

Group Prayer Requests

Ten Commandments
Set Free to Live Free: Exodus 20:4-6
March 17, 2019

Love God: Word #2: _____

The _____ For Our Worship

Definition of Idolatry

❶ Idolatry is putting _____/_____ between you and God.

❷ "Whatever your heart _____ to and _____ upon, that is your God." Luther

The History of Idolatry

Modern Day Idolatry

❶ _____ Idols
_____ God-denial
Self-_____

❷ _____ Idols

❸ _____ Idols
_____ in the world can be _____ into an idol.

Idolatry Warnings

❶ God is a _____ God.

❷ Who/What we worship will leave a lasting impact for _____ to come.

Worship Songs 3/17/2019

You Are God Alone: *Phillips, Craig & Dean*

Behold Our God: *Sovereign Grace Music*

How Great: *Mac Powell*

God You're So Good: *Hillsong*

Idolatry Push-Back

✓ Take the idol _____.

Does it consume your thinking?

Does it enslave you?

Is it the driving force or purpose for your life?

Is it something you feel you could never give up?

Is it limiting your ability to invest in God's kingdom and the local church?

Is it the misguided source of your happiness or the relentless source of your stress?

✓ Take idolatry _____.

✓ Take _____ measures when necessary.

Discussion Guide

Getting Started

Have you ever really think of yourself as an idolater?

Discuss this statement.

All sin flows from a worship problem.

Sermon Interaction

Discuss this definition of idolatry.

Idolatry is having any false god – any object, idea, philosophy, habit, occupation, sport, or whatever that has one's primary concern and loyalty or that to any degree decreases one's trust in and loyalty to the Lord. John MacArthur

Read I Corinthians 10:14

How do we know if something has become an idol in our lives?

What idols do you think Christians in our culture struggle with the most?

Read Deuteronomy 4:24

Discuss the concept and ramifications of God being a jealous God as it relates to our idolatry.

Read Joshua 24:15

What kind of a worship legacy would you like to leave for your family?

Read Deuteronomy 8:19

In the Old Testament, God took idol worship very seriously. As one of His followers we cannot be removed from His family, but what are some potential consequences for us pursuing other idols in our lives?

Read Joshua 24:23

What are some steps we can be taking to remove the idols in our lives?

Read Romans 1:18-23

How does idolatry have the potential to be an obstacle to people responding to the Gospel?

Read Colossians 1:15

How does following Christ help us to be a better worshipper of God?