

Living Hope: Hearts on Fire

Reflect

1. How would you define worship?
2. What do you love most about worship?
3. What is worship for? Why worship?

Read Your Bible

- Psalm 100
- Luke 24:30-35

Apply God's Word to Your Life

1. What spoke to you in our texts today?
2. How do you worship?
3. Is corporate worship the only way to worship?
4. Have you ever had a Road to Emmaus moment where your heart burned within you from the resurrection reality of Jesus?
5. Why is worshipping together important?
6. How does worship change us/you?
7. What attributes of God does Psalm 100 teach us about?
8. Why is God alone worthy of our worship?

Conclusion

Everyone was made to worship. It is how God wired you. It is how you were made. The question is not do you worship, but what or who do you worship. Gathering together to sing, read God's Word, learn, and share in the sacraments is an important part of our worship. However, it is not all of what worship is. Worship is when our hearts turn to God in love in Jesus Christ. Worship is when we thank and praise God with our whole heart. Every day we can worship God. Worship reminds me that God is in control and I am not. Worship reminds me to place my trust, my hope, and my life in God's sovereign hands. It orientates our life away from the false idols and sin of this world to the one who can truly fulfill and heal our souls. You were made to worship! What or who are you worshipping?

Pray

Father, You are good, and You alone are worthy of our praise. Every moment and every breath belong to You. May our hearts and minds, bodies and souls bring You thanks and praise. Fill us with Your joy! May praise flow from our lips and thanksgiving overflow from our hearts. May we worship You with our whole heart. We love You and praise Your name! In Jesus' name! Amen.