

UP #2

“Hands up: The Lord bless you”

Psalm 128 (with appearances by Psalm 125, 126, 129)

Intro – Famous blessings (Numbers 6:24-26)

- **BLESSED IS EVERYONE WHO FEARS...(vs. 1, 4)**
 - ...THE LORD [surrounds his people – Psalm 125]
 - ...THE LORD [has done great things – Psalm 126]
 - ...THE LORD [is righteous – Psalm 129]
- **BLESSED WITH PROSPERITY (you shall, may you – vs. 2-5, I Kings 4:25, Micah 4:4)**
- **BLESSED WITH FAMILY (thus shall the man be blessed – vs. 3-4)**
- **BLESSED WITH LONGEVITY (may you see your children’s children – v. 6)**

Close – We are glad (Psalm 126:3)

Today I learned...

As a result, I will...

Prayer for Eastview Christian Church

- Pray that we will continue to faithfully apply what we are hearing and learning from our long journey through the Psalms.
- Pray that as we rapidly approach summer, and possible vacation time, we will be faithful and wise stewards with all our resources.
- Pray for students to finish strong in school and for them to be launched into a summer of fun and faithfulness.
- Pray for families of all sizes and ages to continue to learn how to worship with their entire lives, regardless of where they are. We make our way through Psalms, help families to worship together in everything that they do.

Baptism Testimony

Zack Floyd (11:30)

In the past I was never able to compromise with Jesus, the church, the way of life I have now been called to live. Recently I have manifested a true desire to let Jesus be my guide. My mom and dad and many more people, have been great spiritual role models to me. My family and I are raising money to take a mission trip to Honduras for the sports camp and Men’s conference, and I guess that this sort of huge decision naturally broke down the barrier that I had put up against the church so long ago. I am proud to finally accept the Lord as my mentor, and feel stronger and more enlightened through Him on this journey called life.

For further study on today’s Scripture passage, please refer online to the Sermon Based Small Group Study:

<http://www.eastviewchurch.net/ministries/small-groups/leadership-resources/sermon-based-small-group-studies/>.

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