Message: Declaring the glory of God

Memory verse: Psalm 19:1-3 KJV The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork. [2] Day unto day uttereth speech, and night unto night sheweth knowledge. [3] There is no speech nor language, where their voice is not heard.

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Bible reading: Revelation 4:1-11 KJV After this I looked, and, behold, a door was opened in heaven: and the first voice which I heard was as it were of a trumpet talking with me; which said, Come up hither, and I will shew thee things which must be hereafter. [2] And immediately I was in the spirit: and, behold, a throne was set in heaven, and one sat on the throne. [3] And he that sat was to look upon like a jasper and a sardine stone: and there was a rainbow round about the throne, in sight like unto an emerald. [4] And round about the throne were four and twenty seats: and upon the seats I saw four and twenty elders sitting, clothed in white raiment; and they had on their heads crowns of gold. [5] And out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God. [6] And before the throne there was a sea of glass like unto crystal: and in the midst of the throne, and round about the throne, were four beasts full of eyes before and behind. [7] And the first beast was like a lion, and the second beast like a calf, and the third beast had a face as a man, and the fourth beast was like a flying eagle. [8] And the four beasts had each of them six wings about him; and they were full of eyes within: and they rest not day and night, saying, Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come. [9] And when those beasts give glory and honour and thanks to him that sat on the throne, who liveth for ever and ever, [10] The four and twenty elders fall down before him that sat on the throne, and worship him that liveth for ever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying, [11] Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

The dead can not praise or declare the glory of the lord as seen in **Isaiah 38:18-19 KJV** For the grave cannot praise thee, death can not celebrate thee: they that go down into the pit cannot hope for thy truth. [19] The living, the living, he shall praise thee, as I do this day: the father to the children shall make known thy truth.

In **Matthew 6:10 KJV** Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. The will of God is for the living to declare his glory as the Angel's and the 24 elders are doing in heaven.

The glory of God means

- His beauty
- His splendour
- His move
- His majesty
- His power
- Awesomeness
- His kingdom

To declare his glory is to:--

- Testify to his beauty, majesty and splendour
- Testify to his mighty power
- Worship and praise him
- Openly testify to his goodness
- Proclaim his death and his resurrection
- Offer good and quality sacrifices to him
- Worship him always
- Thank him for what he has done for you
- Tell others about his goodness as seen in 1 Corinthians 9:16 KJV
- For though I preach the gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel!

If we failed to declare his glory he can raise up stones to praise him... today is the day to declare his glory to the whole world.....

Praises

Hosanna! Hosanna!! Hosanna !!! Lift Jesus higher Praise the lord

Prayer

- 1. Lord I pray thee do not replace me with stones in your vineyard in the name of Jesus
- 2. I shall appreciate God always all the days of my life in the name of Jesus
- 3. Praises shall not depart from my mouth in the name of Jesus
- 4. Lord Jesus help me to always do your will in the land of the living in the name of Jesus
- 5. The devil will not destroy my soul in the name of Jesus.