

PRAYER MEETING

21 January 2019

Text: **Psalm 30:6-7**

RECOUNTING A PERSONAL EXAMPLE

1. In prosperity (Psalm 30:6a)

- a) God's blessings
- b) God's favour

2. Danger

a) I shall never be moved (Psalm 30:6b)

b) Lord, by Your favour (Psalm 30:7a)

- i) Correct speech
- ii) Externally all may seem well
- iii) But what about spiritually/ internally?

c) You have made my mountain stand strong (Psalm 30:7b)

- i) Mountain... natural protection (2 Samuel 5:1-12)
- ii) Stand strong... against enemies... problems etc

d) Suggestive of:

- i) Complacency
- ii) Conceit
- iii) Self-reliance
- iv) Over-confidence

3. You hid Your face (Psalm 30:7c)

a) An expression of anger from the Lord

b) God hides Himself

i) Withdrawal

ii) Withholding of blessings

c) I was troubled

i) Feeling out of sorts

ii) Upset

iii) Listless

iv) Sorrow

v) Silence from God

vi) No word from Him