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Worship Team	Leo	Jieqi
Musician	Sarah	Nathan
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Offering Prayer	Nathan	Cici
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## **Discussion Questions:**

- 1. Why is it so difficult for us to praise God in our moments of hardship and difficulty?
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- 3. Do we treat God as a tool in our lives or as the ultimate pursuit of our lives?
- 4. Do people around us see that God is our utmost priority and greatest value in life?

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