

# WELCOME TO HAVEN

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*Welcome*

*Worship Songs*

*"House of the Lord"  
"Here I Am to Worship"*

*Prayer*

*Scripture for Today*

*2 Chronicles 20 (NIV)*

*Message*

*Weaponized Worship*

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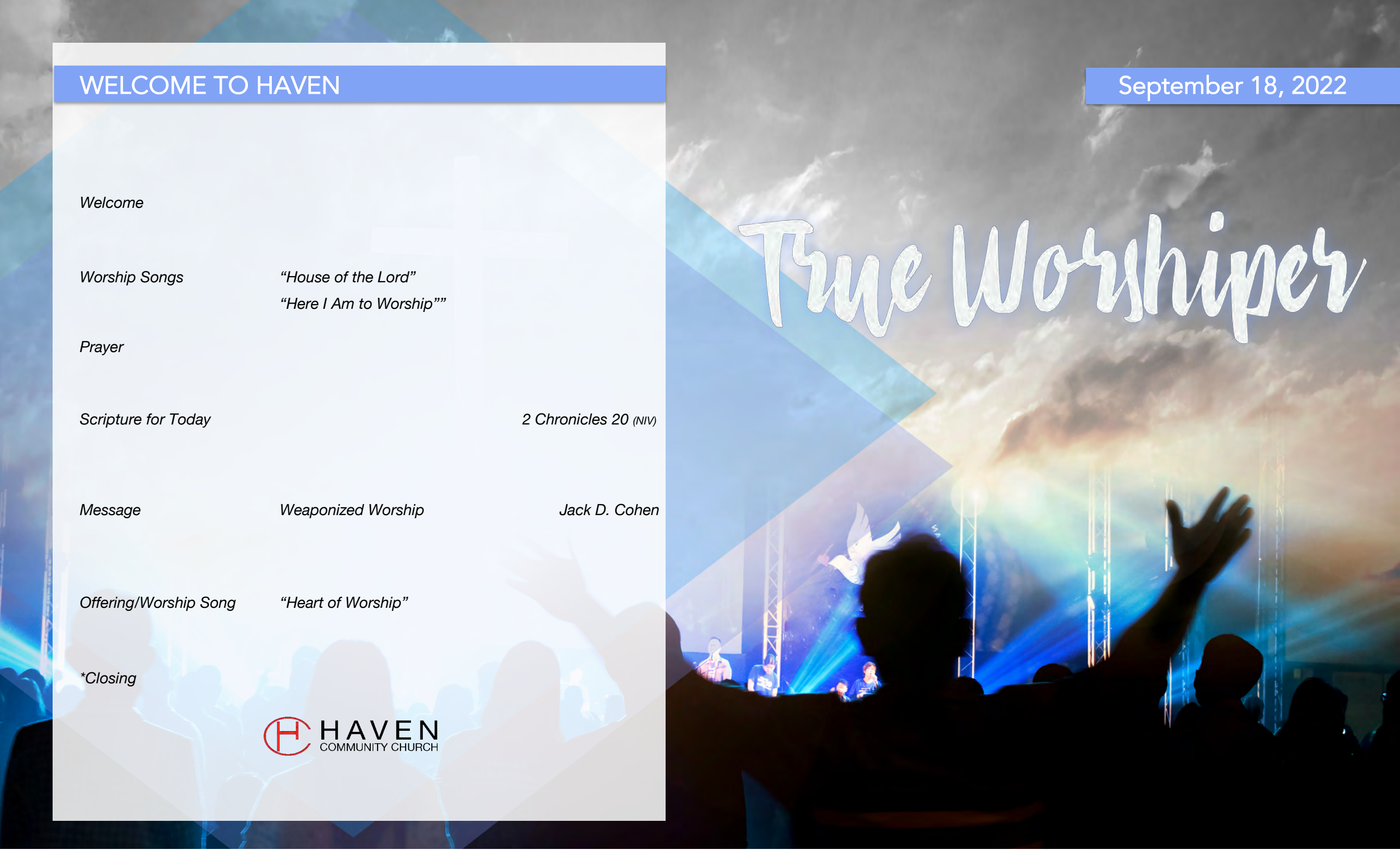
*Offering/Worship Song*

*"Heart of Worship"*

*\*Closing*



# True Worshiper



## TRUE WORSHIPER

## WEAPONIZED WORSHIP

*“Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks.”*  
– John 4:23

### HOW TO GET GAME READY

#### 1) **Worship reminds our hearts of our real \_\_\_\_\_**

*“The people of Judah came together to seek help from the Lord; indeed, they came from every town in Judah to seek him. Then Jehoshaphat stood up in the assembly of Judah and Jerusalem at the temple of the Lord in the front of the new courtyard and said: “Lord, the God of our ancestors, are you not the God who is in heaven? You rule over all the kingdoms of the nations. Power and might are in your hand, and no one can withstand you.”*  
– 2 Chronicles 20:4-5

- Worship recognizes our \_\_\_\_\_ on God
- Worship \_\_\_\_\_ us with God

#### 2) **Worship places the \_\_\_\_\_ in the Lord’s hands**

*“Our God, will you not judge them? For we have no power to face this vast army that is attacking us. We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you.” All the men of Judah, with their wives and children and little ones, stood there before the Lord. Then the Spirit of the Lord came on Jahaziel son of Zechariah...as he stood in the assembly. He said: “Listen, King Jehoshaphat and all who live in Judah and Jerusalem! This is what the Lord says to you: ‘Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army. For the battle is not yours, but God’s. Tomorrow march down against them... You will not have to fight this battle. Take up your positions; stand firm and see the deliverance the Lord will give you, Judah and Jerusalem. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Go out to face them tomorrow, and the Lord will be with you.’”*

– 2 Chronicles 20:12-17

- Worship admits our \_\_\_\_\_ & God’s \_\_\_\_\_
- Worship anticipates God’s \_\_\_\_\_

#### 3) **Worship must take place \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ the battle**

*“Jehoshaphat bowed down with his face to the ground, and all the people of Judah and Jerusalem fell down in worship before the Lord. Then some Levites from the Kohathites and Korahites stood up and praised the Lord, the God of Israel, with a very loud voice.”*  
– 2 Chronicles 20:18-19

*“As they began to sing and praise, the Lord set ambushes against the men of Ammon and Moab and Mount Seir who were invading Judah, and they were defeated.”*  
– 2 Chronicles 20:22

*“On the fourth day they assembled in the Valley of Beracah, for there they blessed the Lord...Then they returned...to Jerusalem with joy, for the Lord had made them rejoice over their enemies. They came to Jerusalem with harpes and lyres and trumpets, to the house of the Lord.”*  
– 2 Chronicles 20:26-28

#### 4) **Worship reminds Satan of his \_\_\_\_\_ before God**

*“For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore, put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.”*  
– Ephesians 6:12-13

*“Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.”*  
– Ephesians 6:14-17