

Hope Presbyterian Church  
Sermon-Based Bible Study Group



**June 11, 2023 - "Righteousness" - #1 in the series Jesus in the Psalms**

**Texts Referenced:** Psalm 1:1-6, Hebrews. 4:15, Matthew 4:3-4, John 15:5

1. What stood out to you about the message?
  
2. Think about someone you looked up to when you were growing up.
  - What were/are the characteristics you admire in this person?
  - How did this person positively influence your life?
  
4. Read Psalm 1:1-3.
  - How do these verses help us understand the qualities of righteousness - integrity, delighting in God's Word, and bearing fruit/producing goodness in the world?
  - How do they help us connect to what we know about Jesus' life described in the New Testament?
  
5. What strikes you as essential about the qualities of righteousness in these verses?
  - Hebrews 4:15 - Integrity
  - Matthew 4:3-4 - Delighting in God's Word
  - John 15:5 - Bearing fruit
  
6. Read Psalm 1:4-6.
  - What stands out to you about the characteristics of unrighteous influencers?
  - Why might the Psalmist have thought it important to remind the people what happens to the unrighteous?
  
7. How can we pray for you?