

# **We** “intend to worship”

“God is most glorified in us, when we are most satisfied in Him.” Pastor John Piper

## **Worship Memory Verse: Psalm 145:2**

Every day I will praise you  
and extol your name forever and ever.

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### **Lesson:**

Read Psalm 145

Pastor Galley often ask the kids at Kids Club, “*Why do we Praise Him?*” and they respond in an extremely loud yell, “*Because He’s Worthy!*” which is so true and is how we should respond.

- What words from Psalm 145 describe why He’s worthy?

He is King. He is greater than I can fathom. He has performed mighty acts time after time. His glorious splendor and majesty lead me to praise. His wonderful works (like creation; the sunset, the ocean, the mountains, animals, and the amazing complexity of the human body and mind). His power. His great deeds. His abundant goodness to us. His righteousness. He is compassionate and full of grace. He is rich in love and He is slow to anger. He is good to all. His Kingdom is full of His glory and it is everlasting. His dominion is not temporary but endures forever. He is faithful and loving toward all creation. He upholds me when I fall and when I bow before Him he lifts me up. He provides for my every need. He is near me whenever I call out to Him and He fulfills my desires and saves me. He watches over me and destroys the enemy.

- Verse #3 says, “His greatness no one can fathom.” What does that mean to you?

Ask people to think and consider this verse. As them to venture to think about God being greater than their imagination can take them to. He is greater than our imagination! We still have a lot to discover about God. We should be every day asking Him to reveal Himself in a greater way in our lives. This could be a practice every day of our lives and we will never reach completion of knowing all there is to know about our great God.

- Do you ever stop to pause and reflect on the many amazing attributes and greatness of God in order to prepare yourself for worship? Why do you praise Him?

Use this question to discuss the process of preparing ourselves to come into the presence of God in worship. We live very distracted, busy lives and if we do not intentionally prepare ourselves for meeting God, we may miss it. Praying to invite the Holy Spirit to reveal Himself and thinking on the greatness of God will move you into an acknowledgement of His presence.

- How is worship in your life more than just a Sunday morning ritual?

Ask the group to share about their private worship life. Ask, outside the Sunday morning experience, how do the experience God and worship Him with their lives on a daily basis?

- The song, Made to Worship, listed below reads that “you and I were made to worship”. Do you agree with that statement? Why or why not?

Discuss the very fact that we were made to worship God.

### ➤ Made to Worship

Before the day  
Before the light  
Before the world revolved around the sun  
God on high  
Stepped down into time  
And wrote the story of His love for everyone

He has filled our hearts with wonder  
So that we always remember

You and I were made to worship  
You and I are called to love  
You and I are forgiven and free  
You and I embrace surrender  
You and I choose to believe  
You and I will see who we were meant to be

All we are  
And all we have  
Is all a gift from God that we receive  
Brought to life  
We open up our eyes  
To see the majesty and glory of the King

And even the rocks cry out  
And even the Heavens shout  
At the sound of His holy name  
So let every voice sing out  
And let every knee bow down  
He is worthy of all our praise

## Daily Devotional Reading:

- Day #1: Psalm 145:1-4
  - My Word's back to God in Prayer & Praise:
  
- Day #2: Psalm 145:5-9
  - My Word's back to God in Prayer & Praise:
  
- Day #3: Psalm 145:10-13
  - My Word's back to God in Prayer & Praise:
  
- Day #4: Psalm 145:14-17
  - My Word's back to God in Prayer & Praise:
  
- Day #5: Psalm 145:18-21
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