

Don't Do It!
1 Corinthians 3:16-23
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Order of Worship

Preparing our Hearts: If you arrive a little early, prepare your heart for worship by reading and thinking about this text:

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Rom. 8:37-39 ESV)

Call to Worship:

- God calls us to worship
 - “Before the Skies”
- We humbly respond with praise
 - Responsive reading of Psalm 27:4-6
 - “One Thing Have I Desired”

Gospel Assurance:

- Our need for Jesus
 - Psalm 25:6-8
- God’s grace
 - “Like An Avalanche”

What we Believe: As a church we want to affirm our unity in what we believe.

- “Because We Believe”

Prayer: We bring our requests to the Lord through Jesus Christ.

Church Life/Greeting: In Christ, we live and fellowship together as believers. We take time to learn what is going on in our church, and to greet one another as we worship.

Prayer for Understanding: We pray that God will open our hearts and minds to the preaching of His Word.

Sermon:

- 1 Corinthians 3:16-23

Lord’s Supper: In taking communion together, we remember the death of Christ as we proclaim it to one another as we consume the elements.

- “Take Me In”

Praise to God (Doxology): We end our time of worship together as we resound in praises together.

- “Famous One”

God Blesses: We go into the world this week with God’s blessings as He enables us to serve Him.

- 2 Thessalonians 3:16

Postlude:

- “One Thing Have I Desired”

Growth Group Questions

1. Why does Paul call the church in Corinth God’s temple?
2. How should the truth that the church is God’s temple impact how we live?
3. Paul tells the Corinthians not to deceive themselves when it comes to the wisdom of the world. In what ways are you tempted to deceive yourself about the world’s wisdom?
4. What does Paul mean in v. 21 when he says “all things are yours”?
5. How does remembering this truth help us to value God’s wisdom more than the world’s?

Next Week: 1 Corinthians 4:1-21