**September 18, 2022**

**Psalm 3 -  *Safe and Secure in the Savior***

**Discussion Questions**

1. There are many ways we foster security for ourselves, yet Jesus Christ alone establishes our security. What refuges are you trusting in outside the Lord of which you need to repent?
2. Discuss the three ways to exhibit exemplary faith in God according to Psalm 3:

* Verses 1-2:
* Verses 3-6:
* Verses 7-8:

Which of these areas requires your greatest growth?

1. David refers to God as “*a shield about me*.” What other people in the Pentateuch can claim God as their shield? Read through Psalms 28 and 115 to see how “*shield*” is used. What character trait is closely connected to His shield about us?
2. Despite being in a valley of deep darkness and betrayal, David is able to sleep and not be afraid of his “many” (4x) adversaries. He fears no evil because he has confidence the Shepherd knows where He is going. In what areas of my life do I need to develop deeper trust in the salvation/deliverance/leading of my Heavenly Father?
3. Pastor Cho cautioned us against seeing only our current circumstances, as well as seeking human comfort or solutions. When God is the only place to turn, we are in the best possible hands. Share some verses you mutter to yourself in prayer or encouragement for strength in difficult seasons.
4. Martin Luther once said, “The life of Christianity consists in possessive pronouns.” What did he mean by this and how does it affect my walk with the Lord?
5. Bonus: review 2 Samuel 15-18. What is one striking difference between David and his son where God is concerned?