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The LCU Worship Academy is a training course designed for LCU students who are passionate about developing their gifts. The world, now more than ever, needs strong men and women of God who are willing to grow in their anointing to lead others into the presence of God with worship.



Q1 starts - the HEAD

Q3 starts - the HOW

Final class and Go!



Q2 starts - the HEART

Q4 starts - the HARVEST

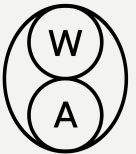
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the HEAD

the heart

the how

the harvest



loving God with your **MIND.**



the most important commandment:

MARK 12:29-30

Jesus answered, “The most important is,
‘Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God,
the Lord is one. And you shall love the Lord
your God with all your heart and with all
your soul and with all your mind and with all
your strength.’

right thinking...

1. Jesus modeled the practice of alignment and obedience:
(Hebrews 5:8, John 5:19, Luke 2:49, Mark 1:35, Luke 5:16)
2. We cannot properly obey God without accurate understanding:
(2 Peter 1:2-3, John 17:13, 1 Cor. 2:16, Phil 2:5)
3. God's word **MUST** be our primary source and our “first lens”
4. **HIS WORD & HIS SPIRIT** > our experience & our preference

Value, Believe and Obey the Bible...

Psalm 12:6

Psalm 19:7-11

Isaiah 55:10-12

2 Timothy 3:14-16

Psalm 138 - just wow

Hebrews 4:12

Isaiah 40:8

John 17:17



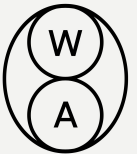
in order to know *HOW* to worship...

we must know *WHO* to worship

do people have an innate desire to worship?

if yes, why?

ISAIAH 43:21



who is worship for?

who created it?

...the lucifer lesson
Isaiah 14:12 // Ezekiel 28

WHAT DOES GOD NEED?

_____!

(hint: it rhymes with “nothing”)

what does God *prefer*? He's a person

acceptable sacrifices (thanks & praise)

full devotion, faith, confidence, cheerful givers (“abel attitudes”)

worship in spirit and in truth, pure hearts, unity, closeness, testimony, new songs, ascription, music (instruments & voices), volume, bodily action

HONORING JESUS

He also must *really* like being called “**HOLY**”



acceptable sacrifices

PROVERBS 15:8 (HOLINESS matters to HIM)

HEBREWS 13:14-16

PSALM 51:17

ROMANS 12:1

PSALM 69:30-31

deeper look into acceptable sacrifices - GEN 4

What was the deal with Cain's sacrifice - NOT that God prefers meat over fruit!

It was about attitude, posture, motive and faith.

God said “if you do well (to be good, glad, joyful) will you not be accepted (elevated)?” Abel had a different attitude.

HEB 11 Cain just brought some fruit, Abel brought his *first* fruit.

Prov 21:26-27 // Abel is v26, Cain is v27

bonus thought: God LOVES redeeming stuff!

Gen 4:21 - Jubal = the father of all those who play the lyre and pipe.

notice he is the 7th from cain?!? JUBILEE!

Zeph 3:10 - shall bring my offering = “yubal my gift”

our **FULL** devotion (another preference of God's)

***2 Chron 15:12-15**

WHOLE HEART:

1 KINGS 8:61

1 SAMUEL 12:24

PSALM 9:1

PSALM 138:1

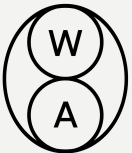
TRUE HEART

HEB 10:19-23

ALL YOUR HEART

PROV 3:5-6

MARK 12:29-31



what else does God prefer?

FAITH

Hebrews 11:6

without faith it is impossible to please Him,
for whoever would draw near to God must believe that He
exists and that he rewards those who seek Him.

Confidence...God likes it :)

HEBREWS 4:16

HEBREWS 10:19-23

confidence = *parrēsia*

A. freedom in speaking, unreservedness in speech

1. openly, frankly, i.e without concealment
2. without ambiguity

B. free and fearless confidence, cheerful courage, boldness, assurance



God prefers **worship in spirit & in truth...**

actually he *demand*s it... “those who worship **MUST** worship in Spirit and in Truth.”

John 4 - we will have an entire class on this later

clean HANDS & *pure* HEARTS - PSALM 24:1-6

purity is so much more than just refraining from bad things...

purity is about being *sincere, undefiled, a vessel set apart for honorable use for HIM!*

confession - 1 John 1:9 - see the connection to cleanliness?

cheerful givers/Abel attitudes - PSALM 100

UNiTY – psalm 133 & Colossians 3:13-14

HUMiLiTY – james 4:6-8 & Isaiah 66:2

CLOSENESS – james 4:8, Jeremiah
29:13, Psalm 145:18



NEW songs - Isaiah 42:10, PSALM 96:1, REV 5:9,
PSALM 40:3, REV 14:3, PSALM 33:3

Ascription - 1 Chron 16:28-29, Psalm 29:1-2, Psalm 96:7-8

A listening ear - Psalm 40:6

What else does God prefer?

SINGING

1 CHRON 16:23

COLOSSIANS 3:15-17

PSALM 9:11

JEREMIAH 20:13

JAMES 5:13

PSALM 147:7

ISAIAH 55:10-12

EPHESIANS 5:18-20

I think He really likes it! He even sings over us! Zeph 3:17



TESTiMONY!!!!!!

PSALM 96:3

LUKE 8:39

PSALM 71:15-16

REVELATION 12:11

PSALM 40:10

instruments - psalm 33:1-3, Psalm 150:3-5

our strength & bodies...

Clapping - Psalm 47:1

Dancing - Psalm 149:3-4, Psalm 150:4

Bowing/kneeling - Psalm 95:6, Ezra 9:5, Psalm 138:2

Raising hands - 1 Timothy 2:8, Psalm 134:2, Psalm 141:2

Lying prostrate (face down) = position of reverence
and receiving.

- We see Jesus do this in Matthew 26:39

- Aaron and Moses in Numbers 16:22 and 20:6

- Joshua does this in Joshua 5:14

- Angels in Heaven do this in Revelation 7:11

VOLUME!!!!

Think about it.

1 CHRON 15:16

PSALM 150:6

PSALM 71:23

PSALM 33:3

PSALM 98:4

REV 19:6

ZEPH 3:17 (He rejoices OVER us with loud singing!!!)

He *REALLLY* loves when we
HONOR His Son!

REVELATION CHAPTER 5!!!

MATTHEW 17:5

being called “HOLY”

REVELATION 4:8

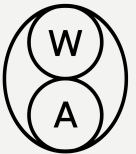
the four living creatures, each of them with six wings,

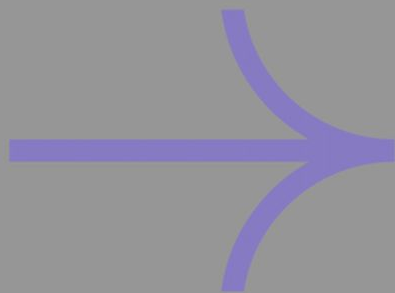
are full of eyes all around and within,

day and night they **NEVER** cease to say,

“Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty,

who was and is and is to come!”





God hasn't left us clueless about what He wants and
how He wants to be worship...

that is so great for us!





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FIRST QUARTER SPECIAL DATES:

OCT 21 // Eddie James @ ACADEMY & ENCOUNTER

OCT 23 & 27 // Audition Dates (reply to Kristin's email)

NOV 4 // Eric Gilmour @ Worship Academy





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