

OPENING DISCUSSION

What thoughts come to mind when you think about worship?

How would you define worship?



SERMON

What does Psalm 100 say about the importance of singing?

Read Ephesians 5:18-21. What does Paul add to our understanding of singing as worship?

Why is singing such an important part of worship?

What does this Psalm tell us about God? Why is it important to know and worship God as He is as opposed to how we may want Him to be?

Why is it important to be intentional about our worship of God? Why is worshipping with others an important part of worship?

How does worship lead us into a deeper and more meaningful relationship with God?

APPLICATION

When do you most feel like worshipping?

What helps you get into a spirit of worship?

What part does singing play in your worship?

When it comes to worship, what part does your serving play?

Why is it important to really know God as He is before we can worship him?

Why is it important to “come to worship God?” Why should worship cost us something? What does this look like in your life?

How will you make worshipping God a priority this year?

Not a part of a Life Group at North Hills? Visit the church website and check out the different groups currently meeting. When you see one that interests you, click on the link provided and know that everyone will be glad you came!
<https://church.north-hills.org/connect/small-group-ministry>

NORTH HILLS CHURCH

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Authentic

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!
Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence
with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts
with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!
For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

Psalm 100 (ESV)

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2021-2022 Sermon Series: Authentic

Authentic Church: God Exalting

Psalm 100

AUTHENTIC PRINCIPLE:

An authentic church _____ God with a heart of _____.

1. _____ praises to God. (Psalm 100:1)

2. _____ the Lord. (Psalm 100:2)

3. _____ the true God. (Psalm 100:3)

4. _____ for worship. (Psalm 100:4-5)

RESPONSE:

How is your _____?

Read the entire Bible chronologically in a year

See the church newsletter for this week's Bible reading passages

(<https://church.north-hills.org/newsletters/weekly-newsletter>)



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INVITES YOU TO OUR
OPEN HOUSE
FOR 2022-2023 ENROLLMENT ON
TUESDAY, JANUARY 18
6:30 - 8 PM
RAFFLES FOR ENROLLMENT FEES
CAMPUS TOURS
MEET TEACHERS
Q & A
ENROLLMENT WILL OPEN JANUARY 18



Collecting food for the Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano

North Hills is collecting non-perishable food to help people in need throughout the community. According to their website, an astounding 1 in 9 residents turn to the Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano for emergency and supplemental food. For those who are unable to make ends meet, the Food Bank helps cover one of life's basic needs — nutritious food. You will find a large barrel at the **main entrance** and **senior parking lot entrance** of the Worship Center. Together, let's demonstrate God's love by filling both barrels and helping people experiencing hunger or food insecurity in the community.

Upward Basketball

We still have opportunities for people to serve as coaches and referees for the upcoming season. To sign up, go to church.north-hills.org/upward-basketball.

Coaches Training - January 20 (7:00 - 8:00 p.m.) and January 23 (2:00 - 3:00 p.m.)

Referee Training - January 23 (12:30 - 1:30 p.m.) and January 27 (7:00 - 8:00 p.m.)

Outdoor Children's Ministry on Sunday mornings

Parents and guardians, we ask that you go to the **main entrance** of the Worship Center to check your child in. After service, please go to the Preschool Playground in a timely fashion to check your child out. While our Sunday morning Children's Worship is designed for children, it is not mandatory children attend. Parents and guardians are welcome to keep their children with them in the Worship Center if they prefer.

Communication Cards and Offering Envelopes

At the **main entrance** and **senior parking lot entrance** of the Worship Center, you will find special new boxes when you leave today. If you have filled out a Communication Card or Offering Envelope, please insert them into either of the boxes (please note the boxes will remain out for 15 minutes after the service). For those who prefer to contribute online, simply go to north-hills.org and click on Support NH or text GIVE to (707) 289-7600.