

SEQUOIA NOTES

Today's Sequoia @10:10 Message...

Worship the King

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Psalm 24

- ¹ *The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it.
The world and all its people belong to him.*
- ² *For he laid the earth's foundation on the seas
and built it on the ocean depths.*
- ³ *Who may climb the mountain of the Lord?
Who may stand in his holy place?*
- ⁴ *Only those whose hands and hearts are pure,
who do not worship idols
and never tell lies.*
- ⁵ *They will receive the Lord's blessing
and have a right relationship with God their savior.*
- ⁶ *Such people may seek you
and worship in your presence, O God of Jacob.*
- ⁷ *Open up, ancient gates!
Open up, ancient doors,
and let the King of glory enter.*
- ⁸ *Who is the King of glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty;
the Lord, invincible in battle.*
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and let the King of glory enter.*
- ¹⁰ *Who is the King of glory?
The Lord of Heaven's Armies—
he is the King of glory.*

Big Idea: Worship and welcome Jesus Christ, the eternal King.

- 🎧 The greatness of God compels us towards worship (v. 1)
- 🎧 Worship requires our all for God (vs. 3-4)
- 🎧 Pure worship welcomes the blessing of God (vs. 5-6)
- 🎧 The response of true worship (v. 7)

"Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me."

(Revelation 3:20, ESV)

*The Translation of the Bible Scriptures used in today's 10:10 service
are from the New Living Translation (NLT).*



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 - In what ways have we been living out our **family** identity recently? How will we do this in the next couple weeks?
 - How have we lived as **servants** to one another or to our world this past week? What needs or opportunities to serve is God asking us to lean into?
 - How have we lived **on mission** where we live, work, play, or went this past week? Who do we know that needs to hear the good news of Jesus?
- 2) What did you find most helpful, encouraging, or challenging in this message?
- 3) “The world and all its people belong to God.” What is your response or feeling to this statement? Does God seem powerful or possessive? Why is this statement essential when considering the topic of “worship”?
- 4) Read Psalm 24:3-4. Is it possible to have hands and hearts that are pure and which never tell lies? If so, how?
- 5) What are some of the common idols in our world that might keep us from solely worshipping God? (Not statues or anything like that but rather anything that might keep us from God.)
- 6) Read verse 5. Pure worship allows us to have a right relationship with God. What does that practically look like?
- 7) Read verse 6. How would you describe what worshipping in God’s presence looks/feels like?
- 8) How might your Impact Community help each other continually “open the gates” and let the King of glory be fully present in our lives?



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