

“The Joy of Forgiveness”

Psalm 32:1–11

28 April 2024

RECOLLECTION

1. What stood out to you as you listened to the sermon on Sunday morning? Was there anything said on which you require further clarity?

OBSERVATION

2. What is the context for Psalm 32? Does the context itself teach us anything about the nature of forgiveness?

3. What brings joy in your life? How does the Bible speak of blessedness?

4. Why does unconfessed sin result in loss of joy in salvation?

APPLICATION

5. The Father has forgiven believers of all their sin—past, present and future—through faith in Christ. But 1 John 1:9 is addressed to Christians instructing us to confess our sins. How do we understand this? Should Christians still feel guilt over sin?

6. What are some common ways Christians try to cover their sin? Why do we do this?

7. Was David being punished by God when he felt his bones wasting away?

8. Why is presuming on future grace always foolish?

9. How should the believer interpret “hard providences” in his or her life?

10. How is joy in salvation manifested in a Christian’s life?

SUPPLICATION

11. Write down some prayer requests mentioned in your Group and pray for them throughout this week.

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