





**Why** do we worship? Why do we do in our worship **what** we do? **Who** came up with it?



### Colossians 3: God tells us to do certain things

-  **3:1** - seek the things that are \_\_\_\_\_
-  **3:2** - set your \_\_\_\_\_ on things that are above
-  **3:12-14** - put \_\_\_\_ ...kindness ... patience ... love...
-  **3:15** - be \_\_\_\_\_

But **how?** **Where** do I find those things? **What helps?**

### WORSHIP helps! Notice what God has told us:

- ❖ Why do we **read Scripture**? (Col 3:16)  
Let the word of Christ dwell \_\_\_\_\_ you richly...
- ❖ Why do we **sing**? (Col 3:16)  
...teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, \_\_\_\_\_  
And what instrument do we use? (Eph 5:19)  
...making melody to the Lord with your \_\_\_\_\_.
- ❖ Why observe **the Lord's Supper**? (1 Cor 11:23-26)  
...when he had given \_\_\_\_\_  
"Do this...in \_\_\_\_\_ of me."  
...you \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord's death until he comes.
- ❖ Why do we **pray**? (1 Tim 2:1)  
...supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for \_\_\_\_\_ people.
- ❖ Why **preaching**? (2 Tim 3:16-4:2)  
All Scripture is breathed out by God... \_\_\_\_\_  
the \_\_\_\_\_

### For Class & Family Discussion:

- Let's pick up right there in **Colossians 3:17**. What does it mean to "do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus"?
- Let's think about the word *worship*. It's pretty close to the word *worth*. What am I doing when I "worship"?
- Do you remember the story of Jesus and the Samaritan woman at the well in **John 4**? He told her something really important about worship in **4:19-24**. What can we learn from what he taught that day?
- Let's think about what we did in worship this morning. How did doing those things God told us to do help us to...
  - "**Set**" our minds on things that are above?
  - "**Put on**" kindness, patience, and love?
  - "**Be thankful**"?

### This Wednesday:

**Does it really matter HOW we worship?**