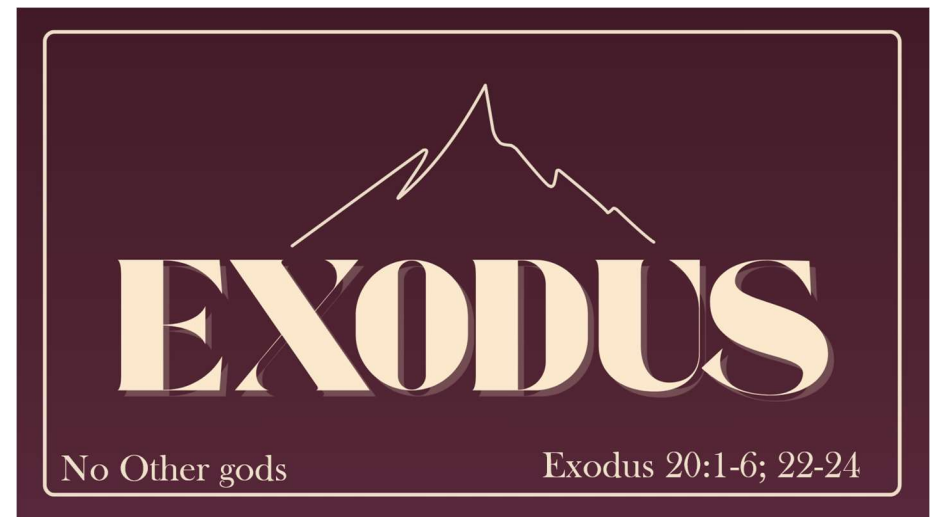


3. What would wholehearted worship look like in your home, workplace, or school this week?
4. Are there any specific areas God has been speaking to you about that could be idols in your life? How is He calling you to respond?

Sermon Discussion Points for



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First

Read Exodus 20:1-6 and 20: 22-24 – God started and ended this chapter with a caution against idolatry and a call to pure worship from His people. Nothing would be more important to their life as a people than this. The same is true for us.

Worshiping God alone in a culture filled with idols is our most important calling.

What is something people in our culture tend to devote a lot of time, money, or attention to; to make an idol out of? Why do you think it has such a strong pull on people?

Vs.22– Worship to God is Exclusive

1. God begins and ends His instructions by warning against idolatry. What does that tell us about how important this issue is to Him?
2. God deserves exclusive worship because of who He is and what He has done. How does remembering God's work in your life help keep Him at the center of your worship?
3. Why do you think God commands exclusive worship instead of allowing us to divide our devotion between Him and other priorities?
4. What are the biggest idols in our culture today? How can we make sure we don't get drawn in by them?

Vs. 2 – Because Only He is Worthy of Worship

1. God's demand for exclusive worship isn't insecurity — it's because He alone is worthy. What in this passage (or others) backs that up?

2. What is it that makes God the only One worthy of worship simply because of who He is?
3. How does regularly remembering what Christ has done for us lead us to worship Him and help guard our hearts against idolatry?

Vs. 5-6 – Because We Become Like What We Worship

1. What are some subtle warning signs that something has begun to occupy God's place in our hearts?
2. How does who or what we worship form and shape who we become? In what ways have you seen people shaped by the things they value most?
3. How have you found yourself being subtly shaped and formed by ungodly affections or idols in your life?
4. How does true worship given to God form us and make us more like Him?

Vs. 24 – Worship Welcomes God's Presence

1. When facing fear, anxiety, discouragement, or temptation, why is worship often one of the last things we think to do? How could we make it our first response instead?
2. Worship invites God's presence into our lives. Can you share a time when worship changed your perspective during a difficult season?

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