

## Worship Guide 12/5/2021

### **Call to Worship**

Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:5-11

### **Worshiping God by Singing**

**Jesus!**

The King of all creation  
set aside His crown  
A servant to the Father's love,  
descended from His throne above

Author of salvation,  
Giver of new life  
Crucified to pay for sin;  
our righteousness is in the name of

Jesus, every heart and tongue

confess Your name above all names  
All things of this earth belong to You,  
forever you will reign

God of resurrection,  
Conqueror of death  
Ruler over everything,  
the Lord of lords and King of kings is

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confess Your name above all names  
All things of this earth belong to You,  
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Highly exalted is the name of Jesus Christ  
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## Worshiping God by Confessing Our Faith

*Nicene Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of his Father before all worlds:  
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,  
begotten, not made; being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made:

Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven,  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried;  
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,  
and ascended into heaven,  
and sits on the right hand of the Father.  
And he shall come again with glory  
to judge both the living and the dead  
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
The Lord, and Giver of Life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
together is worshipped and glorified;  
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
And I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come.  
Amen.

## Worshipping God by Singing

### Of The Father's Love Begotten

Of the Father's love begotten  
Ere the worlds began to be  
He is Alpha and Omega  
He the source, the ending He  
Of the things that are, that have been,  
And that future years shall see,  
evermore and evermore

O that birth forever blessed  
When the virgin, full of grace  
By the Holy Ghost conceiving  
Bore the Savior of our race  
And the babe, the world's Redeemer  
First revealed His sacred face,  
evermore and evermore

This is He whom heav'n-taught singers  
Sang of old with one accord  
Whom the Scriptures of the prophets  
Promised in their faithful word  
Now He shines, the long-expected  
Let creation praise its Lord,  
evermore and evermore

O ye heights of heav'n, adore Him  
Angel-hosts, His praises sing  
All dominions bow before Him  
And extol our God and King  
Let no tongue on earth be silent  
Ev'ry voice in concert ring,  
evermore and evermore

Christ to Thee, with God the Father  
And, O Holy Ghost, to Thee  
Hymn and chant and high thanksgiving  
And unwearied praises be  
Honor, glory, and dominion  
And eternal victory,  
evermore and evermore

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## Prayer

Missionary of the Week:

Child Evangelism Fellowship

Community Church of the Week:

First Baptist Missionary Church  
Rev. George Windley

Presbytery Church of the Week:

Mullins Presbyterian Church  
Rev. Jason Brewer

## Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Series: *God in the Flesh*

Sermon: *More Than Just a Man*

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. <sup>3</sup> All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made.

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 11:1-3, 14

According to the Scriptures, Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ than  
\_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.

While there is \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ in how these  
particulars about Jesus work together, there is \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

If these Scriptural claims are true, we \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus.

Action point:

\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ to consider  
\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus really is.

Let's \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ enough this Christmas season to  
ruminate about Jesus.

## **Worshiping God by Celebrating the Lord's Supper**

1 Corinthians 11:23-32

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes. Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many of you are weak and ill, and some have died. But if we judged ourselves truly, we would not be judged. But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world.

## **Worshiping God by Singing**

### **Behold Our God**

Who has held the oceans in His hands?  
Who has numbered every grain of sand?  
Kings and nations tremble at His voice

All creation rises to rejoice.

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him!

Who has given counsel to the Lord?  
Who can question any of His Words?  
Who can teach the One who knows all things?  
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him!

Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?  
God eternal humbled to the grave  
Jesus, Savior risen now to reign!

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him!

You will reign forever, (Let Your glory fill the earth)  
You will reign forever, (Let Your glory fill the earth)  
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Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him!

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## **Benediction**

May you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

*2 Peter 3:18*