

The Oaks Community Church
Worship Guide



May 28, 2023

I. Worship, Praise, & Thanksgiving

Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:5-6 (NIV)

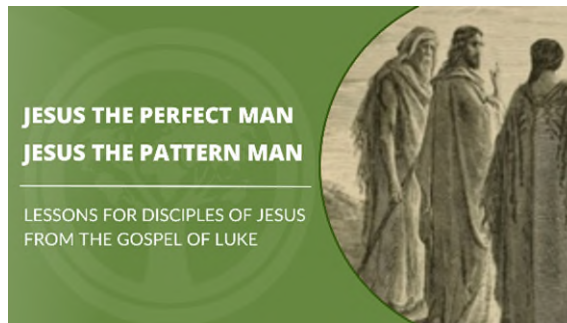
II. Family Confession & Greeting

Alliance Core Value #1

Lost people matter to God. He wants them found.

“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”

Luke 19:10 (NIV)



“Nothing Is Impossible With God”

Luke 18:18-30

Pastor Gary Barber

- The rich young ruler

¹⁸ A certain ruler asked him, “Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” ¹⁹ “Why do you call me good?” Jesus answered. “No one is good—except God alone. ²⁰ You know the commandments: ‘You shall not commit adultery, you shall not murder, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, honor your father and mother.’” ²¹ “All these I have kept since I was a boy,” he said. ²² When Jesus heard this, he said to him, “You still lack one thing. Sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me.” ²³ When he heard this, he became very sad, because he was very wealthy. Luke 18:18-23 (NIV)

²⁴ Jesus looked at him and said, "How hard it is for the rich to enter the kingdom of God! ²⁵ Indeed, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁶ Those who heard this asked, "Who then can be saved?" ²⁷ Jesus replied, "What is impossible with man is possible with God." ²⁸ Peter said to him, "We have left all we had to follow you!" ²⁹ "Truly I tell you," Jesus said to them, "no one who has left home or wife or brothers or sisters or parents or children for the sake of the kingdom of God ³⁰ will fail to receive many times as much in this age, and in the age to come eternal life."
Luke 18:24-30 (NIV)

❖ Nothing is impossible with God

"For nothing will be impossible with God." Luke 1:37 (ESV)

➤ Genesis 18:14; Jeremiah 32:17; Zechariah 8:6; Matthew 19:26; Mark 10:27

"Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh; is anything too difficult for Me?" Jeremiah 32:27 (NASB)

➤ What are you facing that is too difficult for you?

God + impossible = possible

III. Worshipping God through Our Offerings

Stewardship Principle #7

You can't outgive God. He always blesses generous givers.

"What I mean is this: the one who sows a small number of seeds will also reap a small crop, and the one who sows a generous amount of seeds will also reap a generous crop. Everyone should give whatever they have decided in their heart. They shouldn't give with hesitation or because of pressure. God loves a cheerful giver."
II Corinthians 9:6, 7 (CEB)

"Bring all the tithes into the storehouse so that there will be food enough in my temple; if you do, I will open up the windows of heaven for you and pour out a blessing so great you won't have room enough to take it in! Try it! Let me prove it to you!"
Malachi 3:10 (TLB)

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