

Back to the Future Church

Live and Breathe God

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¹I will extol the LORD at all times; his praise will always be on my lips. ²My soul will boast in the LORD; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. ³Glorify the LORD with me; let us exalt his name together. (Psalm 34:1-3, NIV)

Worship = to _____ God.

² Let the name of the LORD be praised, both now and forevermore. ³ From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the LORD is to be praised.

⁴ The LORD is exalted over all the nations, his glory above the heavens. ⁵ Who is like the LORD our God, the One who sits enthroned on high, ⁶ who stoops down to look on the heavens and the earth? (Psalm 113:2-8, NIV)

³¹ So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God. (1 Corinthians 10:31, NIV)

1. I worship God by _____ him.

¹ I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone... ³ This is good, and pleases God our Savior... (1 Timothy 2:1-2, NIV)

¹⁶ Be joyful always; ¹⁷ pray continually; ¹⁸ give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, NIV)

2. I worship God by _____.

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. (James 5:16, NIV)

He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy. (Proverbs 28:13, NIV)

3. I worship God by confessing my _____.

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:9, NIV)

⁹ That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved. ¹¹ As the Scripture says, "Anyone who trusts in him will never be put to shame." (Romans 10:9-11, NIV)

4. I worship God by confessing my _____.

¹⁴ You know with all your heart and soul that not one of all the good promises the LORD your God gave you has failed. Every promise has been fulfilled; not one has failed. (Joshua 23:14, NIV)

Then they believed his promises and sang his praise. (Psalm 106:12, NIV)

5. I worship God by clinging to his _____.

²³ He who sacrifices thank offerings honors me, and he prepares the way so that I may show him the salvation of God." (Psalm 50:23, NIV)

²¹ Let them give thanks to the LORD for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for men. ²² Let them sacrifice thank offerings and tell of his works with songs of joy. (Psalm 107:21-22, NIV)

6. I worship God by giving thankful _____.

¹⁹ Teach them to your children, talking about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. (Deuteronomy 11:19, NIV)

⁹ Who is wise? He will realize these things. Who is discerning? He will understand them. The ways of the LORD are right; the righteous walk in them, but the rebellious stumble in them. (Hosea 14:9, NIV)

7. I worship God by _____ in his promises.

My Sunday worship is a _____ for my daily worship.

My next steps in the "Cross-Walk":

- Continue examining and understanding your motives. Why are you doing what you're doing all day long, every day?
- Commit to expression. Sunday morning is all about it. Daily life can be about too! Express your faith in Jesus and in his promises.
- Meditate on and memorize Psalm 34:1.