## Praise God!

Acts 2:46-47; Hebrews 13:15

Book of Psalms

#### Manner of Praise

- Joyfully and wholeheartedly (63:5; 9:1).
- With understanding (47:7).
- Continually (34:1; 104:33).
- With both my mouth and my conduct (50:23).
- Needs to be specific...

# Specific Praise

- For His marvelous works (9:1; 40:5; 139:14).
- For His word (33:1, 4; 119).
- For His creation (33:6-9).
- For the many blessings He has bestowed on us, including forgiveness (68:19; 51:13-14; 103:2-3; 130:3-4).
- For answering our prayers (66:18-20).
- For His many wonderful attributes—lovingkindness, mercy, compassion, faithfulness, power, etc.

## God's View of Such Praise

- Good, pleasant, and beautiful (33:1; 147:1).
- A sweet smelling aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well pleasing to Him (Phil. 4:19; Heb. 13:16).

### Conclusion

• Praise the LORD! Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever. Who can express the mighty acts of the LORD? Who can declare all His praise? (Psa. 106:1-2).