

# SERMON HANDOUT

## Bless the Lord for Who He Is

Psalm 135 • By Apostle Asia Roberts-Francis

### MAIN THOUGHT

As we enter 2026, God is calling His people into a mature posture of praise—blessing Him not only for what He has done, but for **who He is**. Psalm 135 summons every believer, every household, and every generation to exalt Yahweh because His name endures forever.

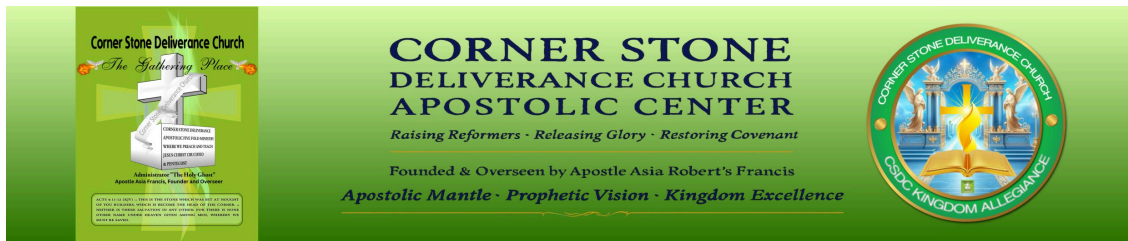
## 1. BLESS THE LORD FOR WHO HE IS

Psalm 135 reveals God's identity:

- Yahweh — the Self-Existent One
- Sovereign — His counsel stands forever
- Holy — incomparable in purity
- Faithful — covenant-keeping across generations
- Eternal — His name endures forever

**Mature praise is identity-based, not outcome-based.**

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



## 2. BLESS THE LORD FOR THE DEPOSIT OF HIS SPIRIT

Ephesians 1:14 — The Holy Spirit is the **deposit guaranteeing our inheritance.**

Because of the Spirit:

- We already have access
- We already have provision
- We already have direction
- We already have victory

**Provision is not something we chase—it is something we walk in.**

## 3. WALKING IN OUR PROVISION

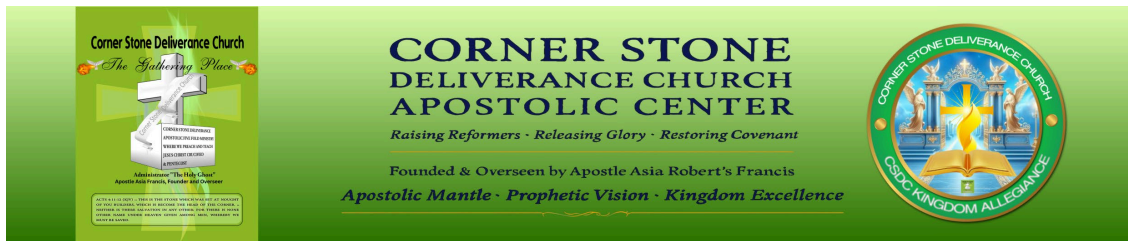
Psalms 135 contrasts Yahweh with idols:

- Idols cannot speak
- Idols cannot move
- Idols cannot save

But our God:

- Speaks
- Moves
- Provides
- Delivers
- Sustains
- Multiplies

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



**2026 is a year of walking in what God already released.**

## **4. A CALL TO THE HOUSE OF GOD**

Psalm 135 ends with a corporate summons:

- House of Israel — bless the Lord
- House of Aaron — bless the Lord
- House of Levi — bless the Lord
- You who fear the Lord — bless the Lord

Today we declare:

**Corner Stone Deliverance Church Apostolic Center — bless the Lord!**

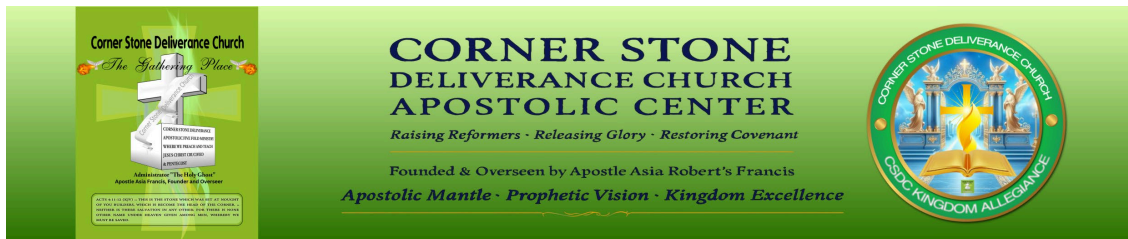
## **CALL TO ACTION**

As we enter 2026:

- Bless Him daily
- Bless Him intentionally
- Bless Him prophetically
- Bless Him for who He is

Let your life become a psalm of praise.

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



# 7-DAY DEVOTIONAL

***“Bless the Lord for Who He Is”***

## DAY 1 — Praise Beyond Circumstance

**Scripture:** Psalm 135:1–3 **Focus:** Praise is not a reaction; it is a posture. **Reflection:** What areas of your life need to shift from circumstantial praise to covenant praise? **Prayer:** Lord, teach me to bless You for who You are.

## DAY 2 — The God Who Chose You

**Scripture:** Psalm 135:4 **Focus:** You are chosen, not overlooked. **Reflection:** How does knowing you are chosen change your confidence? **Prayer:** Father, thank You for choosing me.

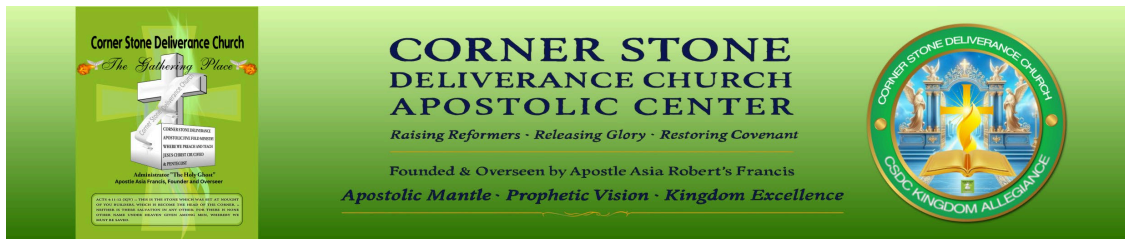
## DAY 3 — The Greatness of Yahweh

**Scripture:** Psalm 135:5–7 **Focus:** God’s greatness is unmatched. **Reflection:** Where have you limited God in your thinking? **Prayer:** Expand my vision of Your greatness.

## DAY 4 — The Deposit of the Spirit

**Scripture:** Ephesians 1:13–14 **Focus:** The Holy Spirit guarantees your inheritance. **Reflection:** What provision has God already placed within you? **Prayer:** Holy Spirit, reveal the inheritance You guarantee.

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



## DAY 5 — Rejecting Modern Idols

**Scripture:** Psalm 135:15–18 **Focus:** Idols cannot speak, move, or save. **Reflection:** What “silent idols” have tried to steal your attention? **Prayer:** Lord, remove every idol from my heart.

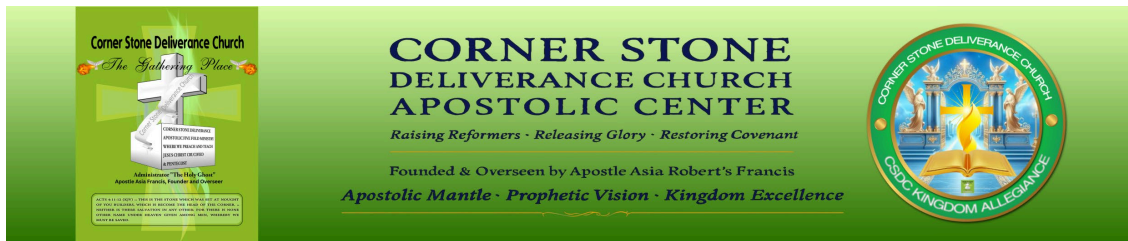
## DAY 6 — Walking in Provision

**Scripture:** Psalm 23:1 **Focus:** Provision is not earned—it is inherited. **Reflection:** Where have you been striving instead of walking? **Prayer:** Father, help me walk in what You’ve already provided.

## DAY 7 — Blessing the Lord as a Lifestyle

**Scripture:** Psalm 135:19–21 **Focus:** Blessing the Lord is generational. **Reflection:** How can your home become a sanctuary of praise? **Prayer:** Lord, let my life bless You continually.

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)

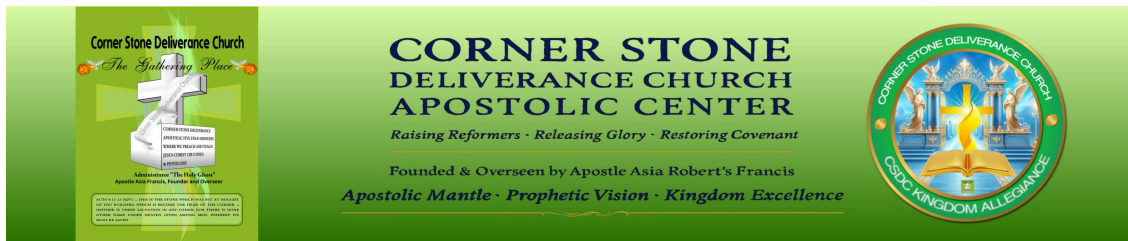


# QUIZ — “Bless the Lord for Who He Is”

## Multiple Choice

1. Psalm 135 teaches us to bless the Lord primarily for:
  - A. What He gives
  - B. Who He is
  - C. What we want
  - D. Our circumstances
  
2. The Holy Spirit is described in Ephesians 1:14 as:
  - A. A temporary helper
  - B. A symbolic gesture
  - C. The deposit guaranteeing our inheritance
  - D. A feeling
  
3. Idols in Psalm 135 are described as:
  - A. Powerful
  - B. Able to speak
  - C. Unable to move or save
  - D. Equal to God
  
4. Provision for believers is something we:
  - A. Chase
  - B. Earn
  - C. Walk in
  - D. Hope for someday

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
 P.O. Box 1143  
 Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
 P: (516)985-7577  
 F: (516)302-4774  
 Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



## Short Answer

1. What does “identity-based praise” mean to you personally?

---

---

---

---

2. Name two attributes of God highlighted in Psalm 135.

---

---

---

---

3. How does the Holy Spirit guarantee your inheritance?

---

---

---

---

4. What is one idol (visible or invisible) that believers must reject today?

---

---

---

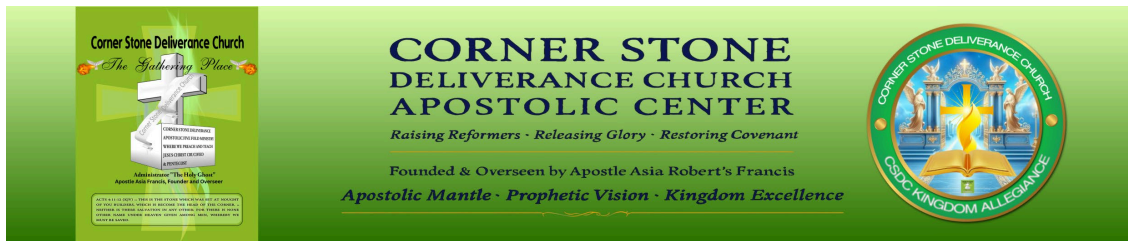
---

5. What does it mean to enter 2026 in a “posture of praise”?

---

---

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)



---

---

---

## Reflection Question

How will you intentionally bless the Lord for who He is this year?

---

---

---

---

---

Corner Stone Deliverance Church  
P.O. Box 1143  
Edenton, NC 27932  
[www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com](http://www.cornerstonedeliverancechurch.com)  
P: (516)985-7577  
F: (516)302-4774  
Email: [cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com](mailto:cornerstonedeliverancechurch@gmail.com)