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Sermons from the Pews 2022
What the Bible Says About Worshiping God According to the Bible
1 Timothy 4:13, 2 Timothy 4:2 and others

Timeline of Christian Worship from 50,000 feet

The Regulative Principle (WCF 21)

"Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song" (Psalm 95:1–2).

Biblical worship principles

Reading the Bible: "Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to exhortation, to teaching" (1 Timothy 4:13).

Preaching the Bible: "preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching" (2 Timothy 4:2).

Singing: "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God" (Colossians 3:16).

Praying the Bible: "[Jesus] said to them, 'It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you make it a den of robbers'" (Matthew 21:13).

Sacraments from the Bible: "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:19) and "For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it…" (1 Corinthians 11:23-24).

Key to everything: "And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (Hebrews: 10:24-25).



Let's praise Jesus!