

## **Celebrate**

Day 7

**LOOK...** and be curious. CELEBRATE.

WAIT... with prayerful expectation.  
*Come Holy Spirit: Thy Kingdom Come.*

**READ...** the text with an open mind.

**So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples.**

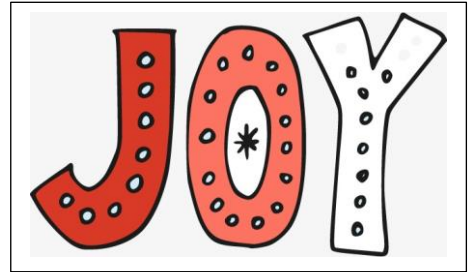
**Suddenly Jesus met them and said,  
“Greetings!”  
And they came to him,  
took hold of his feet,  
and worshiped him.**

**Then Jesus said to them,  
“Do not be afraid;  
go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee;  
there they will see me.”  
(Matthew 28:8-10)**

**LISTEN...** for a word with a willing heart.

**RESPOND...** with prayer and action.

**O God of the resurrection, may we know what it is to joyfully meet this mystery and face our fears of the unknown. Give flight to our feet, as we run to share this news and meet you in every place. In Jesus’ name, Amen.**



The word "celebrate" is the translation of the Hebrew verb hagag, which means to prepare, keep, or observe a feast or festival;

These words are used to describe the celebration of the three main pilgrimage feasts-the Passover, the Feast of Firstfruits, and the Feast of Tabernacles-and other special events in the life of Israel.

Jesus’ resurrection is described in the Epistles as First fruits.



You have turned my mourning into dancing and my sorrow into joy, Your hand has lifted me up.

### **Come On And Celebrate**

**Come on and celebrate  
His gift of love, we will celebrate  
The Son of God who loved us,  
And gave us life.  
We'll shout Your praise, O King,  
You give us joy nothing else can bring,  
We'll give to You our offering  
In celebration praise.**