

The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart

Psalm 18

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Don't breathe here

The pre - cepts of the Lord give joy, joy to the heart.

Psalm Tone

Dm Bb/G C Fmaj7 Bbmaj7 Gm Am Dm

1. The law of the Lord is **per**-fect,
it revives the **soul**.
The rule of the Lord is to be **trus**-ted,
it gives wisdom **to** the simple.

2. The fear of the Lord is **ho**-ly,
abiding for **ev**-er.
The decrees of the Lord are **truth**
and all **of** them just.

3. So in them your servant finds in-**struc**-tion
great reward is in their **keep**-ing.
But who can detect all his **err**-ors?
From hidden **faults** ac-quit me.

4. From presumption restrain your **ser**-vant
and let it not **rule** me.
Then shall I be **blame**-less,
clean **from** grave sin.