

SUNDAY MORNING

11/30/14

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Votum and Salutation

Psalter 243:1-4

Reading of the Law of God

Psalter 110:1, 2

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 8:9 – 9:7

Prayer

Psalter 398:1-5

Sermon Text: Isaiah 9:1-7

From Gloomy Darkness to Glorious Light

1. The gloomy darkness

2. The glorious light

Psalter 398:6-8 (standing)

Sermon Conclusion

Closing Prayer

Psalter 221

Doxology (Psalter 292:1, 5)

Benediction

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1. *Why is it important that the prophet speaks in the past tense about the future? (intro)*
2. *What was the darkness that Israel was dwelling in at the time of this prophecy? (point 1)*
3. *How is the world in darkness today? (point 1)*
4. *What is necessary to penetrate the darkness of sin and evil? (point 2)*
5. *What does “the day of Midian” mean and how does that show that God’s deliverance comes through unexpected intervention? (point 2)*
6. *What does verse 5 mean? (point 2)*
7. *What is the meaning of each of the Child’s Names and how do they help us understand Christ’s person and work?*
 - a) Wonderful*
 - b) Counselor*
 - c) The Mighty God*
 - d) The Everlasting Father*
 - e) The Prince of Peace*