

A close-up photograph of evergreen branches covered in a light layer of white frost. The branches are dark green with some brown spots, and the background is a soft, out-of-focus white and light blue. A dark grey oval with a white border is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing the title and subtitle text.

THE PRIVILEGE OF PRAYER

Pastor Walt McCord // Psalm 4

**Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness!
You have relieved me in my distress;
Be gracious to me and hear my prayer.**

Psalm 4:1

O sons of men, how long will my honor become a reproach?
How long will you love what is worthless and aim at
deception? *Selah.*

But know that the LORD has set apart the godly man for
Himself;

The LORD hears when I call to Him.

Tremble, and do not sin;

Meditate in your heart upon your bed, and be still. *Selah.*

Offer the sacrifices of righteousness,

And trust in the LORD.

Psalm 4:2-5

Many are saying, "Who will show us *any* good?"
Lift up the light of Your countenance upon us, O LORD!
You have put gladness in my heart,
More than when their grain and new wine abound.
In peace I will both lie down and sleep,
For You alone, O LORD, make me to dwell in safety.

Psalm 4:6-8

