CALL TO WORSHIP BASED ON PHILIPPIANS 3

Leader: BE GLAD IN THE LORD! The people of God are the ones the spirit of God leads to work away at this ministry, filling the air with Christ’s praise as we do it. Let us throw aside everything that may hinder us in the true worship of the Lord so that we may embrace Christ and be embraced by him!

Congregation: Let us empty ourselves so that we may know Christ personally, experience his resurrection power, and be a partner in his suffering.

Leader: BE GLAD IN THE LORD! We are reaching out for Christ, who has so wondrously reached out for us.

Congregation: We have our eye on the goal, where God is beckoning us onward to Jesus. We are off and running! We are not turning back!

Leader: BE GLAD IN THE LORD and keep focused on that goal, those of us who want everything God has for us. If any of you have something else in mind, something less than total commitment, God will clear your blurred vision-you’ll see it yet. Let’s stay on the right track!

Congregation: There is far more to life for us! We are citizens of high heaven! We are waiting for the Savior, the Master, Jesus Christ who will transform our earthly bodies into glorious bodies like his own. He’ll make us beautiful and whole! We will BE GLAD IN THE LORD!