

God's Beautiful Disciplined Church: Engage in Worship  
Week's Reading: John 4:1-26; Ephesians 5:15-20; Psalm 27:4;  
Romans 1:20; Hebrews 10:24-25; Acts 2:42-47  
Discussion Guide: July 24, 2022

**CHECK UP:**

Memory Work Review:

*Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. – 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

- The best way to learn to pray, is to pray. How did you live in prayer this past week?

**OPEN:**

- In what ways do you find it most easily to worship God?

**READ and ASK: Matthew 4:10; John 4:19-26; Acts 16:16-28;  
Ephesians 5:15-20; Psalm 29:2, 95:6-7, 109:30; Romans 12:1**

- How would you define worship?
- What does Jesus teach about worship in Matthew 4 and John 4?
  - o What does it mean to worship in Spirit and truth?
- How can we worship (like Paul and Silas) even when are situations are poor?
  - o From Acts 16, how does Paul and Silas challenge you in your worship?
- After reading these passages on worship, what stands out to you most?
  - o Are there other passages of scripture that are significant to you in relation to worship?
- How is worship both individual and corporate?

**APPLY:**

- What difficulties have you had trying to spend time worshiping God away from church?
  - o What have you learned that might help you or others?
  - o When could you set aside some time for personal worship?

- What has your attitude been as you came into the worship service in the last few weeks?
  - o How would taking a few minutes to prepare your heart for worship be beneficial to your corporate worship?
    - What would you focus on during that time?
  - o If you need to, how can you adjust your attitude so that you can enjoy the idea of worshipping together?
  
- On a scale of 1 to 10, how passionate is your adoration of God?
  - o How much are you focusing on who God is and what good things he is doing in your life?
  - o How distracted by the circumstances of your life have you been and how can you stop and refocus your attention on God?
  
- NEXT STEP: One is one clear step you need to take in order to worship God more fully?

Memory Work:

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. - Romans 12:1

Next Week's Reading:

Matthew 23:23; 2 Corinthians 9:6-8; Matthew 6:24;  
Romans 12:3-8; 1 Corinthians 12:1-10