Sermon Notes
August 31, 2025

Psalm 32 1 Oh, what joy for those whose disobedience is forgiven,
whose sin is put out of sight! 2 Yes, what joy for those whose record
the LORD has cleared of guilt, whose lives are lived in complete honesty!
3 When I refused to confess my sin, my body wasted away, and I
groaned all day long. 4 Day and night your hand of discipline was heavy
on me. My strength evaporated like water in the summer heat. 5 Finally,
I confessed all my sins to you and stopped trying to hide my guilt. I said
to myself, "I will confess my rebellion to the LORD." And you forgave
me! All my guilt is gone. 6 Therefore, let all the godly pray to you while
there is still time, that they may not drown in the floodwaters of
judgment. 7 For you are my hiding place; you protect me from trouble.
You surround me with songs of victory. 8 The LORD says, "I will guide
you along the best pathway for your life. I will advise you and watch
over you.

Proverbs 4 23 Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the
course of your life. 24 Avoid all perverse talk; stay away from corrupt
speech. 25 Look straight ahead and fix your eyes on what lies before
you. 26 Mark out a straight path for your feet; stay on the safe path.
27 Don't get sidetracked; keep your feet from following evil.

Psalm 32 8 The LORD says, "I will guide you along the best pathway for
your life. I will advise you and watch over you. 9 Do not be like a
senseless horse or mule that needs a bit and bridle to keep it under
control."

Action Steps

- Does your soul have Joy because you have confessed and received forgiveness for your sins – turning from the past and letting go of the guilt from what you have done?
- Since He knows the best path for your life - have you surrendered your plans to Him and spent time alone listening to learn His path?
- If you have been wrestling inside – struggling to understand – just follow His small promptings and you will get where He wants you.