

Philosophy of Worship in the Church, Part 1 – Psalm 29

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The state of your heart is at the center of real worship. That means you must examine your heart, and order your heart, and prepare your heart in order that you may worship God rightly. This true for at least two reasons:

1. We cannot blindly trust our heart.
2. Worship involves affections that come from the heart.

Worship is the expression of our affections as they are evoked when we encounter the True and Living God. This leads us to ask two questions:

- a. How well do we know the True and Living God?
 - (1) What is our understanding of God?
 - (2) What is our imagination of God?
- b. Are the affections that our knowledge of God evokes worthy of Him?