Sunday AM, January 5, 2025 (Communion) Let Us Draw Near and Hold Fast – Hebrews 10:19-25

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¹⁹Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, ²¹and since we have a great priest over the house of God, ²²let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. ²⁴And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, ²⁵not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

I. Let Us Draw Near

- A. We took a month-long break from the book of Hebrews for our Christmas series, so I want to briefly review where we were last time.
- B. Since Christ has thoroughly cleansed us and forgiven us of our sins by His one sacrifice, we can now come with complete confidence and assurance into the presence of God.

Hebrews 4:16

¹⁶Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

II. Let Us Hold Fast

- A. Let us hold fast to our hope in Christ without ever wavering!
- B. As we face a new year, with all its uncertainties, let us draw near to Jesus and hold fast to Him.