Meeting God in Worship - Part 1

*Encountering the Presence of God in Worship* – Isaiah 6:1-8

Objectives

1 – Examine what the Bible teaches about worship

2 – Deepen our relationship with God through our worship

3 – Respond to God in greater ways

Isiah 6:1-8

An example of a Biblical worship experience

Process of worship

1 – The revelation of God

2 – The realization of God’s holiness

3 – The recognition of our own sinfulness

4 – A renewed perspective

5 – A response

Applications

1 – Spend time in worship each day

2 – Listen to worship music

3 – Hide God’s Word in your heart

4 – Ask God to search your heart

5 – Keep an open heart to respond to God

Meeting God in Worship - Part 2

*Encountering the Power of God in Worship* – 1 Kings 18

Three Observations

1 – Worship was the issue at Mt. Carmel

2 – The people encountered the power of God

3 – They responded in worship

Four Concepts

1 – Relationship

2 – Repentance

3 – Rulership

4 – Renewal

1 – It brings a new perspective

2 – It brings a desire to obey

3 – It helps us see God’s sovereignty

4 – It gives us rest

5 – It brings us power

When God’s power is released, we experience:

1 – An authentic sense of God’s presence

2 – Conviction

3 – Deliverance

4 – Strength

5 – A sensitivity to His voice

6 – An eternal perspective

Meeting God in Worship - Part 3

*Expressing Our Worship to God*– Hebrews 13:11-16

Objectives

1 – Examine what the Bible teaches about worship

2 – Deepen our relationship with God through our worship

3 – Respond to God in greater ways

Pattern of Worship



The **priority** of Worship

The **preparation** for worship

The **practice** of worship

The **product** of worship

Jesus’ death on the cross…

…fulfilled the Law

…removed the barrier

…provided intimacy with the Father

Our praise is to be…

…continual

…sacrificial

….audible

Meeting God in Worship - Part 4

*Don’t Miss the Gathering* – Hebrews 10:19-25

Introduction:

Corporate worship is important…

…because it reminds us of the work of Christ

…because if affects key areas of our lives

We re-orient our faith

We restore our hope

We resolve to love

Meeting God in Worship - Part 5

*Enjoying God in Worship* – John 12:1-26

Introduction:

Mary (1-11)

1. Risk
2. Extravagance

The Crowds (12-19)

1. Personal not private

**P**ersonal

**R**everence

**A**ppreciative

**I**lluminating

**S**incere

**E**nthusiastic

The Greeks (20-26)

1. Seeking
2. Teachable
3. Unashamed