Sermon Guide for February 15, 2026

**Sermon Title:** "Prayer through the Psalms"
**Primary Text:** Psalm 96

Pastor Zach modeled how to use the scriptures as a way to guide our prayers. Particularly when looking at the Psalms, praying alongside the psalmist allows to shape our own prayers to match *God's* heart. Psalm 96 is a prayer of worship, focusing on God's Glory and His justice.

Beyond his primary text, here were a few key references:

**Suggested Reading:**

*Pray the Bible* by Don Whitney

https://a.co/d/0cIB3pWW (Amazon Link)

**Questions to Consider this week:**

- Have I ever used scripture to guide my prayer before?
- How would praying through scripture change how I pray?

**Guided Prayer**
*Lord Jesus, You are the God who has shared Your very words with us. You are not silent, or hidden, but Your words are written and available to everyone. Thank you that we have prayers written in Bible that can guide how we pray so that our hearts are like **Your** heart. As I go about my week, guide my prayers so that I am passionate about what **You** are passionate about, broken about what grieves **Your** heart, and encouraged where Your word promises hope. -AMEN*

**Song for Personal Worship:**
"Speak Oh Lord" – Keith and Kristyn Getty
https://youtu.be/qy_XbGrnTlY?si=6RXo_LG-tND-g26g

"Show Us Christ" – Sovereign Grace Music
https://youtu.be/uLIi5SAVMRw?si=lNtCDqsqmIfnmr1P