

Troqueer Parish Church

08 January 2023

Notices

Tues 10 7:30pm Guild

Wed 11 7pm Session Meeting

Thurs 12 Troqueer Warm Hub 5pm-8pm

Wise Men and Women Still Worship Jesus

Matthew 2 vs 1-12

I see him, but not now,

I behold him, but not near.

A star will come out of Jacob;

A sceptre will rise out of Israel. Numbers 24:17 (NIV)

1. The Magi were wise because they
Jesus

2. Q. How am I going to Jesus in 2023?

3. The Magi were wise because they Jesus

Go and search carefully for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may worship him. Matthew 2:8 (NIV)

4. How am I going to Jesus in 2023?

5. The Magi were wise because they to
Jesus

6. Q How much of am I willing to give
to Jesus in 2023?

‘Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.’ Matthew 2:1,2 (TNIV)

7. The Magi were wise because they Jesus

To worship is to quicken the conscience by the holiness of God,
to feed the mind with the truth of God,
to purge the imagination by the beauty of God,
to open the heart to the love of God,
to devote the will to the purpose of God. William Temple

Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshippers will worship the Father in Spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshippers the Father seeks. John 4:23 (NIV)

8. Worship begins when the Spirit of God touches

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: ‘Love your neighbour as yourself.’ Mark 12:30,31 (NIV)

Our lives are to be punctuated with praise, thanksgiving and adoration. Service flows out of worship. Service as a substitute for worship is idolatry. Activity may become the enemy of adoration.

Richard Forster Celebration of Discipline