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WOW – Word on Wednesday

I Will Trust in the Lord

Psalm 9:10

Introduction: A mother watched her little boy ride his bicycle outdoors and one day while she was watching, he disappeared! She couldn't find him anywhere. Frantically, she searched around and found him at a high school football. His bike was parked and he was sitting in the stand absorbed in the action. His mother was greatly distressed and said to him, "Didn't you hear me?!". He replied, "I heard you, but not loud enough".

What he really meant was – I heard you but I didn't want to obey you.

Let's learn how to trust God!

1. Don't Depend on You

- We live in a world where trust must be earned and seems to be in short supply. Proverbs 3:5
- Disappointments have taught us to depend upon ourselves.
- But God's grace has taught us to unlearn that lesson. Romans 11:33
- Trusting God helps us to lay aside our own plans and expectations. Hebrews 12:1-2

2. Run From Evil

- So much in this world can clutter us Mark 4:19
- Separate from bad influences that drag us 2 Timothy 2:22
- Flee from the things that trap us

3. Check yourself by God's Word

- Let's be honest, we don't like self-evaluation Romans 7:15
- We cannot trust ourselves, without God's Spirit
- We will go to great lengths to excuse our behavior Romans 7:17
- Our sins, our actions, our pride Jeremiah 17:9

4. Put God First in Your Life

- It's so easy to put self-first Galatians 2:20
- When something good happens, we want the congratulations Philippians 2:3
- When something bad happens, we want to blame someone else Romans 2:1
- When God is first, He's responsible for the outcome Matthew 6:33