

Worship Priority:

This week take seriously one of the below challenges:

1. This week commit to read/pray with/from/through 1 John chapter 1.
2. Go to next week's CARE sheet usually posted on Thursdays and then read/pray the Scriptures to be used in the sermon. www.dougdelp.wordpress.com
3. Buy the book ("Face to Face: Praying the Scriptures for Intimate Worship") and commit to at least one month of praying through Scripture. [Oct. 25—Nov. 26, Thanksgiving]
4. Check out this website knowing only the Scripture is inspired and man's interpretation and application always needs to be checked with the Bible (Acts 17:11). www.pray-the-scriptures.com

NEXT WEEK

Title: "A Genuine Encounter "

Text:

Question:

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Got Questions?

You can text a question or suggestion to 478.227.8522. Doug will get back to you with an answer, and we'll possibly address your question in an upcoming sermon.

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October 18, 2015 | "Encountering God in Scripture"
Texts: Matthew 6:1-15; Psalm 100

IN A NUTSHELL The principle of 'affirmation' could be derived from Scripture and compiled into a format that would act as a tool to enable people to encounter God in Scripture.

ICE BREAKER Do you remember a time you fell asleep while you were praying?

WINDOWS IN THE WORD

1. What seems to be a reoccurring theme (comparison/contrast) in Matthew 6:1-15?
2. What is Jesus asking God for when he says "your will be done on earth as it is in heaven"?
3. It has been suggested that two verses of Psalm 100 are action oriented, and two are knowledge based. Which ones are which in your estimation?
4. Is it possible to enter "his presence/courts" without singing, really singing?
5. What would it look like to come into a corporate worship service not realizing that you are His? He owns you...

WINDOWS INTO MY HEART

4. What areas of your life are not ordered as God has ordered heaven?
5. What keeps you singing when you worship?
6. How is my prayer life... really? Selfish or selfless? Focused or haphazard?

WINDOWS TO THE WORLD

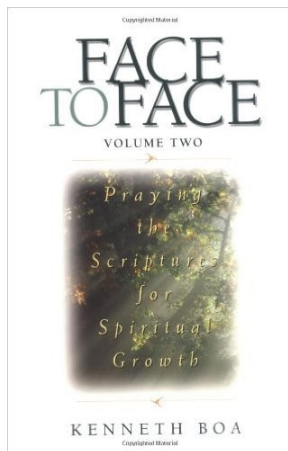
7. How might you take this verse (Matt. 9:35-37) and pray for people in your world?

WHAT I SEE...



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A Worship Resource



Face to Face: Praying the Scriptures for Intimate Worship

by Kenneth Boa

Book Review— This book scripturally guides you into speaking out the attributes of God, the works of God, our relationship to God and others, and the character of God we want to cultivate in our lives. There is nothing better than planting the seed of God's word in your life.. allowing God to water it through His Word.. and seeing it grow.. seeing it change and transform us into His image. This book scripturally helps you to also plant seeds in God's garden...by blessing Him, telling Him how wonderful He is, but loving Him, and telling Him how grateful we are. If you have ever had trouble knowing where to start in prayer...or if you are a seasoned prayer.. this book, taken directly from the Word of God will enable you to speak out the life-giving, life-changing seed of the Word of Almighty God.



FAMILY/COMMUNITY ACTIVITY

As a family—Set aside some time this week to discuss topics your family members or a few close friends see as important in your lives. Once you have identified a most important topic for each one of you find a Scripture that speaks to that topic. Next step, circle the words in that Scripture that seem particularly deep, profound or action oriented. Now read the verses surrounding this verse. What is the context? Who is speaking? To whom is this author/speaker talking? What seems to be the point of those words to those in the context? How might God see those words being important in the context of your lives? Now... talk to God about those words, ask for His help, tell Him how you feel about those words and how you want to respond to them.

<http://donotdepart.com/21-spiritual-things-to-pray-for-other-christians>



Encountering God in Everyday Life

Think about the Synergy Milestones. How would you break down the key principle of praying Scripture in light of these passages of Scripture.

#1 "Discipleship" - Ephesians 5:1-2 *"Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children; and walk in love, just as Christ also loved you and gave Himself up for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God as a fragrant aroma."*

#2 "Early Years" - Deu. 6:7 *"You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise."*

#3 "Teens" - Col. 3:21 *"Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged."*

#4 "Supporting Adulthood" - Rom. 13:7,8 *"Pay to all what is owed to them: taxes to whom taxes are owed, revenue to whom revenue is owed, respect to whom respect is owed, honor to whom honor is owed. Fulfilling the Law Through Love 8 Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law."*

#5 "Legacy" - Psalm 78:4 *"We will not hide them from their children, but tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and his might, and the wonders that he has done."*

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