

SUNDAY MORNING

12/20/20

Dr. Joel R. Beeke

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 347

Reading of the Law of God

Scripture Reading:

Romans 5:1–11

Prayer

Psalter 128

Sermon Text: Isaiah 9:6

Jesus, Our Mighty God

1. *Where is the proof He is Almighty God?*
2. *Why did He come and end up on the cross?*
3. *How does His divine power help me today?*

Psalter 426:1, 3, 5 (standing)

Closing Prayer

Psalter 426:7, 9, 10

Doxology of Praise (pg. 415)

Benediction

1. *Provide proof that Jesus was the Mighty God:*

a. as a Baby

b. as a 12-year-old

c. in His active ministry through His words and actions

d. in His sufferings and death

e. in His resurrection

f. in His coming again

2. *How does Romans 5:6 affirm the gospel's paradox that it is only by dying for us, that Jesus can help us and deliver us from the guilt of sin?*
3. *We often say, "What is the world coming to?" Why should we be more often saying, "Look what has come into the world!"?*
4. *What kept Jesus on the cross: His nails or His love?*
5. *If Jesus is the Mighty God, why is there still so much sin and evil in the world?*
6. *Provide two ways that Jesus's divine power helps us today.*
 - a.*
 - b.*
7. *Provide six ways in which we should respond to Jesus as the sovereign, mighty God.*
 - a.*
 - b.*
 - c.*
 - d.*
 - e.*
 - f.*

SUNDAY EVENING

Dr. Maarten Kuivenhoven

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 132

Scripture Reading:

Isaiah 7:1–16: Matthew 1:18–25

Reading of the Apostles' Creed

Prayer

Psalter 3

Sermon Text: Isaiah 7:14

Christ's Incarnation Overcomes Distance

1. *Through a divine promise*
2. *Through a gracious promise*
3. *Through an impossible promise*
4. *Through a fulfilled promise*
5. *Through an anticipated promise*

Psalter 127:1, 3, 4, 7 (standing)

Closing Prayer

Psalter 263

Doxology (Psalter 199:4, 5)

Benediction

1. *Why did Ahaz refuse to ask for a sign?*

2. *What was at stake in Ahaz's refusal to ask for a sign?*

3. *How does this promise reveal God's unilateral grace?*

4. *Why does it seem this promise is impossible?*

5. *In Whom is this promise fulfilled?*

6. *How can we anticipate the full experience of this promise?*

7. *How does this promise overcome distance between humanity and God?*