

Forbes Top Ten Most Recognizable Brands



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⁴⁴And all who believed were together and had all things in common. ⁴⁵And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. ⁴⁶And **day by day**, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, ⁴⁷praising God and having favor with all the people.

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And the Lord added to their number **day by day** those who were being saved.

—Acts 2:41-47 ESV

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The mission of Warren Baptist Church is to make disciples and multiply disciple-makers.

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W-A-R-R-E-N A Way of Life

Worship Through the Word Acts 2:42

Authentic Community Acts 2:42

Reliant Strength Acts 2:43

Radical Stewardship Acts 2:44-45

Effective Engagement Acts 2:46-47

Neighbors and the Nations Acts 2:47

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“Worship is the first activity of our church and affects everything we do.

We believe all true worship is dependent on the knowledge of God. The Bible is the perfect revelation of God—who He is, what He does, and why He alone is worthy of all worship and praise. We don't worship the God of our imagination, but God revealed in time, history and revelation through the Scriptures.”

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“Worship begins and ends with the Word of God reflected in music, prayer and teaching. We gather to confess and celebrate ‘God is worthy’ and depart to live ‘for His glory.’”

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At Warren, Teaching of the Word is...

Central

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Matthew 28:18-20

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EXPOSITORY: eXultation
eXhortation
eXaltation

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Expository means that the message comes from the text of Scripture itself, not from other sources and subject matter.

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⁷... the Levites, helped the people to understand the Law, while the people remained in their places.
⁸They read from the book, from the Law of God, clearly, and they gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading.

—Nehemiah 8:7b-8 ESV

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Exultation
Reverence and Rejoice

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Nehemiah 8:3-6

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Exhortation
Challenge and Cheer

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... preach the word; be ready in
season and out of season;
reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with
complete patience and teaching.

—2 Timothy 4:2 ESV

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Exaltation
Christ and the Cross

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And beginning with Moses and
all the Prophets, He interpreted
to them in all the Scriptures the
things concerning Himself.

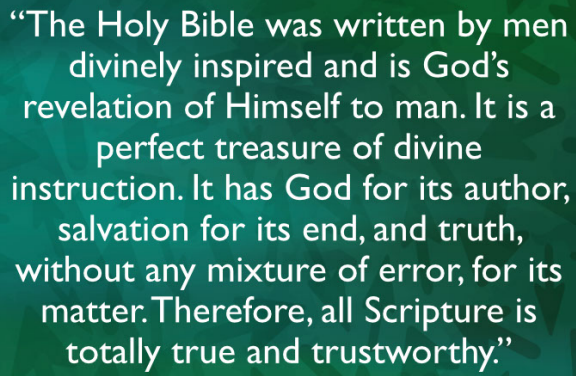
—Luke 24:27 ESV

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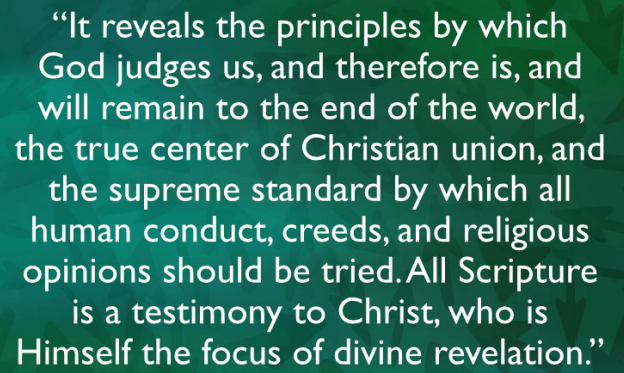
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“The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is God’s revelation of Himself to man. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter. Therefore, all Scripture is totally true and trustworthy.”

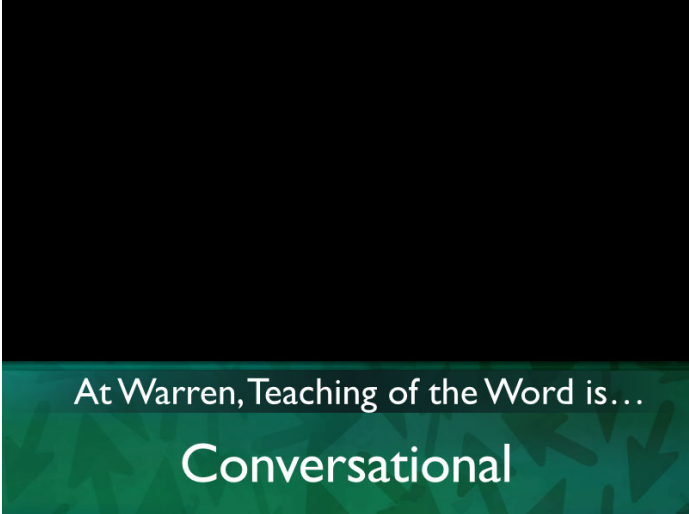
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“It reveals the principles by which God judges us, and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. All Scripture is a testimony to Christ, who is Himself the focus of divine revelation.”

—Baptist Faith and Message, 2000

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Conversational

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