the giver of life in the midst of death. Remember Him!