



## Adonai – Lord

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Exodus 3:1-4:17; Isaiah 6:1-13

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### INTRODUCTION:

This week we learned about “Adonai,” which means Lord. You can find the sermon notes and summary [here](#),<sup>1</sup> and listen to the sermon by clicking [here](#).<sup>2</sup>

### SCRIPTURE:

Turn to Exodus 3:1-4:17 and Isaiah 6:1-13<sup>3</sup> in your Bible or [click here](#).

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Moses stood in the presence of the Lord and felt the weight of his inadequacies. He felt unqualified to meet the task (Ex 3:11). *Do you feel like God has called you to serve him in some way, to talk to someone about your faith, or do something beyond your ability?* Read Exodus 3:1-4:17 and note how God meets Moses’ needs and equips him for service. God does not call us to obedience because of our resumes. He is able to equip his people for the work he calls us to, so that his name will be glorified.
2. In Isaiah 6:4–5 Isaiah is overwhelmed with godly remorse over his sin in the presence of the Lord. In verse 6-7 we see that God graciously takes away his sin. Isaiah’s immediate response is a desire to serve the Lord and he says, “Here I am! Send me.” *Have you considered the incredible gift God has given you by forgiving your sin through faith in Christ Jesus?* The forgiveness we have received should well up inside of us a desire to please the Lord. Serving God isn’t trying to earn salvation; it’s an act of grateful worship.
3. Jesus is also called Lord.<sup>4</sup> Read Matthew 7:21-23. Jesus said these people called him “Lord” and had done “many mighty works” in his name, but he *did not know* them. It is not enough to *know that* Christ is Lord and to do good works. We must know him and worship him. Have you accepted Jesus Christ as Lord? See Romans 10:9-13.

### PUTTING IT INTO PRACTICE:

Obedience and worship go hand in hand. Since God is Lord of all, we should respond with Service (Isaiah 6:8), Worship (Malachi 1:6-7), and Obedience (Matthew 7:21-23).

### AT A GLANCE:

“Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.” And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here I am! Send me.””(Isa. 6:6–8 ESV)

<sup>1</sup> <https://wheelsms.wordpress.com/2016/07/03/adonai-lord/>

<sup>2</sup> <http://firstcentralbaptist.com/sermons/thenamesofgod.html>

<sup>3</sup> This sermon uses a survey of various scriptures. See the sermon summary for all references.

These text show two examples of Moses and Isaiah when they were in the presence of Adonai.

<sup>4</sup> Kurios (κύριος) in Greek. See also Psalm 110:1 and Matthew 22:41-46



Who am I?