TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: John 3:12-16 20:29-31

SERMON TITLE: "THE MEANING OF WORSHIP... PART II"

WORSHIP:

"W" = [Px4](S)(T)

[Praise + Prayer + Proclamation + Piety] (Spirit) (Truth)

SERMON OUTLINE:

11/02 What is Worship?
11/09 Who Are "Worshipers?"
11/16 Who Are "Worshipers?"
12/07 What Do We Worship?
12/14 How Do We Worship?
12/21 When Do We Worship?
12/28 Why Do We Worship?

SERMON POINTS: 1. DISCIPLES 2. BELIEVERS 3. WORSHIPERS

SERMONIC POINT #1: JESUS CALLS US TO `MAKE DISCIPLIES"... "Go therefore and make *disciples* of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." Matthew 28:19 "*teaching* them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the ends of the age." Matthew 28:20

SERMONIC POINT #2:

WHO & WHAT IS A "DISCIPLE?"

DISCIPLE:

<u>GREEK WORD:</u> "matethes" "mathano" – to learn

LATIN WORD: "discipulus" – pupil, learner, follower

DISCIPLE:

"...one who follows another with the purpose of learning as a pupil."

DISCIPLE:

"The one we believe we follow."

"Conviction will always produce action."

<u>SERMONIC</u> POINT #3:

WHO & WHAT IS A "BELIVER?" "But as many as received HIM, to them HE gave the right to become children of GOD, to those who *believe* in HIS name." John 1:12

"This beginning of signs JESUS did in Cana of Galilee, and manifested HIS glory; and HIS disciples *believed* in HIM." John 2:11 "For GOD so loved the world, that HE gave HIS only begotten SON, that whoever *believes* in HIM should not perish but have everlasting life." John 3:16

"He who *believes* in the SON has everlasting life; and he who does not *believe*...shall not see life, but the wrath of GOD abides in him." John 3:36 "And many of the Samaritans...*believed* in HIM because of the word of the woman who testified, *'HE told me all...I did.'"* John 4:39 "...I say to you, he who hears MY WORD and **believes** in HIM who sent ME has everlasting life...but has passed from death into life." John 5:24

"JESUS answered and said to them, "This is the work of GOD, that you *believe* in HIM whom HE sent."" John 6:29

"And JESUS said to them, 'I AM the bread of life. He who comes to ME shall never hunger, and he who *believes* in ME shall never thirst." John 6:35 "...this is the will of HIM who sent ME, that everyone who sees THE SON and *believes* in HIM may have everlasting life; and I will raise him..." John 6:40

"He who *believes* in ME, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart will flow rivers of living water." John 7:38 "JESUS said 'I AM the resurrection_the life... who **believes** in ME, he shall live...whoever lives and believes in ME_never die. Do you believe this?' " **John 11:25-26** "Then JESUS cried out and said 'He who believes in ME, **believes** not in ME but in HIM who sent ME." John 12:44 "Let not your heart be troubled; you **believe** in GOD, **believe** also in ME. For in my FATHER's house are many mansions...." John 14:1

"*Believe* ME that I AM in THE FATHER and THE FATHER in ME, or else *believe* ME for the sake of the works themselves." John 14:11 "Most assuredly, I say to you, he who *believes* in ME, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do..." John 14:12

"For the FATHER HIMSELF loves you, because you have loved ME, and have *believed* that I came forth from GOD." John 16:27

"JESUS answered them, 'Do you now *believe*?' " John 16:31 "JESUS said...'Thomas, because you have seen ME, you have *believed*. Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have *believed*.' " John 20:29 "but these are written that you may *believe* that JESUS is THE CHRIST, the SON OF GOD, and...*believing* you may have life..." John 20:31