for Stewardship Emphasis

Worship Plan

WORSHIP & BIBLE CLASS COMBINED

In the 10 for 10 program, we will provide the gospel motivation that is necessary for any sanctified living, including financial stewardship. However, the program also attempts to help people make in-depth, personal application of Biblical stewardship principles. That is accomplished through Bible study. However, in most WELS congregations, only a small percentage of members attend Bible study.

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OPEN HEARTS

So, in the 10 for 10 program, worship and Bible study are combined. Worship is shortened, able to be completed in approximately 40 minutes. This is done by:

- Not singing every verse of every hymn.
- Having two Scripture readings instead of three. (The second reading is always from the Gospel.)
- Eliminating the Verse of the Day, only having the Psalm of the Day.

The Bible study can be completed in 12 to 20 minutes. It takes place after the Prayer of the Church and before the Benediction and closing hymn.

Holy Communion can be inserted into any/every service. Provided the congregation has efficient distribution practices, if the pastor manages sermon time and the Bible study, the service can conclude in just a little over one hour.

READY TO USE WORSHIP FOLDERS

The worship folders for 10 for 10 are designed to have no copyright issues. Texts and music are either in public domain or reprint permission has been granted. Thus, you do not need any reprint license to use the worship folders as they are designed. They print easily, front and

back, onto three legal sized sheets of paper, yielding a twelve page worship folder.

The worship folders <u>do</u> require congregations to have *Christian Worship* available to worshipers. The hymns and psalms direct people to the

hymnal. Congregations that do not have hymnals available for worship have a reprint license. Those congregations could either insert the hymns into the editable worship folder files, or simply print them up in a separate document.

There is no place designated for congregational information. Congregations may insert pages if they wish to add congregational contact information and/or notes and news. Or those could be a separate document.

If congregations wish to edit the worship folders, they are responsible for making sure their edits are copyright compliant.

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SPEN HANDS

STYLE GUIDE

The 10 for 10 logo uses the font Merriweather Sans. You will need it on your computer if you open the editable worship folder files. It is available for free from Google Fonts. https://fonts.google.com/specimen/Merriweather+Sans

The body text of the worship folders is in Times New Roman, as that is the font for *Christian Worship* camera ready music.

MUSIC LIST

	Week One OPEN HEARTS Firstfruits Giving	Week Two OPEN MINDS Proportionate Giving	Week One OPEN HANDS Sacrificial Giving
Opening Hymn	CW421:1-4	CW485	CW481:1,2
	All Depends on Our Possessing	We Give Thee but Thine Own	Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly
Song of Praise (after absolution)	CW480:1,2 Almighty Father, Heaven and Earth	CW480:1,4 Almighty Father, Heaven and Earth	CW480:1,5 Almighty Father, Heaven and Earth
Psalm of the Day	Psalm 145	Psalm 100	Psalm 73
	Page 119 in CW	Page 104 in CW	Page 94 in CW
Hymn of the Day	CW477	CW349:1,4,5	CW489
	What Is the World to Me	Jesus, Priceless Treasure	Lord, You Love the Cheerful Giver
Offering Prayer	CW483:1	CW483:2	CW483:3
	Lord of All Good	Lord of All Good	Lord of All Good
Closing Hymn	CW421:5 All Depends on Our Possessing	CW486:1,2 Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us	CW486:1,2 Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us

When Holy Communion Is Celebrated

In all three worship folders, at the bottom of page 7 it reads:

Holy Communion may be celebrated here. If so, the presiding minister will direct the congregation to the appropriate pages of Christian Worship or Christian Worship: Supplement.

Thus, planning for the liturgical setting and the distribution hymns is up to the local congregation.

CHOIR OPTIONS

If a congregation wishes to have a choir sing, there are two logical places. 1) Have the choir sing in lieu of the Psalm of the Day, which keeps the service time on schedule. 2) Have the choir sing after the Prayer of the Day, before the Bible study begins.