

WHY WE
LOVE
THIS CHURCH

Introduction

In Part 6, the pastors reflect with gratitude on the church's culture of genuine worship and the many sacred moments they have shared together. They emphasize that worship is more than Sunday singing—it is a lifestyle of surrender, humility, and love for Jesus.

They close by encouraging us all to look ahead with expectancy, trusting that the best days are still to come.

Part 6: Because You Are Passionate Worshippers

Revelation 4:9-11
9Whenever the living creatures give glory, honor and thanks
to him who sits on the throne and who lives for ever and ever,
10the twenty-four elders fall down before him who sits on the
throne and worship him who lives for ever and ever. They lay
their crowns before the throne and say:

11"You are worthy, our Lord and God,
to receive glory and honor and power,
for you created all things,
and by your will they were created
and have their being."

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Message notes:

The ordinary days that turned out to be _____ days because we rang the bell.

It's not just singing songs for us. It's _____. It's connecting with God. It's in having an encounter with God.

May worship forever be one of the _____ that people will walk in.

True worshipers worship all through the _____.

We're Jesus people, and we love Him. And that will _____ change.

We're just people that have been _____ by His grace.

Be expectant. Anticipate the _____.

The best days are ahead because of _____. And we're going to just continue to keep our eyes on Him and worship Him.

Additional notes:

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Discussion Questions:

1. The message describes worship as something that must be cultivated throughout the entire week, not just on Sundays. In what practical ways can you or do you intentionally build a lifestyle of worship into your daily routine?

2. Revelation 4:9-11 describes the 24 elders laying their crowns before the throne as an act of surrender and adoration. What crowns, achievements, or sources of pride might God be calling you to lay down before Him?

3. Pastors Kim and Jamie emphasize that God is a very big deal while leaders are not, and that taking yourself too seriously is a danger in ministry. Where in your own life might pride or self-importance be crowding out a humble posture before God and others?

4. Pastor Jamie uses the anticipation of Christmas Eve as a metaphor for living with expectancy toward God's future promises. In what areas of your life do you need to recapture a sense of holy expectation for what God is going to do?

5. The message closes by declaring that the best days of the church are still ahead, rooted in confidence in Jesus rather than in past success. How do you hold onto faith and forward-looking hope during seasons of transition, uncertainty, or personal loss?

Ministry Time:

Pray for Pastors Jamie and Kim, Pastor Jasen and his family, and our church leadership team as we move through our transition. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide them with wisdom, unity, peace, and expectancy for the best days ahead.

Close your time together by inviting group members to offer a short sentence of praise or gratitude to God. Then pray for the Holy Spirit to cultivate a spirit of expectancy for what God has ahead for each individual in the room.