

## Wednesday Devotional

07/12/23

Special reading from Nazarene Hymnal:

### Assurance

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Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith.

**Be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.**

I know whom I have believed,  
and am convinced that he is able

**To guard what I have entrusted to him for that day.**

Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence,  
so that we may receive mercy

**And find grace to help us in our time of need.**

This is the confidence we have in approaching God:

**If we ask anything according to his will, he hears us.**

And if we know that he hears us— whatever we ask—  
we know that we have what we asked of him.

**So we know and rely on the love God has for us.**

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High

**Will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.**

I will say of the Lord,

**“He is my refuge and my fortress,  
my God, in whom I trust.”**

Surely he will save you from the fowler’s snare

**And from the deadly pestilence.**

He will cover you with his feathers,  
and under his wings you will find refuge.

*(Unison)* **For the Lord God is a sun and shield;**

**The Lord bestows favor and honor;**

**no good thing does he withhold**

**from those whose walk is blameless.**

*Hebrews 10:22a; 2 Timothy 2:1b, 1:12b; Hebrews 4:16;  
1 John 5:14-15, 4:16; Psalms 91:1-4a; 84:11*