



“Consider the Ravens”

Standalone Sermon, Part 1 of 1

Sunday, May 25, 2025, at 9am and 11am

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Luke 12:22b-24 (ESV), “Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds!”

I. Consider the Raven’s Portfolios

Luke 12:24a (ESV), “Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them...”

2 Corinthians 1:8-9 (ESV), “For we do not want you to be unaware, brothers, of the affliction we experienced in Asia. For we were so utterly burdened beyond our strength that we despaired of life itself. Indeed, we felt that we had received the sentence of death. But that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead.”

II. Consider the Raven’s Ordinairiness

III. Consider the Raven’s Widespread Flourishing

Job 38:41 (NLT), “Who provides food for the ravens when their young cry out to God and wander about in hunger?”

Psalms 147:8-9 (ESV), “He covers the heavens with clouds; he prepares rain for the earth; he makes grass grow on the hills. He gives to the beasts their food, and to the young ravens that cry.”

Luke 12:24a (ESV), “Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them...”

Psalms 145:9,15-16 (ESV), “The LORD is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made...The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing.”

Matthew 5:44-45 (ESV), "But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven. For he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust."