



**Fall Quarter 2021 Theme:**  
Celebrating God  
**Unit III. Visions of Praise**

**Lesson Titles:**  
**Who's in Charge Here?**  
(Faith Pathway Bible Studies)  
**Praise for God's  
Eternal Reign**  
(Townsend Press Sunday School  
Commentary)

## LESSON 11—November 14, 2021

**Devotional Reading:** Revelation 1:9-17

**Background Scripture:** Revelation 11

**Print Passage:** Revelation 11:15-19

### Key Verse(s):

The seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.  
(Revelation 11:15, KJV)

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“The seventh angel sounded his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, which said: “The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Messiah, and he will reign for ever and ever.” (Revelation 11:15, NIV)

### ► Questions to Consider:

1. What happened when the seventh angel sounded his trumpet?
2. What were the multitude of people doing in heaven?
3. Why were the nations angry, and to whom is their anger directed?

### ► Lesson Context:

Chapter 11 ends with a **celebration** of praise as the seventh, final trumpet is blown. The final trumpet blast is followed by shouts and choruses of praise in the heavens—as there is excitement over the final consummation of the ages coming to pass.

### ► Lesson Aims:

As a result of experiencing this lesson, you should be able to do these things:

- Define the nature of God's reign for eternity.
- Reflect on how God's eternal reign affects our faith.
- Engage in activities that reflect the sovereignty of God in healthy, powerful, and transforming ways.

### ► Lesson Outlines/Key Points:

#### I. Reverence for the **Reign** (Revelation 11:15-17)

**Key Point 1:** God receives praise and celebration for ruling the whole earth.

**Key Point 2:** Christ is going to rule and reign the kingdoms of this world forever and forever.

II. Rejoice for the **Reward** (Revelation 11:18-19)

**Key Point 1:** The judgment of God has arrived.

**Key Point 2:** Those who accept Christ will be rewarded with **eternal** life.

► **Lesson Summary:**

- Our Lord God lives and reigns **forever**.
- God will not only comfort those who have suffered for His sake, but He will also welcome them into His glorious, magnificent presence.
- Life on earth will come with many troubles, yet every child of God must remain faithful and focused on God.

**What Do You Think? (These questions are found in this week's Faith Pathway student book.)**

1. What do you say to those who believe that evil on earth is an indication that God's power is limited?

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2. Honestly share a time of embarrassment when you thought of yourself better than you actually were. What was the lesson learned?

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**As a result of this lesson, I will do the following:**

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