



## The Why Behind the What - Attitude

Sunday, November 12, 2017

### **Lesson:**

*Why do we do things the way we do while we are gathered together on Sunday mornings? It is the why behind the what - and today we wrap up the series by looking at our approach to worship, the attitude we have as we come to gather together.*

### **ICEBREAKER:**

If you had to pick one of the acts of worship as your favorite - singing, praying, scripture, preaching/teaching, communion, giving - what would it be and why?

### **QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION:**

1. How often do you just get in the car to go to “church” without ever thinking if you’re mentally prepared to go?
2. Micah 6:1-8; Isaiah 58:1-7; Jeremiah 7:1-11; Amos 5:21-23 -- these passages have a similar theme that was discussed in the sermon. What was that theme?
3. Why in these passages does God not like, accept, or want the worship they are offering?
4. How do you connect worship with your life?
5. How do people place “going to church” above God? How do people substitute going to church for God?
6. What’s wrong with the phrase “going to church?”
7. So how do you “prepare” for worship with the church family? What are some steps you can follow to live your life as worship instead of just doing it on Sundays and Wednesdays?