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WORSHIP & PRAYER ROOM

*'COME and worship me with your whole life
you will experience transformation in your
heart, soul, mind & strength'*

...your PRAYER JOURNAL

*...Whether in your own personal quiet room...
...or inside the church's monthly worship & prayer room...
This prayer journal takes you on a journey through worship & prayers
and you can come into God's presence; build a relationship with Jesus;
and be ministered in the Holy Spirit*

As you begin.....

What does worship mean to me? Is my worship God centered and pleasing to Him? Have I personally encountered with God during worship? Does God really listen and answer my prayers?

As we considered these questions, let us consider what Jesus said in Luke 10...

'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind.'

In fact He is calling us to: 'COME, worship me with your whole life, and you will experience transformation in your soul, your heart, your mind and your strength....'

This is Whole Life Worship....

We encounter with God in the journey of our life. Whether we gather in our church, in our home or work place, in our social groups, or in our personal quiet time, we seek the presence of our Father God, we build a relationship with Jesus and ready to be ministered by the Holy Spirit. In fact each of our 'Daily Walk' with God forms the basis in shaping our corporate worship culture.

Hence the church would like to invite you to walk this worship & prayer journey together. This prayer journal takes you on a path which helps you focus on God. Feel free to use this in your personal quiet time, or you can come along to the 'Worship & Prayer Room' which takes place in SOC every month, and journey with other brothers & sisters in our church.

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Your personal prayer journal for February

A disciple's life should be a living litmus test of their connection to the Father. These two months our Sunday sermons focus on the epistle written by the apostle John, and we explore several aspects of the Christian life.

Do you truly know God?

How do you know you have a genuine faith for God?

Is your life been truly transformed?

Here we invite you to take up the challenge to examine three areas of your life in order to answer these questions.

1. The Truth (Doctrinal) Test

- what we believe and embrace the truth to know Jesus

2. The Heart (Moral) Test

- how we obey God and live a sanctified life

3. The Relations (Social) Test

- how we relate to God and love others

The Test

- First read through 1 John and make a note the words and phrases that falls under each headings of the table below, which represent the three areas of life.
- Reflect on the implications of the Scripture on your personal life and record your thoughts.
- Pray for Holy Spirit to guide you to a path for transformation.

***Come inside.....
CCIL Worship & Prayer Room***



The worship & prayer room is set up at 5.00pm - 9pm on the 2nd Tuesday every month.

It is not an event to attend - hence feel free to come and leave anytime between the set time.

Each month there is a theme which you can follow through in your personal quiet time for the rest of the month. This journal is not a program to follow. When you come inside you are free to follow the worship journey that is set-up, but you can simply come to pray, meditate, reflect at your own pace. Feel free to share your thoughts with other fellow worshippers, in pairs or small groups and minister to each other with prayers. You are also free to worship and praise God with your own songs and music.

The only agenda is to encounter with God.....

1. *Worship.....*

As we embark on a worship journey, focus on our Father God.....

- Where is Father God to you right now? Do you feel His presence?
- What is Father God saying to you right now?
- Do you truly know your Father God?

2. *Reflections.....*

The Apostle John wrote.....

'That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life. The life appeared; we have seen it and testify to it, and we proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and has appeared to us. We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ. We write this to make our [a] joy complete.'

(1 John 1:1-4)

The first disciples had followed Jesus closely, and were able to experience Jesus with their senses. Let us reflect on how we experience Jesus in our lives.....

Take time to stop and allow the Holy Spirit to speak into your heart. Feel free to sit or lie down on the floor, in a comfortable way. Rest in the presence of God and allow the Holy Spirit to minister to you. Reflect on his words and listen to his voice.

- How can you see Jesus?
- How can you hear Jesus?
- How can you touch or be touched by Jesus?
- Do you truly know Jesus?

3. *Prayer.....*

- Write down your reflections and prayers.
- Pray with others around you

In your own quiet time.....



When we spend time with God alone in worship and prayer, He welcomes us into a personal friendship that grows deeper over time. In this friendship we not only sense His presence and speak to Him as we journey through our daily lives, but also learn to hear His voice. In fact our contentment and joy comes from an intimate relationship with God, listen to Him speak into our heart and we acquire from God His realm of secrets. Therefore seek His presence in your life every day. If your walk with Him is close, expect Him to draw you closer. Our God is always ready to meet us where we are and bring us further with Him. You will experience life in all of its fullness.