

SOME THINGS TO BRING TO WORSHIP

BRING YOURSELF!

Determine to be present in worship, to not forsake assembling together (Hebrews 10:25). Be like the early Christians who continued steadfastly together (Acts 2:42). Remember, worship is not a “spectator sport” – be an active participant!

BRING YOUR BIBLE!

There is a connection between worship and Scripture (see Acts 8:27-28). Bring your Bible to worship and search the Scriptures (John 5:39; Acts 17:11). Allow God’s Word to guide you (Psalm 119:105).

BRING YOUR ZEAL!

Enter into the worship of God with zeal, fervor, eager interest, enthusiasm, and ardent devotion. Be glad to go to the house of the Lord (Psalm 122:1). We have a new and living way by which we can approach unto God (Hebrews 10:19-25).

BRING YOUR HEART!

Man’s heart is involved in true worship (Hebrews 10:22; Matthew 15:8-9; Colossians 3:23). To worship in spirit (John 2:24) is to worship in sincerity (Joshua 24:14) – with the heart. Love God with all your heart (Matthew 22:37-38).

BRING YOUR REVERENCE!

Our worship must be characterized by reverence: deep respect, honor, love, and awe for God (see Hebrews 12:28-29; Habakkuk 2:20; Psalm 89:7). In worship, always think about why you are here, what you are doing and how you are doing it.

BRING YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!

When Peter met with Cornelius, he found Cornelius had invited his kinsmen and near friends to be present, to hear what God commanded (Acts 10:24, 33). We also invite our friends to worship, to hear the Gospel.

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