

# BELPRES CHURCH

## Worship Through Music

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**Scripture:** Psalm 100:1-5 & Acts 2:1-2, 4,42-47

Psalm 100:1-5

<sup>1</sup>Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

<sup>2</sup>Worship the LORD with gladness;  
come before him with joyful songs.

<sup>3</sup>Know that the LORD is God.

It is he who made us, and we are his  
we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

<sup>4</sup>Enter his gates with thanksgiving  
and his courts with praise;  
give thanks to him and praise his name.

<sup>5</sup>For the LORD is good and his love endures forever;  
his faithfulness continues through all generations.

Acts 2:1-2, 4, 42-47

<sup>1</sup>When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.

<sup>2</sup>Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.

<sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

<sup>42</sup>They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

<sup>43</sup>Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles.

<sup>44</sup>All the believers were together and had everything in common.

<sup>45</sup>They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need.

<sup>46</sup>Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts,

<sup>47</sup>praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

## **Discussion Questions:**

### Opening Question

- Icebreaker: What is the kindest thing someone has done for you? How did it make you feel?
- Looking back, were you able to apply any of the things we talked about last time to your life this week? What did you do? How did it go?

Scripture Reflection Questions - Read this week's scripture together and discuss the following:

- What do we learn about God (e.g., traits, personality, what matters, priorities) in this passage and sermon?
- What do we learn about people, and ourselves in particular, this week?

### Sermon Reflection Questions

- How do you define worship?
- Share about a time when you felt God's presence during worship. How did it change you? What did you learn about God, about yourself, or about your community during that experience?

### Closing Question and Application

- Given what we've discussed together today, how might God want you apply these learnings to your life or in the life of your community this next week?
- Who might you share this with?