THE LORD OF WORSHIP

Matthew 21:12-17

12 And Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who sold and bought in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money-changers and the seats of those who sold pigeons. 13 He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you make it a den of robbers." 14 And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he healed them. 15 But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying out in the temple, "Hosanna to the Son of David!" they were indignant, 16 and they said to him, "Do you hear what these are saying?" And Jesus said to them, "Yes; have you never read, "Out of the mouth of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise'?" 17 And leaving them, he went out of the city to Bethany and lodged there.

Jesus is Lord of worship, he defines it, he restores it, and he's worthy of our humble praise

1.The Lord of Worship.

Matthew 21:12-14, 1 Kings 8:27-30, Isaiah 56:6-7, Jeremiah 7:8-11, John 4:23-24, Romans 12:1

How do you think Matthew 21:12-16 presents Jesus' authority over worship?

How do you think right worship becomes a witness to non-believers?

Describe superstitious Christianity. How must we avoid it?

2. The Proud Oppose, But the Humble Praise.

Matthew 21:15-16, Psalm 8

How does true worship step on the toes of the religiously prideful?

Why is praise an indicator of a true humble worshipper?

How can praise be more prominent in your life?

Current Series: The King's Authority

Pastor Steve Ham

Church Announcements

- Sunday School Adults and Kids 9:45am.
 Adults will be studying in Ezra and Nehemiah
- Home Bible Fellowships: Wednesday night: 7pm The Hacker's home. Thursday night: 7pm The Ham's home. (and on Zoom)
- Today, Picnic next week straight after church in our front yard.
- August 8: 6pm. Combined Service at HPBC.

Special Request

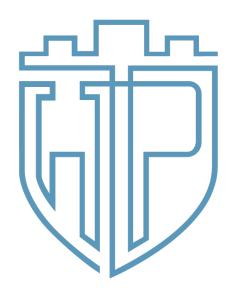
- Pray for our ongoing property strategy.
- Pray for our elders and deacons.
- Pray for Eric and Chasity in recovery.

Giving Information

Traditional Giving: A box is located at the rear of the auditorium. **Online Giving:** Visit www.HPBaptist.org/give and click the "Give" button to setup an account on

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<u>Text Giving</u>: Text your gift amount to 84321 and follow the prompts.



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