

MESSAGE NOTES

Date: August 1st, 2021

Speaker: Pastor Brandon Turk

Scripture: Psalm 25

Title: Dark Days

Key Scriptures:

Psalm 25:1-22

Psalm 25:1-7

Psalm 121:1-3

Psalm 25:8-14

Psalm 27:1-3

Psalm 119:105-112

Psalm 18:28

Psalm 25:15-22

Romans 8:18-25

1. The Help & Forgiveness We Need Comes From God

- 2. God Can Be Trusted
- 3. Trusting God Brings Victory

Discussion Guide (for use individually, as a family or in your small group)

Begin by reading Psalm 25. Discuss any insights or observations you have from this week's message or from the scripture passages shared. Did anything stand out to you?

- Read Psalm 121:1-3. What are the reasons given that the Psalmist believes seeking the Lord will be of benefit? Why do we/people look for help in all the wrong places? How are those places inferior to God?
- Read Psalm 25:8-14 and Psalm 27:1-3. Why can God be trusted? In what ways are you confident in God? Where do you lack confidence?
- Read Romans 8:18-25. Why do we experience "groans" in this world and in this life? What is the victory we will experience? How is that victory made possible? How can you more eagerly "wait" on the Lord with full hope?

Discuss any further insights together and close in prayer.