**How Can We Stand on Holy Ground?**

Psalm 24:1-10

**A.** **ARE YOUR HANDS CLEAN?**

 **1.** The truth is we come to church needing **washing**.

 **2.** Jesus said in **Matthew** 7:21:

*“Not everyone who says to me ‘Lord, Lord,' shall enter*

 *the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the*

*will of my Father who is in heaven!”*

**B. IS YOUR HEART PURE?**

 **1.** To be pure is not to be perfect, it is to be genuine,

 unmixed, **real**, authentic.

**Fact: (**SorenKierkegaard once said:)

 *“Purity of heart is to will one thing. It's a singleness of mind and a singleness of motive. It's what you do and what you say fitting together so that you are the same* *day after day, inside and out, whoever sees you and whatever the circumstances of life may be.”*

**Question:** Are you willing to let each thought and each

 motive to be under God's **control**?

 **2.** The King of glory is coming and THE CONNECTION

 NEEDS TO BE **REALIZED**. (v. 7)

**C. KEEP LOOKING UP!**

 **1.** “*Lift up your heads*” - what **would** it take for you

 to do that today?

 **2.** **THE KING OF GLORY IS COMING.**