

4Ws PRACTICE A GOD-CENTERED PERSPECTIVE



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WORSHIP

Amazing God, We Praise
Your Name, In Control,
Hear Us from Heaven,
Jesus at the Center

WELCOME

When you encounter
disappointments, do you
immediately recognize
God as being in control?
Why or why not?

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

I. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives

II. Country and the World

- For God's sovereignty to be on display over our upcoming national elections; godly, competent leaders to be voted into government posts at all levels.

- For the Russian invasion of Ukraine to stop; peace and order be restored, lives spared. Russian and Ukrainian soldiers, families, leaders to turn to Christ; refugees be given safe passage into surrounding nations.

III. Church

- That CCF Members would honor and love God and make disciples
- Elders, Pastors, Leaders, and Families
- Ministries and Churches worldwide

IV. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain

V. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God
- Righteous living
- Salvation of family and

WORD

READ IT!

JEREMIAH 29:4-7; 11

⁴ “Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon, ⁵ ‘Build houses and live in them; and plant gardens and eat their produce. ⁶ Take wives and become the fathers of sons and daughters, and take wives for your sons and give your daughters to husbands, that they may bear sons and daughters; and multiply there and do not decrease. ⁷ Seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf; for in its welfare you will have welfare.’... ¹¹ For I know the plans that I have for you,’ declares the Lord, ‘plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope.’”

PARAPHRASE IT!

Restate the verses in your own words.

TALK ABOUT IT!

- What did you like about these verses?
- What did you learn about God?
- What did you learn about the people?
- What did you learn about God's sovereignty and how does it impact you?
- What did you learn about following Jesus?

POINT IT OUT!

- 1. RECOGNIZE GOD IS SOVEREIGN** – Daniel 1:1-2; Daniel 2:21; Daniel 4:35; Psalm 135:5-6; Jeremiah 29:4-5,7; Jeremiah 29:11-13; Exodus 18:21
- 2. REST IN HIS PLAN** – Psalm 37:7; Romans 13:1-2; 1 Timothy 2:1-2; James 1:2-4
- 3. REPRESENT HIM TO THE WORLD** – 2 Corinthians 5:20-21; Revelation 1:7-84

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APPLY IT!

Based on this lesson on “PRACTICE A GOD-CENTERED PERSPECTIVE!”, write down your action point to apply what you learned. Make it your “I will...” statement and follow the S.M.A.R.T. guideline to come up with a do-able action point.

- Simple
- Measurable
- Appropriate
- Realistic
- Time-bound

“I will _____
_____”

SHARE IT!

Who will you share these truths to this week?

PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for people who are anxious about the future that they will learn to trust God's hand and learn to rest in His sovereignty. Encourage them through Bible verses that remind us of God's goodness. Be an ambassador of Christ by reaching out to people this week and share the good news of Jesus that others may learn to rest in who God is.

MEMORY VERSE

JEREMIAH 29:13

You will seek Me and find Me when you search for Me with all your heart.