Text: John 4:20-24; Psalm 145:1-7 Topics: Spirit, Truth, Worship Series: Worship Wars? Really? Monroe Bible Church September 17, 2017 Pastor Dan Krahenbuhl

What is Worship?

I. In the Words of Jesus (John 4:20-24)

II. In the Example of David (Psalm 145:1-7)

<u>Application Questions</u> - These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group, for even more benefit.

- 1. What thoughts and feelings does the word "worship" stir up in you?
- 2. In Philippians 3:1-3 Paul warns his readers about the legalists. What does he say distinguishes true believers from them?

How do you apply verse 3 to your Sunday morning worship experience?

3. In Philippians 3:18-19 Paul is condemning the conduct of some people. God is not their God or their glory. What is? How would what they give importance to, hinder true worship?

Do you see things in your life that can easily usurp the place of God and become your glory? Explain. What helps you guard against giving in?

What helps you get past personal preferences and into authentic worship in a worship service?

4. Read Psalm 96. Verse 8 says, "Ascribe to the Lord the glory of His name." What does that mean? How does the Psalmist do it in the Psalm?

When, where, and how do you, "Ascribe to the Lord the glory of His name."

5. What is the main application of this study, and/or the sermon and its passages, for you?

People are available Sunday mornings at the conclusion of each service to pray confidentially for your concerns. Simply come to the front as others are leaving ~ look for those wearing burgundy name tags.