

## **HEBREWS**

### ***Our Superior Savior***

*Let us Endure by Faith ~ The Communities Present Challenge*

*Let us Draw Near in Faith*

***Hebrews 10:22***

### **PASTOR'S PRAYER**

*Almighty God, You alone are holy, pure and just. You are glorious in all your attributes and actions. How amazing and good it is to dwell in the shelter of the Most High and to abide in the shadow of the Almighty for you alone are our refuge and shelter, in whom we are able to draw near with a true heart and with full assurance this morning. Not because of what we have done. For we bring only what is unholy, impure and wicked. We come acknowledging we are sinners in action, attitude and nature. Our hearts are so given to glory in ourselves or the creation. Our hearts desire and enjoy and treasure the fading and empty promises of this age instead of basking in the great joy and glory of Jesus Christ that we may draw near to our God, Most High. O Lord, so water our hearts with your Spirit this morning that faith and repentance may spring up in the places of doubt and dread. Grant us true, sincere, devoted hearts which long for you, treasure you, call out to you through prayer and regular communion. Bring us near, O Lord, that we may know and rest in your presence this morning. Amen & Amen.*

### ***Central Textual Truth***

*The Hebrews pastor wanted his congregation to draw near to God with a true heart & full assurance of faith.*

### ***Central Sermon Aim***

*I want SGBC to draw near to God with a true heart & a full assurance of faith.*

### **OUTLINE**

*Approaching (Drawing Near) our God.*

*1. The Manner of our Approach*

*A. A True Heart*

*B. A Sure Faith*

*2. The Need for our Approach*

*A. A Clean Conscience*

*B. A Washed Body*