Who do I have in heaven but you? And I desire nothing on earth but you. // Psalm 73:25

to **GOD** be the

21 DAYS OF PRAISE & FASTING SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH, JACKSONVILLE

This year at Second Baptist, Jacksonville, we are focusing on a central theme:

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My hope is that these words will serve as a touchstone for all of us to seek God's glory more throughout this year.

For the next 21 days, we are going to have a season of praising God and fasting as we prepare for a new year of ministry.

Please use this guide to focus your heart and mind more firmly on God's glory and contemplate the ways a deeper focus on His glory may change how you relate to your family and friends, how you work and how you walk with the Lord.

> To God be the Glory! - David





Psalm 19

FOCUS

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the expanse proclaims the work of his hands. // Psalm 19:1

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





Psalm 139

FOCUS

For it was you who created my inward parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb. I will praise you because I have been remarkably and wondrously made. Your works are wondrous, and I know this very well. // Psalm 139:13-14

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?



READ Revelation 7:9-17

FOCUS

All the angels stood around the throne, and along with the elders and the four living creatures they fell facedown before the throne and worshiped God, saying, Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and strength be to our God forever and ever. Amen. // Revelation 7:11-12

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





John 1:1-18

FOCUS

The Word became flesh and dwelt among us. We observed his glory, the glory as the one and only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. // John 1:14

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?

How can I apply this passage in my life daily?



READ

Isaiah 9:1-9

FOCUS

For a child will be born for us, a son will be given to us, and the government will be on his shoulders. He will be named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace. // Isaiah 9:6

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a high and lofty throne, and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphim were standing above him; And one called to another: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Armies; his glory fills the whole earth. // Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3

REFLECT

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READ Philippians 2:5-11

FOCUS

For this reason God highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow in heaven and on earth and under the earth and every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. // Philippians 2:9-11

REFLECT

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Colossians 1:14-20

FOCUS

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For everything was created by him, in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities - all things have been created through him and for him. He is before all things, and by him all things hold together. // Colossians 1:15-17

REFLECT

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READ

Hebrews 1:1-4

FOCUS

Long ago God spoke to the fathers by the prophets at different times and in different ways. In these last days, he has spoken to us by his Son. God has appointed him heir of all things and made the universe through him. The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact expression of his nature, sustaining all things by his powerful word. // Hebrews 1:1-3

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





Luke 2:1-20

FOCUS

Suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying: Glory to God in the highest heaven, and peace on earth to people he favors. // Luke 2:13-14

REFLECT

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How can I apply this passage in my life daily?





Let the whole earth shout joyfully to God! Sing about the glory of his name; make his praise glorious. Say to God, "How aweinspiring are your works! Your enemies will cringe before you because of your great strength. The whole earth will worship you and sing praise to you. They will sing praise to your name." // Psalm 66:1-4

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





May God be gracious to us and bless us; may he make his face shine upon us so that your way may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations. Let the peoples praise you, God; let all the peoples praise you. // Psalm 67:1-3

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?

How can I apply this passage in my life daily?



READ

Nehemiah 12:27-43

FOCUS

On that day they offered great sacrifices and rejoiced because God had given them great joy. The women and children also celebrated, and Jerusalem's rejoicing was heard far away. // Nehemiah 12:43

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





Then the Lord answered Job from the whirlwind. He said: Who is this who obscures my counsel with ignorant words? Get ready to answer me like a man; when I question you, you will inform me. Where were you when I established the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. // Job 38:1-4

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?

How can I apply this passage in my life daily?



READ Job 38:21-40

FOCUS

Do you know the laws of heaven? Can you impose its authority on earth? Can you command the clouds so that a flood of water covers you? Can you send out lightning bolts, and they go? Do they report to you: "Here we are?" Who put wisdom in the heart or gave the mind understanding? // Job 38:33-36

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





Genesis 1-2:3

FOCUS

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. // Genesis 1:1

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?

How can I apply this passage in my life daily?





Lift up your heads, you gates! Rise up, ancient doors! Then the King of glory will come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle. // Psalm 24:7-8

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





The appearance of the brilliant light all around was like that of a rainbow in a cloud on a rainy day. This was the appearance of the likeness of the Lord's glory. When I saw it, I fell facedown and heard a voice speaking. // Ezekiel 1:28

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





I heard every creature in heaven, on earth, under the earth, on the sea, and everything in them say, "Blessing and honor and glory and power be to the one seated on the throne, and to the Lamb, forever and ever!" The four living creatures said, "Amen," and the elders fell down and worshiped. // Revelation 5:13-14

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?





The city does not need the sun or the moon to shine on it, because the glory of God illuminates it, and its lamp is the Lamb. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. Its gates will never close by day because it will never be night there. They will bring the glory and honor of the nations into it. // Revelation 21:23-26

REFLECT

How does this passage reveal the glory of God?



READ

FOCUS

A voice of one crying out: Prepare the way of the Lord in the wilderness; make a straight highway for our God in the desert. Every valley will be lifted up, and every mountain and hill will be leveled; the uneven ground will become smooth and the rough places, a plain. And the glory of the Lord will appear, and all humanity together will see it, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken. // Isaiah 40:3-5

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