

**We Will Glorify**

# **1 Chronicles 16:8-11**

**Give thanks to the LORD, call on  
his name;**

**make known among the  
nations what he has done.**

**Sing to him, sing praise to him;  
tell of all his wonderful acts.**

**Glory in his holy name;  
let the hearts of those who  
seek the LORD rejoice.**

**Look to the LORD and his strength;  
seek his face always.**

# **1 Chronicles 16:23-26**

**Sing to the LORD, all the earth;  
proclaim his salvation day after  
day.**

**Declare his glory among the nations,  
his marvelous deeds among all  
peoples.**

**For great is the LORD and most worthy  
of praise;  
he is to be feared above all gods.**

**For all the gods of the nations are  
idols,  
but the LORD made the heavens.**

# **Proposed Mission Statement:**

**Belmont Church of Christ  
is a Family of Faith  
Glorifying God by  
Reaching out to others,  
Sharing the Good News.  
(Matthew 22:37-40)**

# **Glorify:**

- **To magnify God through Praising His name and honoring His commandments (Ps 86:12)**
- **Jesus also glorified His Father through His perfect obedience and His sacrificial death on our behalf (John 17:1)**

# **Glorify:**

- **Glorifying God is “Commmanded.”  
(v. 28) (Psa 22:23, Isa 42:12)**
- **Glorifying God is Due to Him (v. 29)**

# **We should Glorify God:**

- **For His Holiness (Psa 99:9; Rev 15:4)**
- **For His Mercy and Truth (Psa 115:1; Rom 15:9)**
- **For His Faithfulness & Truth (Isa 25:1)**
- **For His wondrous works (Matt 15:31; Acts 4:21)**
- **For His Judgments (Isa 25:3; Ezek 28:22; Rev 14:7)**
- **For His Deliverances (Psa 50:15)**
- **For His Grace to Others (Acts 11:18; II Cor 9:13; Gal 1:24)**

# **This Command to Glorify God, is Accomplished How? By:**

- **Relying on His promises (Rom 4:20)**
- **Praising Him (Psa 50:23)**
- **Doing all to Glorify Him (I Cor 10:31)**
- **Dying for Him (John 21:19)**
- **Suffering for Christ (I Peter 4:14, 16)**
- **Glorifying (Acts 19:17; II Thess 1:12)**
- **Bring Forth Fruits of Righteousness (John 15:8; Phil 1:11)**
- **Patience in Affliction (Isa 24:15)**
- **Faithfulness (I Peter 4:11)**
- **Required in Body and Spirit (I Cor 6:20)**
- **Eventually it will be Universal (Psa 86:9; Rev 5:13)**

# All Christians:

- **Should resolve to glorify God (Psa 69:30; Psa 118:28)**
- **Should Unite in Glorifying God (Psa 34:3; Rom 15:6)**
- **Should Persevere in Glorifying God (Psa 86:12)**

**All the blessings of God  
are designed to lead  
believers to Glorify God  
(Isa 60:21; Isa 61:3)**

**The Holy example of the  
Christian may lead others  
to Glorify God (Matt 5:16;  
I Peter 2:12)**

# Some Side Notes:

- The wicked are adverse to Glorifying God (Dan 5:23; Rom 1:21)
- There is Punishment for NOT Glorifying God (Dan 5:23, 30; Mal 2:2; Acts 12:23; Rom 1:21)
- Heavenly Hosts are engaged in Glorifying God (Rev 4:11)
- Christ is Glory in His people (Isa 60:1; Luke 2:32)
- The Gospel is ordained to be Glory to Christians (I Cor 2:7)

# GLORY:

Beauty, power, or honor; a quality of God's character that emphasizes His greatness and authority. The word is used in three senses in the Bible:

- God's moral beauty and perfection of character. This divine quality is beyond man's understanding (Psa 113:4). All people "fall short" of it (Rom 3:23).
- God's moral beauty and perfection as a visible presence. While God's glory is not a substance at times God does reveal His perfection to man in a visible way. Since the close of the Old Testament, the glory of God has been shown mainly in Christ (Luke 9:29-32; John 2:11) and in the members of His church. Christ now shares His divine glory with His followers (John 17:5-6, 22), so that in their lives Christians are being transformed into the glorious image of God (2 Cor 3:18). Believers will be fully glorified at the end of time in God's heavenly presence (Rom 5:2; Col 3:4). There the glory of God will be seen everywhere (Rev 21:23).
- Praise. At times God's glory may mean the honor and audible praise which His creatures give to Him (Psa 115:1; Rev 5:12-13).

**“Glorify God by  
reaching out to  
others, sharing the  
Good News.”**

**What is the Good News?**

**Do You know what it is?**

**Will you glorify God  
with your Life?**