**Hebrews 4:14-16** Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven, Jesus the Son of God, **let us hold firmly to the faith we profess**.

15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin.

16 Let us then **approach God’s throne of grace with confidence**, so that we may **receive mercy** and **find grace to help us in our time of need**.

**What is the truth we know and profess.**

Jesus is our King and Sovereign. He is our great high priest, our mediator and intercessor. He is our Savior. He is Christ, the anointed One. He is Immanuel, God with us. He is the creator and sustainer of all things. **With such a high priest we can approach God’s throne with confidence.**

**Proverbs 3:27 (NIV)** Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in your power to act.

**Proverbs 3:27 (MSG)** Never walk away from someone who deserves help; your hand is God's hand for that person.

**Exodus 22:22** Do not take advantage of a widow or an orphan.

**Isaiah 1:17** Seek justice, encourage the oppressed. Defend the cause of the fatherless, plead the case of the widow.

**James 1:27** Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress…”

**Attributes of our God**

**Psalm 33:5** “The LORD loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of his unfailing love.”

**Psalm 86:5** “You are forgiving and good, O Lord abounding in love to all who call to you.”

**Psalm 99:5** “Exalt the LORD our God and worship at his footstool; he is holy.”

**Psalm 145:9** “The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.”

**Psalm 86:15** “But you, O LORD, are a compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness.”

**Benefits of being a child of God.**

**Romans 8:1**

**Ephesians 2:6**

**Ephesians 2:19**

**Romans 8:15**

**We have security, authority, intimacy, assurance, and an inheritance.**

**How do you respond to a miracle for someone else? Do you have a song in your heart?**