

Our Vision of Worship

God-centered

Here at State College Alliance we embrace the vision of a perfect, glorious, all-sustaining creator God. This is why we worship. God is worthy and beautiful and we long to magnify Him with all our hearts (Deut. 6: 5-6; Romans 11:36).

Christ-enabled

At the very center of our worship is the cross of Jesus Christ. Without His death and resurrection, we would have no access to the presence of God due to our sin. We draw near because Christ has opened the way for us (1 Tim. 2:5; 1 Peter 3:18).

Spirit-led & Spirit-empowered

We believe the Holy Spirit leads us into all truth (John 16:13). The Spirit guides us to understand truth about God, which inspires true and genuine worship. As we glorify God in worship, we believe he anoints us and sends us out from His presence to do the works of the Kingdom. (John 14:12)

Glory-expectant

Just as on the Day of Pentecost the Holy Spirit came with great strength, so we believe for the presence of God to come as we corporately worship Him. The same power that raised Jesus from the dead is available to us today and as we worship Him, we believe that he will manifest that among us. (Acts 2: 1-2, Eph. 1: 19-20)

Willfully-expressed

Worship is not simply mental agreement with Truth, or the singing of songs – it is our willful response to God in life. In a corporate setting, we must make a choice to worship God in the moment, overcoming fear, difficult circumstances, and anything else that would hold us back. We believe breakthrough happens in worship when the people of God willfully declare who He is and follow him with all their hearts (Psalm 89: 1-2).