

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 16

INVITATION

TO WORSHIP: Psalm 67:1–2

OPENING PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL

READING: Psalm 67:5–7

SONG: O Come to the Altar

SONG: Before the Throne of God

PREACHING THE WORD: Acts 2:1–13

*Empowered by the Indwelling Spirit*

SONG: Made in the Image of God

SONG: 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

BENEDICTION

# ROCK OF HOPE CHURCH

## Weekly Discipleship Guide

May 16–22

### MEMORY VERSE

**Zech. 4:6** <sup>esv</sup> Then he said to me, “This is the word of the LORD to Zerubbabel: Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit,” says the LORD of hosts.



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## HELPFUL INFORMATION

### COMMUNITY MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

The CareNet Pregnancy Center of Madison needs volunteers. If you have any desire in taking the lead on seeking out opportunities for RoHC involvement, please talk with Pastor Aaron.

### WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS POINTS

**Global:** The nation of Israel and surrounding nations and peoples. Pray for the peace of the Lord to be known among the Israelis and the Palestinians especially, but all the people of the region, including the residents of Jordan, Syria, and Lebanon. Pray that Jesus Christ, Son of God, might be known as Lord and Messiah among the people.

**Domestic:** Law enforcement agencies and personnel to carry out their purpose with dignity and justice. That they might find the meaning in their vocation, not in the clamor of detractors, but in the honor of the privilege to serve and protect. For departments in search of personnel to find honorable, courageous, qualified candidates.

**Parachurch:** Pray that parachurch ministries of all kinds operate in accordance to the mission of the church and sound doctrine in their purpose and positional leadership.

**Ecclesial:** Pastors and others in official church leadership. Pray that pastors and others would minister out of the strength and wisdom of the Lord by the grace of the Gospel

**Unreached People Group:** The unreached ethnic groups of Siberia, most of whom practice some form of shamanistic ethnic religion.

**Discipleship Practice:** Prayer. The first practice noted by Luke among the first disciples is prayer, and not only that, but prayer in fellowship. Lukes states (in the YLT) that “all were continuing with one accord in prayer and supplication” (Acts 1:14).

## PARTICIPATE IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

### OFFERINGS

Give generously and joyfully of your “firstfruits” out of God’s sufficient provision to you and in response to his “inexpressible gift” to you in Christ Jesus. The offering box is located near the refreshments counter.

### MAY SUNDAY SERVICES, 10:00-11:00

All May services will be held at San Antonio restaurant. Fellowship “hour” begins at 9:30. Please join us early. Each Wednesday, an email will be sent with a link to the Signup Genius list to volunteer for Sunday refreshments.

No childcare or nursery is available, but we will provide a selection of toys, crafts, snacks, and sermon worksheets for the kids. Or, bring your own.

### MAY HOME GROUPS

**MONDAYS: Men’s and Women’s Fellowship at Estola home, 6:30-8:00.** A time to pray, be encouraged in fellowship, and discuss life’s burdens with one another.

**THURSDAYS: Bible Study at Holby home, 6:00-7:00,** through the book of Luke, with optional dinner at 5:00 beforehand as well as fellowship afterward.

### SUMMER PLANS

**July 17–23 (Sunday–Friday): Summer Mission and Outreach Week in the Dells with FBC Trenton (Missouri).** Consider giving several hours during the week or even a day to this event.

In addition, we plan to hold a monthly service at Newport Park in addition to other “big-group” fellowship events.

Feel free to plan your own fellowship event whether large or small scale. If you want help promoting an event or inviting people, talk with Pastor Aaron.