

Daily Morning Message
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Lectionary Readings

Psalm 73:21-28
Proverbs 29:21-27
John 7:25-36

Today's Scripture Verse:

My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. (Psalm 73:26)

What it means:

The word "heart" in this verse has two meanings. The first is the physical meaning – the heart that beats physically in the body. But the word also has a metaphoric meaning: in ancient Israel, the heart was considered the location of the will. So the psalmist is saying that though his physical strength may decline the strength of his will lies in his trust for God.

Reflection:

God be the strength of our heart and mind. My we be strong-willed to live according to your way.

