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Sunday, June 2, 2019

“When Life Isn’t Tied Up With a Bow”

(Psalm 88:1-18)

Today we begin a new series – *Summer in the Psalms*. The Psalms are songs of the faith. They reflect the full reach of our life experience from the highest of highs to the lowest of lows. In today’s message, Pastor Chad will share his story of God’s provision in life’s challenges.

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“You have put more joy in my heart than they have when their grain and new wine abound. I will both lie down and sleep in peace, for you alone, Lord, make me live in safety” (Psalm 4:7-8, CSB).

- 1. Cry out to God.**
- 2. Draw near to Jesus.**
- 3. Reach out for help.**