SERMON TITLE:	What should we do when gripped by fear?
Subtitle:	Living Out the Psalms
TEXT:	Psalm 27:1-14 (ESV)
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## • Call to mind truths about God (vv. 1-6)

- <sup>1</sup>The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
- <sup>2</sup> When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall.
- <sup>3</sup> Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.
- <sup>4</sup> One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple.
- <sup>5</sup> For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high upon a rock.
- <sup>6</sup> And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody to the LORD.

## • Cry out to God with boldness (vv. 7-13)

- <sup>7</sup>Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me!
- <sup>8</sup> You have said, "Seek my face." My heart says to you,
- "Your face, LORD, do I seek."
- <sup>9</sup> Hide not your face from me. Turn not your servant away in anger, O you who have been my help. Cast me not off; forsake me not, O God of my salvation!
- <sup>10</sup> For my father and my mother have forsaken me, but the LORD will take me in.
- <sup>11</sup> Teach me your way, O LORD, and lead me on a level path because of my enemies.
- 12 Give me not up to the will of my adversaries;

for false witnesses have risen against me, and they breathe out violence.

<sup>13</sup> I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living!



## • Calm down and Wait on God (v. 14)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD!