

Application Questions

...*be doers of the word, and not bearers only*... (James 1:22, ESV)

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Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; 1 Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- How does God want my beliefs and/or actions to change?
- How can I accomplish this change?
- What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

The comforting, strengthening, providential presence of God is with us in our days of deepest doubt and uncertainty. This assurance should serve us well as we trust Him for His grace in those days none of us would choose.

- How has the Lord made His strengthening presence known to you during past times of uncertainty?
- How does His faithfulness in the past give you confidence to trust Him in the present and with the future?
- How can you share this trust in our sovereign God with others—including unbelievers—so that they may place their faith in Him also?

Here are some resources that might help you as you grow in your knowledge of and obedience to Christ.

Delighting In the Trinity (Michael Reeves)

Knowing God (J.I. Packer)

All Things for Good (Thomas Watson)

The Mystery of Providence (John Flavel)



GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH

PSALM 46

Sermon Notes

Martin Luther: “We sing this psalm to the praise of God, because God is with us, and powerfully and miraculously preserves and defends His church and His Word, against all fantastical spirits, against the gates of hell, against the implacable hatred of the devil, and against all the assaults of the world, the flesh and sin.”
