# WORSHIP GUIDE – SUNDAY JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup> – 10:15AM

# Theme: Wisdom from the Father

#### Welcome & Father's Day Humor

#### WORSHIP OUR HEAVENLY FATHER

**Congregational Song:** O Worship the King (#104 stanzas 1,2,4,5) [stand to sing]

O worship the King, all glorious above, And gratefully sing His wonderful love; Our shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of His might, and sing of His grace, Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space. His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail. Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end! Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

All hail to the King! In splendor enthroned; Glad praises we bring, Thy wonders make known. Returning victorious, great conqueror of sin, King Jesus, all glorious, our vict'ry will win.

**Congregational Song:** Almighty Unchangeable God (#9 HMA – both stanzas) [stand to sing]

Who spread out the clouds before Him? Who fashioned the earth with His hands? Who created the starry host, And formed the earth at His command? Who scatters lightning before Him, Commands the rain and snow to fall? Who makes the nations tremble? Who is Lord over all?

He is Almighty, Unchangeable God, King of kings, Lord of lords, Robed in majesty.
He rules and reigns,
For all eternity,
Almighty, Unchangeable God.

He is like the light at sunrise,
Like the brightness after the rain.
Robed in splendor,
He's seated on His heavenly throne above.
His glory fills the heavens;
He is exalted over all.
Yet this God of Heaven loves me
With an everlasting love.

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## Congregational Song: This is My Father's World (#143 – stanzas 1 & 3) [stand to sing]

This is my Father's world, And to my list'ning ears All nature sings, and round me rings The music of the spheres.

This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought Of rocks and trees, Of skies and seas His hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world,
O let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong seems of so strong,
God is the ruler yet.

This is my Father's world, The battle is not done; Jesus, who died shall be satisfied, And earth and heav'n be one.

#### RESPOND TO OUR HEAVENLY FATHER

### **Gospel Meditation for Fathers:** [Pastor Bernie]

"Teach Your Children to Love the Word" by Chris Anderson [Day #8 from Gospel Meditations for Fathers]

## **Corporate Prayer for Fathers** [Pastor Bernie]

**Congregational Song:** Bow the Knee (#20 HMA – both stanzas)

What a privilege to come into God's presence Just to linger with the One who set me free. As I lift my eyes and see His awesome glory. I remember who He is and bow the knee.

Bow the knee, bow the knee
He is King of all the ages, bow the knee,
God alone on His throne
See him high and lifted up and bow the knee!
Kneel before Him, all adore Him,
As you live to love Him more, bow the knee.

In His hands He holds the power of creation. With His voice He spoke, and all things came to be. Yet He hears each simple prayer I bring before Him When I humbly seek His face and bow the knee.

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## **Congregational Song:** O Great God (# 97 HMA – all 3 stanzas)

O great God of highest heaven Occupy my lowly heart Own it all and reign supreme Conquer every rebel power
Let no vice or sin remain
That resists Your holy war
You have loved and purchased me
Make me Yours forevermore

I was blinded by my sin
Had no ears to hear Your voice
Did not know Your love within
Had no taste for heaven's joys
Then Your Spirit gave me life
Opened up Your Word to me
Through the gospel of Your Son
Gave me endless hope and peace

Help me now to live a life
That's dependent on Your grace
Keep my heart and guard my soul
From the evils that I face
You are worthy to be praised
With my every thought and deed
O great God of highest heaven
Glorify Your Name through me

My son, do not forget my teaching,

**Message:** "Hope of a Father" - Proverbs 3:1-12 [Pastor Steve]

but let your heart keep my commandments,

<sup>2</sup> for length of days and years of life
and peace they will add to you.

<sup>3</sup> Let not steadfast love and faithfulness forsake you;
bind them around your neck;
write them on the tablet of your heart.

<sup>4</sup> So you will find favor and good success.

- <sup>4</sup> So you will find favor and good success in the sight of God and man.
- <sup>5</sup> Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.
- <sup>6</sup> In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.
- <sup>7</sup>Be not wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord, and turn away from evil.

- <sup>8</sup> It will be healing to your flesh and refreshment to your bones.
- <sup>9</sup> Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce;
- <sup>10</sup> then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.
- <sup>11</sup> My son, do not despise the Lord's discipline or be weary of his reproof,
- <sup>12</sup> for the Lord reproves him whom he loves, as a father the son in whom he delights.

## Father's Day Gifts:

**Closing Announcements:**