

**Speaker: Peter Ong**

**Title: Come to your Heavenly Father**

**Scriptures: John 14:6-7; Matthew 7:11; LK 24:49; Matthew 5:16**

---

### **Introduction**

- An earthly father can only be here for a season but the Heavenly Father is forever (**ISA 9:6**).
- A child will not hesitate to rush to his father but when he grows the rushing slows!

### **Jesus invites everyone to come to His Heavenly Father through Him;**

- Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me. If you have known Me, you would have known My Father also; and from now on you know Him and have seen Him." **JHN 14:6-7** (NKJV)

### **You can know the Heavenly Father through Jesus;**

- The Word became flesh and blood, and moved into the neighborhood. We saw the glory with our own eyes, the one-of-a-kind glory, like Father, like Son, generous inside and out, true from start to finish. **JHN 1:14** (Message)
- Going through a long line of prophets, God has been addressing our ancestors in different ways for centuries. Recently he spoke to us directly through his Son. By his Son, God created the world in the beginning, and it will all belong to the Son at the end. This Son perfectly mirrors God, and is stamped with God's nature. He holds everything together by what he says—powerful words! **HEB 1:1-2** (Message)

### **Jesus assures your access to the Heavenly Father;**

- "If you love Me, keep My commandments. And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever- the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you." **JHN 14:15-17** (NKJV)
- "However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you." **JHN 16:13-15** (NKJV)
- "for the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me, and have believed that I came forth from God. I came forth from the Father and have come into the world. Again I leave the world and go to the Father." **JHN 16:27-28** (NKJV)

### **Come to your Heavenly Father:**

- Heavenly Father wants to give good things to those who ask Him ... therefore **ASK!**  
"If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those that ask Him!" **MATT 7:11** (NKJV)

- Heavenly Father has promised you power from on high ... need to **WAIT!**  
“Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high.” **LUKE 24:49** (NKJV)
- Heavenly Father wants you to glorify Him ... be His **WITNESS!**  
“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.” **MATT 5:16** (NKJV)

### **Conclusion**

People will know your Heavenly Father when you have come to Him!