

# RIVERS CROSSING COMMUNITY CHURCH

Community Group Discussion Guide  
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## Courageous Faith for Crazy Times – Week #2

### INTRO:

As you've paid attention to culture this week, what stands out to you the most about the contrast between culture and your faith?

### DIVE IN:

**This week we're diving into worship. Read together Daniel 3:1-12 and then discuss the following questions:**

1. As we talk about worship, take the time to create a working definition of worship for your group. Pull out the notepad and make a list. What is worship? What is not worship? Create a succinct definition.
2. In verse 4, music was the sign that they had to worship the stature. Explain the connection between music and worship. Do you believe the kind of music you listen to will lead you to worship the right or wrong things? Why or why not?
3. The punishment for not worship was death – they didn't have freedom to worship as they wanted. How much do you take your freedom to worship Jesus for granted?
4. Pastor Paul pointed out that the same instruments can be used for both idol worship and genuine worship. What have you seen in your life that can be used for idol or genuine worship depending on the focus and the heart?
5. As you define worship – what are you worshipping? Be honest... Is it God + something else – work, kids, money, power, etc...?
6. King Nebby set up the system to have music as a trigger for worship. What triggers your worship, either for God or other things?
7. How do you respond to triggers the cue your worship of things that are not healthy?

### NOW WHAT:

1. What part of this week's message has had the greatest impact on you? What truth(s) has God taught you through the message and our group discussion?
2. What do you need to do with that truth this week to become a fully engaged follower of Jesus?