

Week 9: Psalm 94

READ the passage together.

PONDER . Slipping is that sudden feeling that your footing is unstable. What are some situations in life that can make us feel as though we are mentally, emotionally, or spiritually “slipping”? What did the Psalmist do when he sensed he was slipping. Psalm 94:18-19.

1. What is the difference between an initial thought that is based primarily on our circumstances and a subsequent thought that is based on the truth of who God is? Why can it be dangerous if we allow our first thought or emotional reaction become our controlling thought?
2. Think about a recent difficult situation you faced. What was your initial thought? What truth about God could become a stronger subsequent thought that could lead to the cheering of your soul?
3. How is God's consolation different from simply distracting ourselves, denying our problems, or trying to make ourselves feel better with breathing techniques?

PRAY . Which consoling thought based on truth do you resonate most with in this season of life: #1: Every wrong will be righted by the God of vengeance. #2: Every Affliction we face is Momentary .#3: Every need we have is heard, seen and cared for by God. Pick one truth and spend time thanking God for the comfort it promises.

ACT . Fill out this simple chart that will provide you with a game plan for when you feel like your initial thoughts are causing you to slip.

For example: “This isn't fair.” “I don't know how much longer I can do this.” “Nobody understands.” “I'm going to fail or fall again.” “This situation will never change.” “I'm alone.” “I am overcome with anxiety.”

Initial thought: _____

Subsequent thought based on truth: _____

How that truth can shape my heart: _____

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Offering: \$8,535

Average: \$13,106 / Budget: \$14,592
Drop boxes at the back of the sanctuary and in the gym

Youth: Jr. High and High School
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Children's Ministry



Melany Moyer
(360-303-1044)
Nursery, Children's Church, Sunday
School and AWANA
****Snacks Provided****

Events Coming up in Sept/Oct Details in Spirit of Faith email:

Aug 30 Women's Garden Party 1-3pm
Sept 3 Preschool Orientation 6pm
Sept 7 Labor Day
Sept 8 1st Day of Preschool
Sept 9 Awana Starts 6:30pm
Sept 9 MS Youth Group Starts 6:30pm
Sept 12 Memorial Service for Joan
VanWyckhouse @ 2pm
Sept 13 Fall Kick Off, BBQ, Pickleball
Tournament & Bouncy Houses!
Sept 13 HS Youth Group Starts 6pm
Sept 16 Adult Bible Studies Start AM & PM
Sept 17 Diaconia Dinner @ NCCTK 6pm
Sept 20 Equipping Hour & Sunday School Start
Sept 20 Communion
Sept 22 Hymn Sing 10:30am
Sept 27 Teaching Time with Lane 3rd - 5th gr.
Sept 27 Hospitality Lunch—more info to come
Oct 3 Men's Breakfast 7:30am
Oct 4 Corporate Prayer 9am
Oct 4 Operation Christmas Child KickOff

Missions of the Month

Ethnos 360



Joanna
Jansma

FCC end of summer women's

Garden Party

A time for fun and fellowship.

August 30, 2026

1:00 - 3:00 pm

9845 Jackman Rd
Lynden, 98264

Come for iced tea and a treat!
Stay for fellowship!
Hope to see you there!



Awana starts Sept 9 @ 6:30pm

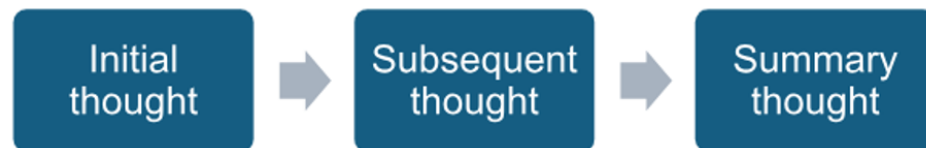


Sunday, September 13
Outdoor Service/BBQ/
Pickleball & Bouncy Houses!



Psalm 94 Cares Might Compound but Consolations Control

*"When I thought, "My foot slips," your steadfast love, O Lord, held me up.
When the cares of my heart are many, your consolations cheer my soul."-
Psalm 94:18-19*



When our cares compound, let His consolations control.

Consolation # 1 - Every wrong will be righted by the God of vengeance.

- Psalm 94:1-2; Proverbs 15:3

Consolation #2 - Every affliction we face is momentary.

- Psalm 94:3; 2 Cor. 4:17-18; 1 Pet. 5:10

Consolation # 3 - Every need we have is heard, seen and cared for by God.

- Psalm 94:9; Genesis 16:13; Rev. 7:17