Your Rest, Father

Hebrews 4:1-11

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O Father,
You speak so much life-changing truth,
      but I act on so little.
You give so many wonderful gifts,
      but I fully accept so few.
You offer such deep peace,
       but how little I experience –
all because of my unbelief,
because my heart is focused elsewhere.
I spend too much of my life
      desiring lesser things,
      looking elsewhere for my
             peace and
             joy.
You offer me Your rest, and Lord,
      that is what I want.
I want to relax in Your doing,
      not mine.
I want my confidence to be in You,
      not me.
I want to find joy in Your goodness
       rather than seeking to prove my own.
I want every word, every act, every attitude to be done
      from You.
      through You, and
      to You.
Father, You are holding out such a great salvation,
      reaching to every need in
      every corner of my life and being.
In response, I am taking one step of faith to You
       right now.
Teach me.
Guide me.
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Draw me. Fill me.

Hymn: Resting in the Lord

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