HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Here I Am, Send Me
November 9, 2025

KEY SCRIPTURE

- Isaiah 6:1–8
- 2 Timothy 2:20–22
- 2 Corinthians 7:1
- Matthew 5:21–24
- Joshua 3:5

KEY POINTS

- **Cleansing Comes Before Commission.** God always purifies us before He sends us. Isaiah's lips were cleansed with a burning coal before he received his mission.
- **God Won't Fill What Isn't Empty.** As Spurgeon said: "God will never fill you with himself until he has emptied you of your own self."
- **Mission Starts at Home.** Before we can care for God's church or community, we must learn to manage and love our own households well (1 Timothy 3:4-5).
- **Consecration Precedes Breakthrough.** Joshua 3:5 - "Consecrate yourselves for tomorrow, the Lord will do wonders among you."

DISCUSSION

- Share about a time when you felt completely unprepared for something God called you to do. How did that experience change you?
- How have you experienced God's cleansing and forgiveness in your life? Share a specific example.
- What fears hold you back from serving God more fully?
- Why do you think God prioritizes how we care for our own households before sending us to serve elsewhere?
- Without sharing details that would dishonor anyone, where do you see opportunities for greater service and sacrifice within your own home or immediate family?
- Jesus says if someone has something against you (whether you intended harm or not), go make it right before offering your gift. Why is this so countercultural and difficult?
- What "dishonorable" things might God be asking you to cleanse yourself from?
- Paul says to "flee youthful passions" and "pursue righteousness, faith, love, peace." What's one thing you need to flee and one thing you need to pursue this week?