

What Should Happen Here - Today?
(June 24, 2018, at WBC)
Isaiah 6:1-9a (KJV)

Uzziah died in 742BC. Ruled 52 years – started at age 16

Why are you here? Friends, songs, Prayers, Preaching – all good things
Five things to help understand Worship.

I. CONNECTION - 6:1a – I saw the Lord – For worship to take place – We see the Lord

A. The Means to assist our worship

- Prayers to God
- Praise to God
- Preach about God

When we connect with God and we worship, we recognize that He is holy - “Holy, Holy, Holy”

B. A Word of Caution

C. The Nature of the God we worship

II. CONVICTION - 6:5a – takes place when we meet God

A. Connection with God always leads to Conviction by God

B. We only connect with the living God, we confront an unerring Paradox:

• The closer we come to God, the farther away from God we realize ourselves to be.

• The farther away from God we get, the less aware we are of the distance/chasm between God and us.

III. CONFESSIONS - 6:5b

Two choices we face in responding to conviction

A. To Cover Our Sin - Proverbs 28:13a – He who covers his sin will not prosper. We can't hide from God.

B. To Confess Our Sin - Proverbs 28:13b – We should confess our sin to have worship. We can be clean before a Holy God

IV. CLEANSING - 6:7

A. Our Part – Confessing

B. God's Part - Cleansing

I JOHN 1:7, 9

1:7b - The blood of Jesus Christ, his Son, cleanseth us from all sin

1:9 - If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

V. CONSECRATION / COMMITMENT - 6:8c – Here I am, send me

A. The ultimate and practical outcome of the above 4 dimensions is Commitment to the God we worship.

B. Inevitable this leads to OUTREACH to a world lost and without God.