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## Teaching Outline The Church We Want to Be

### Week 2

We aspire to \_\_\_\_\_ !

**Psalms 50:7-14 (NLT)** <sup>8</sup> I have no complaint about your sacrifices or the burnt offerings you constantly offer.<sup>9</sup> But I do not need the bulls from your barns or the goats from your pens. <sup>10</sup> For all the animals of the forest are mine, and I own the cattle on a thousand hills. <sup>11</sup> I know every bird on the mountains, and all the animals of the field are mine. <sup>12</sup> If I were hungry, I would not tell you, for all the world is mine and everything in it. <sup>13</sup> Do I eat the meat of bulls? Do I drink the blood of goats? <sup>14</sup> Make thankfulness your sacrifice to God, and keep the vows you made to the Most High.

**NLT Psalm 5:11** But let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them sing joyful praises forever. Protect them, so all who love your name may be filled with joy.

**NLT Psalm 9:2** I will be filled with joy because of you. I will sing praises to your name, O Most High.

**NLT Psalm 21:13** We praise you, LORD, for all your glorious power. With music and singing we celebrate your mighty acts.

**NLT Psalm 27:6** Then I will hold my head high, above my enemies who surround me. At his Tabernacle I will offer sacrifices with shouts of joy; singing and praising the LORD with music.

**NLT Psalm 33:1-3** Let the godly sing with joy to the LORD, for it is fitting to praise him. <sup>2</sup> Praise the LORD with melodies on the lyre; make music for him on the ten-stringed harp. <sup>3</sup> Sing new songs of praise to him; play skillfully on the harp and sing with joy.

**NLT Psalm 47:1** Come, everyone, and clap your hands for joy! Shout to God with joyful praise!

**NLT Psalm 68:4** Sing praises to God and to his name! Sing loud praises to him who rides the clouds. His name is the LORD-- rejoice in his presence!

**NLT Psalm 71:23** I will shout for joy and sing your praises, for you have redeemed me.

**NLT Psalm 92:4** You thrill me, LORD, with all you have done for me! I sing for joy because of what you have done.

**NLT Psalm 95:1** Come, let us sing to the LORD! Let us give a joyous shout to the rock of our salvation!

**NLT Psalm 135:3** Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good; celebrate his wonderful name with music.

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\_\_\_\_\_ ... are all ways we can worship  
with enthusiasm!!

**We can worship God enthusiastically by raising our \_\_\_\_\_**

**NIV Psalm 63:4** I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands.

**NIV Psalm 134:2** Lift up your hands in the sanctuary and praise the LORD.

**NLT Psalm 141:2** Accept my prayer as incense offered to you, and my upraised hands as an evening offering.

**We can worship enthusiastically by making our lifestyle one of \_\_\_\_\_ .**

**NLT Psalm 24:3** Who may climb the mountain of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place? <sup>4</sup> Only those whose hands and hearts are pure, who do not worship idols and never tell lies. <sup>5</sup> They will receive the LORD's blessing and have right standing with God their savior.

**NLT 2 Corinthians 6:14** Don't team up with those who are unbelievers. How can goodness be a partner with wickedness? How can light live with darkness?

**NLT Ephesians 5:6-11** Don't be fooled by those who try to excuse these sins, for the terrible anger of God comes upon all those who disobey him. <sup>7</sup> Don't participate in the things these people do. <sup>8</sup> For though your hearts were once full of darkness, now you are full of light from the Lord, and your behavior should show it! <sup>9</sup> For this light within you produces only what is good and right and true. <sup>10</sup> Try to find out what is pleasing to the Lord. <sup>11</sup> Take no part in the worthless deeds of evil and darkness; instead, rebuke and expose them.

**NLT 1 Chronicles 28:9** "And Solomon, my son, get to know the God of your ancestors. Worship and serve him with your whole heart and with a willing mind. For the LORD sees every heart and understands and knows every plan and thought. If you seek him, you will find him. But if you forsake him, he will reject you forever.