# January 28, 2024 Sermon Notes - Pastor Thad Davis

"The Loving Discipline of our Good Father" Hebrews 12:3-11

<ol> <li>Consider Our Savior: v3-4</li> </ol>	-4
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2. Remember Our Father: v5-9

3. Rely on the Spirit: v10-11



January 28, 2024

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Steven Edging

Thad Davis

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Ephesians 2:1-13 & Psalm 36:5-7

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** 

**Songs of Worship** And Can It Be

We Will Feast In The House Of Zion

#### PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

### GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

\*Please fill out the friendship folder found at the end of the row.

\*\*PreK4 through 1st graders dismissed to children's church.

If you are a first time visitor, please escort your children to the side door to ensure they are signed in appropriately.

**SONG OF PREPARATION** I Set My Hope On Jesus

**SERMON** "The Loving Discipline of our Good Father"

Hebrews 12:3-11

**SONGS OF RESPONSE** In Christ Alone

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

#### BENEDICTION

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** are ready! Please stop by the table in the lobby after service to get your statement. Remaining statements will be mailed this week.

**PRIMETIMERS:** JOIN US on Tuesday, February 6, 12:00 pm at Fiesta Mexicana (4021 Hixson Pike, between Ashland Terrace and the New Weigle's). Please RSVP to Marie Marlin at 423-321-2845 or Bob Marlin at 423-322-1549 by Sunday, February 4 (to be ensured that seating can be arranged).

HPC 101: Save the dates on February 23-25. These classes are designed to introduce you to Hixson Presbyterian Church. You will learn about our central beliefs, history and vision, philosophy of ministry and discipleship group ministry. The weekend gives you a broad range of information about our church & ministry so that you can make an informed decision as you consider becoming a part of the HPC family and how to get involved. If you are interested, you can sign-up several ways; calling or emailing the church office (423-875-0616 or office@hixonpres.org), visit the church website at <a href="mailto:hixsonpres.org/about/membership/">hixsonpres.org/about/membership/</a> or scan the QR code.

Women's Bible Study starting in February: Please join us to study God of Freedom: Exodus 19-40 by Jen Wilkin. Over 10 sessions, journey through the story of how God shepherds His newly-liberated children into an understanding of what their freedom means: lives consecrated for service to God and to one another. Beginning February 7th and 9th, Three options: Wednesday 9:30-11:30 am (no childcare), Wednesday 6-7:30 pm (during midweek) and Friday 9:30-11:30 am (RSVP for childcare to Alisag@hixsonpres.org). Books are available on the desk in the lobby for \$20. Please contact Laura Davis (women@hixsonpres.org) or visit hixsonpres.org/exodus to learn more and sign up.

### **ADULT SPRING SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**HABITS OF THE HOUSEHOLD** (IN M2): [14 Jan.—24 Mar.] Do you wake up wondering what next, or begin the bedtime routine worried what chaos will erupt tonight? As we begin a new season of life, we realize that being more purposeful with our habits helps to direct our heads, hearts, and hands. This study based on the book, Habits of the Household, will look at 10 habits from waking to bedtime for how to practice the story of God in everyday rhythms of family life. Go from getting through the day to parenting with purpose and finding meaning in discipleship at home. www.habitsofthehousehold.com/

**NEW TESTAMENT READING PLAN** (IN M1): [14 Jan.—19 May] How many times have you started a Bible reading plan? How many times have you finished a Bible reading plan? Consider joining a community of people at HPC that commit to reading the Bible in its entirety in 2024? The class will begin with the Gospels, tracking through the New Testament to help us mine the riches of God's Word as part of our daily devotion to enjoy the grace of God revealed in Scripture.

**PRINTED BIBLE READING PLANS** can be found in the lobby. We are recommending three plans.

- Five day Bible plan (https://www.fivedaybiblereading.com/)
- M'Cheyne Bible Reading (www.edginet.org/mcheyne/printables.html)
- Read Scripture app by Bible Project

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This weekend class is for those who want to know more about who we are, what we believe, and why we do what we do. It is also a great opportunity to get to know our pastors, for them to get to know you, and to connect with other new people. Though a prerequisite for membership, there is no pressure or obligation to join. This class can help you decide whether HPC is a good fit for you.

Friday, February 23, 6:00-8:00—Dinner & Introductions Saturday February 24, 9:00-12:00—HPC Doctrinal Beliefs Sunday February 25, 9:30-10:30—HPC Philosophy of Ministry Sunday February 25, 4:00-6:00—Meaning of Membership

\*\*Contact HPC office with any questions: (423) 875-0616\*\*

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