Sermon notes

Home Away From Home
Know
Shout For Joy! (Psalm 100)
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BIG IDEA: We are called to regularly worship God in community.

Why do we go to church?

- It's a _____ service. We go to church to worship God.
- Worship is the action of humans in expressing homage to God because God is worthy of it. Worship is a magnifying of God's glory.

KNOW

- A complex topic which we refer to by the shorthand of "weekend worship."
- We open our minds and hearts to the holiness, truth, beauty, love and purpose of God…we worship because we KNOW God. And when we worship, we come to KNOW God better and love God more. And when we KNOW God better and love God more, we are drawn to worship God.

Worship

- God calls us to worship together in community (Psalms 100, 22 and 29).
- Our worship is to include music (Psalm 98), prayers, sharing, Scripture, observing the sacraments, and presenting sacrifices. And ALL of it is Worship.
- We are to worship in the midst of every life circumstance.
- In our worship time, God is our focus.
- What about worship when we are not able to be in our church home with our church family?

The important thing is not what you get out of worship, but what you put into it.

Summer Worship in other places:

- Eastside Covenant Church
- Church doing Alpha, GriefShare or DivorceCare
- Other denominations, worship styles,etc.
- Following Grace live feed
- Lifechurch.tv