# CHURCH AT HOME: MAY 17, 2020

### Hello Orchard Hill Church Family!

It's week nine of worshipping from home!

Below is a suggestion for making the most out of this new worship experience. So, settle in, and let the God of the universe meet you right there where you are.

#### 8:30 AM- Prepare for Worship

While eating breakfast or drinking your favorite morning beverage, discuss/consider the importance of worshipping God. Whether it is in a large group, by yourself, in a house, or in a church building, worship is important to God.

#### Read: Psalm 5:

This Psalm has many layers that points us to approaching God in worship. It starts out with a cry for help, a "here I am Lord" approach, acknowledging the presence of the King. Worship requires us to reflect on who God is, but also who we are in comparison. When we do, we acknowledge *our* need and *His* worth. As we wait in expectation, He shows Himself merciful, righteous, just, a refuge and protection. Pure worship starts with humility and like this Psalm, ends with a song joy, and a shield of favor.

#### 9:15 AM- Join us for a time of fellowship in a virtual lobby on Zoom

 Go to orchardhill.org and follow the worship tab to "Virtual Lobby", or use this link (https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86908856728)

#### 9:55 AM- Time to Worship

Watch the live stream service on the "Orchard Hill Church" Facebook page (https://www.facebook.com/ohcgr/)

#### 10:45 AM- Reflect- Talk together about what was presented in the message

- What is your typical response when trials and difficulties come into your life?
- What are the benefits of going through trials?
- What is one thing you need to practically do/change in order to live out this message?

# 11:00 AM- Pray Together- Use the ACTS acronym (Adoration, confession, thanksgiving, supplication)

This acronym helps us to praise God, confess our sins and ask for His forgiveness, thank God for the blessings He gives us, and ask Him for what we desire and need. Pray your way through the acronym and encourage everyone present to contribute to each section.

#### Sunday Afternoon- Seize the Day!

Read, watch or listen to something that encourages you in your faith!

## This Week-Serve!

Check out the Outreach Ideas that are posted on the OHC website and bless others this coming week!