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Workshop C20 JESUS OUR WORSHIP LEADER

I. A RHETORICAL QUESTION (Galatians 3:3)

II. HOW GOD WORKS

Romans 8:26
Romans 12:2
1 Corinthians 15:10
2 Corinthians 3:5
Philippians 2:12-13
Colossians 1:29
1 Thessalonians 5:21-24
Titus 2:11-12
2 Thessalonians 1:11
2 Thessalonians 2:16-17
Hebrews 13:20-21

In a word:

III. WHY GOD WORKS THAT WAY

1 Peter 4:11
1 Corinthians 1:30-31
2 Corinthians 3:5
2 Corinthians 4:7
2 Corinthians 12:9

IV. GOD'S GRACE FOR OUR WORSHIP

A. Three common misunderstandings

1. Jesus is gone (but: Matthew 28:20; Hebrews 13:5)
2. Jesus is no longer a man (but: 1 Timothy 2:5)
3. Jesus is no longer a Priest (but: Hebrews 7:23-28; 8:1-2; 5:6; 6:20; 7:17)

B. The Pattern of biblical worship: REVELATION ↓ and RESPONSE ↑

C. Hebrews 2:12

1. Christ's revelatory ministry (12a)
 - a. Matthew 11:27; John 1:14,18
 - b. John 17:26; Acts 1:1)
2. Christ's priestly ministry (12b)
 - a. Hebrews 8:1-2
 - b. Hebrews 10:19-22
3. The dynamic of New Testament worship

D. Implications for our worship

1. Christ is here!
2. Christ is the constant
3. Christ's excellence

E. All of Grace!

RESOURCES

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