

## Sermon Discussion Questions for April 14, 2019

### Scripture Passage: Psalm 98

1. What key point stood out to you in the message?
  2. We often hear the phrase, "Don't judge me." For what types of things are people judged? Usually, in this context, the term "judge" relates to how someone dresses, talks, behaves, etc. In a court of law, what are some of the issues being judged? Why must criminal behavior be judged? (Criminal behavior must be addressed for justice to be upheld).
  3. In verse 9, the Psalmist declares that the Lord will come to judge the earth. For what will the earth be judged? What standard of judgement will be used by the Lord?
  4. Everyone will be judged by God. Can anyone measure up to God's standard of righteousness by one's own merits? What is the provision for our assurance to be found righteous by the Lord during his judgement?
  5. What was the means by which our salvation has been assured? God has done His part. What is our responsibility? (responding to the gospel by placing our faith and trust in Christ and Him alone).
  6. As believers in and followers of Christ, what should be our response to our salvation? Psalm 98 gives us some great clues to dynamic worship and praise to our great God. How does creation respond to the promise of salvation and the righteous judgement of God? See Romans 8:18-25.
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- Remember to pray for each other's unique challenges and commit to pray throughout the week for one another.
  - Love others as Christ loves you.
  - Fill your mind and heart with the gospel of Christ Jesus.
  - Live out the gospel of Christ which calls for radical Love for God and Love for others.