## ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 20

## INVITATION TO WORSHIP Psalm 71:16–18

OPENING PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GUEST MISSIONARY PRESENTATION

CONGREGATIONAL READING Psalm 71:21–23

SONG – To God Be the Glory

SONG – My Jesus, I Love Thee

PREACHING THE WORD

Galatians 5:13–26 EXCURSUS: The Fruit of the Spirit

SONG – All Is Well

SONG – When We All Get to Heaven

BENEDICTION

**ROCK OF HOPE CHURCH** 

Weekly Discipleship Guide

June 20-26

## MEMORY VERSE

**Matthew 5:16** <sup>esv</sup> In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.



# HELPFUL INFORMATION

### WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS POINTS

**Global:** Pray for the church in China to conduct themselves biblically, with compassion, submission, and courage under increasing scrutiny and governmental pressure. Pray that any government attempt to alter the Scriptures in the Chinese language be thwarted. Ask the Lord for second and third-generation family members to place their confidence in their relationship with the Son, and not in their religious identity inherited by their family.

**Ecclesial:** For the church in China to have access to and pursue biblically sound training and raise up wise and godly leaders who guide the believers in a daily practical and devotional life. Pray that the Body would live with a generous spirit of evangelism and rise up to proclaim the Gospel outside of China. For all the brothers and sisters in Christ as college students throughout China to not buckle under the immense pressure put on them by educational demands, but to keep their faith in the Father, and to remain in fellowship with believers. And for all believers, to grow in unity and eradicate barriers between them built by mistrust.

**Unreached People Group:** For the many small, but distinct, ethnic religious peoples in southern China.

**Domestic:** For the homeless, to recognize their need for Christ and his church, and acknowledge destructive patterns in their lives and humble themselves before the Lord and live as productive citizens and family members.

**Parachurch:** For homeless ministries, to minister faithfully to unsheltered people in both word and deed, delivering mercy in kindness, compassion, and the meeting of physical needs, delivering salvation in the proclamation of the gospel.

**Discipleship Practice:** Keeping step with the Holy Spirit

# PARTICIPATE IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

#### OFFERINGS

Give generously and joyfully of your "firstfruits" out of God's sufficient provision to you and in response to his "inexpressible gift" to you in Christ Jesus. The offering box is located near the refreshments counter.

### JUNE SUNDAY SERVICES, 10:00-11:00

Most June services will be held at San Antonio restaurant. Fellowship "hour" begins at 9:30.

No childcare or nursery is available, but we will provide a selection of books, snacks, and sermon worksheets for the kids. Or, bring your own resources.

Sunday, June 27th 10:00–11:00: Outdoor Service at Newport Park. Join us to worship the Lord in fellowship together in the beauty of creation. Following service will be a BBQ picnic with brats, hot dogs, and hamburgers. Bring a side dish to share.

### SUMMER PLANS

Sunday, July 11th (changed from June 20th), 11:15– 11:45: Quarterly Membership Meeting. Following the Sunday service, we will hold a brief membership meeting to recap the past few months and set our sights to the future.

July 17–23 (Sunday–Friday): Summer Mission and Outreach Week in the Dells with FBC Trenton (Missouri). Consider giving several hours during the week or even a day to this event.

### JUNE HOME GROUPS

THURSDAYS: Bible Study at Holby home, 6:00-7:00, through the book of Luke, with optional dinner at 5:00 beforehand as well as fellowship afterword.