

# The Key

See how Jesus unlocks the Old Testament

The Book of Psalms is \_\_\_\_\_ to life/worship of the people of God.

- Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16
- It was their songbook; Jews likely knew \_\_\_\_\_ Psalms.
- Matt. 26:30; Acts 4:23-26
- No OT book is \_\_\_\_\_ more in the NT than Psalms.
- Psalms are \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Psalms.

- 3 of 7 words from the cross are direct quotes/allusions to the Psalms.  
(Mt. 27:46--Ps. 22:1; John 19:28--Ps. 69:21; Luke 23:46--Ps. 31:5)
- Jesus is both the one \_\_\_\_\_ whom we pray & the one who prays.

How we pray the Psalms:

Augustine- \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_. Eph. 5:23

-stub your toe...mouth (head) cries out. Acts 9:4

-if head is bruised/wounded, it affects the body.



Some examples:

- *Psalm 1-* (v. 1) “Blessed is the \_\_\_\_\_.”
- *Psalm 2-* Read in light of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- *Psalm 3-* Christ’s death and resurrection.
- *Psalm 8-* Holding all this ‘has-been’ and ‘will-be’ together is \_\_\_\_\_.
- *Psalm 41-* Christ in the penitential psalms is \_\_\_\_\_ sinner.
  - *2 Cor. 5:21; Gal. 3:13*

How many messianic psalms are there? \_\_\_\_\_.

At the head of every Psalm write—“ \_\_\_\_\_ ”