

SUNDAY MORNING

2/11/24

Pastor John Byl

Pre-service Psalter 76

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 87

Reading of the Law of God

Scripture Reading: Philippians 1

Prayer

Psalter 161:1–5

Sermon Text: Philippians 1:21

Lord's Day 1

Lasting Comfort

1. *Its scope*

2. *Its source*

3. *Its significance*

Psalter 247 (standing)

Closing Prayer

Psalter 362

Doxology (Psalter 196)

Benediction

1. *What is a worldview? What are four questions that every worldview seeks to provide answers to?*
2. *How is our desire for comfort connected to our desire for purpose and meaning in life?*
3. *What is the scope of the comfort that belongs to the Christian? What pair of words did Paul use several times in the opening chapter of Philippians 1? Why is this broad scope so important?*
4. *What is the source of lasting comfort?*
5. *What is the two-fold significance of this lasting comfort?*

Reflection: *Does the answer for question 1 of the catechism resonate with your heart, mind, and life? Is this your only comfort in life and death?*

SUNDAY EVENING

Pastor Darryl Dedert

Pre-service Psalter 132

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 381

Scripture Reading: Genesis 25:12–34

Reading of the Belgic Confession,
Article 9

Prayer

Psalter 72

Sermon Text: Genesis 25:19–34

God's Is Always Faithful

1. In answering prayer

2. In the middle of conflict

3. In spite of our sin

Psalter 103 (standing)

Closing Prayer

Psalter 149

Doxology (Psalter 197)

Benediction

1. *How did Isaac and Rebecca respond in waiting for God to fulfill His promise? What challenge would they face in doing so?*

2. *How is God's promise to Isaac and Rebecca more than just a promise to receive a child?*

3. *What larger conflict does the conflict between Jacob and Esau point to?*

4. *Through what means does the Lord usually bring about His purposes? How is this a comfort to us?*

5. *The Lord is faithful to His promises in spite of our sin. Some would use this as an excuse to keep on sinning. Why is this thinking foolish? What would be the effects of living this way?*