# **David's Song of Thanksgiving-2013**

A Singin' Meetin'

#### I'd like to read David's song of thanksgiving when he moved the Ark of the Covenant to Jerusalem today.

This seems to be the first direct call to give thanks to the Lord in the Bible.

1 Chronicles 16:8-12

<sup>8</sup>Oh, give thanks to the LORD!

Call upon His name;

Make known His deeds among the peoples!

<sup>9</sup> Sing to Him, sing psalms to Him;

Talk of all His wondrous works!

<sup>10</sup> Glory in His holy name;

Let the hearts of those rejoice who seek the LORD!

<sup>11</sup>Seek the LORD and His strength; Seek His face evermore!

<sup>12</sup> Remember His marvelous works which He has done

# <sup>8a</sup> Oh, give thanks to the LORD!

1 Thessalonians 5:18

<sup>18</sup> In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

2 Corinthians 9:15

<sup>15</sup> Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift!

Sing #128 in the Black Book (A Thousand, a Thousand Thanksgivings)

#### <sup>8b</sup> Call upon His name;

Psalms 116:12-13

<sup>12</sup> What shall I render to the LORD For all His benefits toward me?

<sup>13</sup> I will take up the cup of salvation, And call upon the name of the LORD. Sing #38 in the Green Book (I WILL CALL UPON THE LORD)

#### <sup>8c</sup> Make known His deeds among the peoples!

#### Mark 16:15-16

<sup>15</sup> And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. <sup>16</sup> He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned. Sing #406 in the Green Book (MY HOPE IS IN THE LORD)

#### <sup>9a</sup> Sing to Him, sing psalms to Him;

Ephesians 5:18b-20 exhorts us to:

<sup>18b</sup> ...Be filled with the Spirit, <sup>19</sup> speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord, <sup>20</sup> giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ

Sing #106 in the Black Book (O HEAD ONCE FULL OF BRUISES)

#### <sup>9b</sup> Talk of all His wondrous works!

Luke 8:38-39

<sup>38</sup> Now the man from whom the demons had departed begged Him that he might be with Him. But Jesus sent him away, saying, <sup>39</sup> "Return to your own house, and tell what great things God has done for you." And he went his way and proclaimed throughout the whole city what great things Jesus had done for him.

Sing #255 in the Black Book (LORD JESUS TO TELL OF THY LOVE)

# <sup>10a</sup> Glory in His holy name;

1 Corinthians 1:29-31

<sup>29b</sup> No flesh should glory in His presence. <sup>30</sup> But of Him you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God — and righteousness and sanctification and redemption — <sup>31</sup> that, as it is written, "He who glories, let him glory in the LORD."

Sing #13 in the Green Book (BLESS HIS HOLY NAME)

# <sup>10b</sup> Let the hearts of those rejoice who seek the LORD!

1 Peter 1:8-9

<sup>8b</sup> Though now you do not see Him, yet believing, you rejoice with joy inexpressible and full of glory, <sup>9</sup> receiving the end of your faith — the salvation of your souls.

Sing #489 in the Green Book (REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS)

### <sup>11</sup>Seek the LORD and His strength; Seek His face evermore!

Psalms 27:8

<sup>8</sup> When You said, "Seek My face," My heart said to You, "Your face, LORD, I will seek." Psalms 95:1-2

<sup>1</sup>Oh come, let us sing to the LORD! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation.

<sup>2</sup> Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms. Sing #348 in the Green Book (HIDING IN THEE)

#### Sing #548 in the Green Book (Fibling in Thee)

#### <sup>12</sup> Remember His marvelous works which He has done

Revelation 15:3-4 (The song of Moses, and of the Lamb)

<sup>3b</sup> "Great and marvelous are Your works, Lord God Almighty!

Just and true are Your ways, O King of the saints!

<sup>4</sup> Who shall not fear You, O Lord, and glorify Your name? For You alone are holy.

For all nations shall come and worship before You, For Your judgments have been manifested."

Sing #512 in the Green Book (MY SAVIOR'S LOVE)