

# SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES:

## *Worship*

John 4:23-24 ... February 11, 2018

### WHAT IS WORSHIP?

- Giving worth to something
- A priority for all believers
- Submitting our whole self before an almighty God

### FOCUS OF OUR WORSHIP

- On God and not ourselves or material items
- On what God has done and continues to do
- On God's unchanging and eternal attributes

### HOW WE WORSHIP

- In spirit and truth
  - Heart and head – an emotional response and doctrinal truths*
- Through music – Ephesians 5:19
  - Psalms – focused on the Word of God often accompanied by string instruments*
  - Hymns – Greek word “hymnos” to celebrate God in a song of praise*
  - Spiritual Songs – songs sung to God about our testimony to what He has done for us*
- Through prayer – Psalm 138:2
- Through giving – 2 Corinthians 9:6-7
- Through the Lord's Supper – 1 Corinthians 11:23-27
- Through studying the Word – Psalm 86:11-12; 2 Timothy 2:15