

# Lighthouse Group – The Joy of Gathering

Text: Psalm 122

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## Scripture Reading

**Psalm 122** – A Song of Ascent by David, celebrating the joy of being with God’s people in God’s presence.

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## Sermon Recap

- Psalm 122 shows pilgrims arriving in Jerusalem with joy to worship God together.
  - In Christ, the church is the fulfillment of what Jerusalem foreshadowed—a gathering of God’s people in His presence.
  - We’re called to gather with **joyful anticipation**, **right priorities**, and **covenant love**.
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## Discussion Questions

1. **Joyful Anticipation** – When you think about coming to church, what usually stirs your emotions—joy, obligation, distraction? Why?
2. **The People of God** – How does seeing fellow believers as family change the way we approach gathering?
3. **Embodied Worship** – Why is it tempting in our culture to substitute online worship for gathering in person?
4. **Right Priorities** – What are some wrong reasons people attend church today, and how might those distract from true worship?
5. **Obedience & Submission** – Why do you think submission to God’s authority is so counter-cultural today?

6. **Covenant Love** – What's one tangible way we can pray for and pursue the good of our church family this week?
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### **Prayer Focus**

- Thank God for the joy of gathering in His presence.
- Ask Him to give you a heart that worships for His glory, not your gain.
- Pray for deeper love and unity in our church family.