

April 9

*Jesus, the Cornerstone, is Undeterred from his Mission*

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The stone which the builders rejected has become the head of the corner.

This is Yahweh's doing. It is marvelous in our eyes. – Psalm 118:22-23

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[Luke 13:31-35, Perea] On that same day, some Pharisees came, saying to him, "Get out of here, and go away, for Herod wants to kill you."

He said to them, "Go and tell that fox, 'Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I complete my mission. Nevertheless I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the next

day, for it can't be that a prophet perish outside of Jerusalem.'

*I wanted to gather your children together, like a hen gathers her own brood*

day, for it can't be that a prophet perish outside of Jerusalem.' "Jerusalem, Jerusalem, that kills the prophets, and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, like a hen gathers her own brood under her wings, and you refused! Behold, your house is left to you desolate. I tell you, you will not see me, until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!' [Psalm 118:26]"

1. Have you been intimidated into changing your plans? How so? Was Jesus? Why not?
2. Could Jesus say the same to you as he did to Jerusalem? Why? How will you accept him?
3. Jesus, I run to you like a chick runs to its mother; hide me under your wings; today I...

