

# Sermon Notes

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Anthony Alcorta | The 5 Books of Psalms | October 15, 2025 “Let Everything Praise the Lord!” | Psalm 150

1. What is praise?

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2. Praise Whom? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Praise Where? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Why Praise? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Praise How? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Praise When? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Who Praises?  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Application

1. Praise doesn't \_\_\_\_\_

2. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ valuable  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Show \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ for  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Praise \_\_\_\_\_. Not only  
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## Questions for Further Application of God's Word

### GO DEEPER

Read Psalm 150. Why all the emphasis on praising the Lord? What does that do to/for God? What does that do to/for us? What would happen if we didn't praise the Lord? Is our praise conditional or should it be? What is one praise expression that's unfamiliar or underused in your personal worship?

### GET PERSONAL

The Bible says “in everything give thanks”, but in every situation should we praise? Should we get a pass for praising the Lord if we are having an especially tough season in our lives? Have you ever chosen to praise in your pain? What happened?

The writer mentions praising with dance. Does that idea make you uncomfortable? Why or why not? Is there a modern equivalent for expressing joy in worship, or does the author literally mean to dance before the Lord?

### PUT IT INTO PRACTICE

Consider the saying “too heavenly minded to be any earthly good.” Should praise be kept private or compartmentalized or should it be expressed publicly in our daily lives? How can a lifestyle of praise influence the people around you? What would it look like to turn mundane moments into praise?

### ADVANCED QUESTION

Hebrews 13:15 speaks of offering God a sacrifice of praise. What would the original Jewish audience think of when hearing/reading

this? What kinds of worship-related sacrifices did the Old Testament prescribe? Are we as intentional or reverent in our praise as the Israelites were with their offerings? Is our praise today too casual? Should it cost us something?