

Master Story-Teller #12 Be Ready! The Ten Bridesmaids Sunday, Oct 24, 2021 Gahanna campus

WELCOME (15 minutes)

• Ice Breaker: If a meeting begins at 7:00pm, do YOU get there at 6:45? 7:07? Plan to leave your house at 7:00? Hope everyone else is late?

WORSHIP (10 minutes)

• Using your favorite streaming service, sing together "**Revelation Song**" by Phillips, Craig & Dean. Lyrics on the back.

WIN (15 minutes)

- Plan a fun activity to do together.
- Plan a **serving** activity to do together.

WORD (25 minutes)

- 1. Have everyone turn to Matthew 25 and someone read aloud vs 1-10. How does a sense of urgency for Jesus' return affect the way you live day to day? The way you relate to other people? What things are distracting you from always being alert for Jesus' return?
- 2. Have someone read vs 11-13. How does it make you feel to know the door to the kingdom gets closed for some? Why does this happen? Read John 14:6 for insight.
- 3. Why is readiness so important in regard to the Second Coming? What role does waiting play in your relationship with God?
- 4. What evidence do you see today that God's timetable and our timetables are different?
- 5. Does the response of the wise virgins in verse 9 surprise you? Why or why not? When have you ever tried to live off of the "oil" of someone else's faith?

WORKS (25 minutes)

• Break down into smaller units of 2 or 3s to pray with and for each other!

Revelation Song - version by Phillips, Craig & Dean

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, holy, holy is He Sing a new song to Him who sits on heaven's mercy seat Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, holy, holy is He Sing a new song to Him who sits on heaven's mercy seat

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, God Almighty Who was and is and is to come With all creation I sing praise to the King of Kings You are my everything and I will adore You, I will adore You

Clothed in rainbows of living color Flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder Blessing and honor, strength and glory And power be to You the only wise King, yeah

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, God Almighty Who was and is and is to come, yeah With all creation I sing praise to the King of Kings You are my everything and I will adore You Holy, holy, You are holy

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder At the mention of Your name Jesus, Your name is power, breath and living water Such a marvelous mystery, yeah

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, God Almighty Who was and is and is to come, yeah With all creation I sing praise to the King of Kings You are my everything and I will adore You

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord, God Almighty Who was and is and is to come With all creation I sing praise to the King of Kings You are my everything and I will adore You, adore you Holy, holy, You are holy