Interactive Reading – Wise & Foolish Builders

(Luke 6:46-49 • Matthew 7:24-27 • Hope-Anchor Psalm 18:2, 46)

Leader (Luke 6:46) Why do **we** call You "Lord, Lord," and **not do** what You say?

Congregation (Matthew 7:24) Whoever among us hears these words of Yours and does them is like a wise person who built our house on the rock.

Leader (Matthew 7:25) The rain fell, the floods came, the winds blew—they beat against that house—

Congregation (Matthew 7:25) yet it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock!

Leader (Luke 6:48a) We are builders who dug deep—

Congregation (Luke 6:48a) and laid our foundation on the rock.

Leader (Matthew 7:26) But if any of us hears and does not do these words,

Congregation (Matthew 7:26) we are like a foolish person who built our house on the sand.

Leader (Luke 6:49) The river burst against that house—it fell at once, and great was our ruin.

Congregation (Matthew 7:27) The rain fell, the floods came, the winds blew, beat against that house—and great was our fall.

Hope-Anchor (Psalm-Echo Finish)

Leader (Psalm 18:2a): But the LORD is our Rock, our Fortress, our Deliverer.

Congregation (Psalm 18:2b): He is our Shield and the Horn of our Salvation!

All (Psalm 18:46): The LORD lives, and blessed be our Rock!