

**Family Worship**  
Week of January 11, 2025

**Instruction:** Whatever time of day works best each day for you or your family, use the prompts below to spend a few minutes together in prayer and the Word. Open and close each session with a simple prayer. Use the questions for meditation or discussion.

**Sermon Meditations: The Supreme Glory of Jesus**

Monday

- Open in prayer
- Read: John 12:27-33
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's first point was "The Agony of Jesus' Hour". Jesus has become troubled in his soul because the hour of the cross is quickly approaching. What was Jesus going to experience on the cross that would make him sorrowful? What would be the most painful part of the crucifixion for Jesus? How does Christ's finished work on the cross change the hour we are to meet God in eternity?
- Close in prayer

Tuesday

- Open in prayer
- Read: John 12:27-33
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's second point was "The Weight of God's Glory". Jesus' main concern is that his Father's name is glorified. What does the glory of the Lord mean? How is he glorified in the person and work of Jesus? What are the ways we may behold the glory of the Lord?
- Close in prayer

Wednesday

- Open in prayer
- Read: John 12:27-33
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's third point was "The Purpose of Jesus' Life". The voice that thundered from heaven proclaimed that God has glorified his name and will do it again. Jesus' life purpose was to overthrow Satan and to draw all people to himself. How does the cross draw people to Jesus? What is the dual meaning of "lifted up"? How is Jesus being lifted up a part of his humiliation? How is it a part of his exaltation?
- Close in prayer

**Preparing Our Hearts to Receive the Word**

Thursday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: John 12:34-43
- Meditation: What questions do you have about this text? Is there anything confusing or curious? Does anything stand out as important?
- Close in Prayer

Friday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: John 12:34-43
- Meditation: Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 4 asks, "What do the Scriptures principally teach?" Answer: "The Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God requires of man." What does this passage teach us about God's character and work? What does it teach us about our own hearts and need for a Savior and how we ought to live in the world as followers of Christ?
- Close in Prayer