



THE WALNUT WAY

Walnut Hills United Methodist Church

W – Worshiping Community Adults and Youth

GOAL – Worship at Walnut Hills with my church community each week.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Involves 2 components – worshipping God and connecting with each other.
- Worship is not an obligation. It is really like a wonderfully great family reunion.
- Although some aspects of worship are entertaining, the purpose of worship is not to be entertained but to be opened to God and to God's world.
- The worshiping community needs everyone to prepare for worship – pastors, worship leaders, musicians, members of the congregation.

STEPS TOWARD THE GOAL

- Understand that there are some weeks when you will simply be away because of work, vacation or illness.
- Be willing to help your church prepare for worship each week, whether or not you are going to be there, by offering a simple prayer for your leaders and church community.
- Gradually begin to make family activity choices that do not conflict with your participation in the worshiping community.
- Talk with Doug about what in worship helps you to connect with God and with each other.