

Discussion Questions

September 5 – 11

If you missed the weekend sermon, you can find it here:

<https://www.biblechapel.org/sermons/>

1. Many believers who are secure in Jesus Christ still battle an identity crisis. They put their identity in things of this world (other people, career, possessions, social media etc.) in lieu of their Creator and Savior. What are some areas you've struggled with regarding identity in the past or you've seen in other believers?

2. Read **Psalm 139:1-6**. This weekend we said:

**GOD IS OMNISCIENT - God knows everything,
therefore, he knows everything about me.**

What sticks out to you in v.1-6? How should God's omniscience impact our daily lives?

3. Read **Psalm 139:7-12**. This weekend we said:

**GOD IS OMNIPRESENT - God is everywhere,
therefore, he is everywhere with me.**

What sticks out to you in v.7-12? Knowing there is no place you could go where God is not already there, what emotions does that truth stir up in you?

4. Read **Psalm 139:13-18** and **Colossians 1:16**. This weekend we said:

**GOD IS THE CREATOR - God purposely created everything,
therefore, he purposely created me.**

What do you take away from v.13-18 regarding your value?

5. Read **Psalm 139:19-24**, then read again v.23-24. This weekend we said:

**DAVID'S SUBMISSION - God align my identity, my thoughts,
and my actions to you.**

When it comes to your identity, thoughts, and actions...what areas right now do you need to realign and submit to God?

Bible References

Psalm 139:1-24

Search Me, O God, and Know My Heart

To the choirmaster. A Psalm of David.

139 O Lord, you have searched me and known me!

² You know when I sit down and when I rise up;
you discern my thoughts from afar.

³ You search out my path and my lying down
and are acquainted with all my ways.

⁴ Even before a word is on my tongue,
behold, O Lord, you know it altogether.

⁵ You hem me in, behind and before,
and lay your hand upon me.

⁶ Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;
it is high; I cannot attain it.

⁷ Where shall I go from your Spirit?
Or where shall I flee from your presence?

⁸ If I ascend to heaven, you are there!
If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there!

⁹ If I take the wings of the morning
and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,

¹⁰ even there your hand shall lead me,
and your right hand shall hold me.

¹¹ If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me,
and the light about me be night,"

¹² even the darkness is not dark to you;
the night is bright as the day,
for darkness is as light with you.

¹³ For you formed my inward parts;
you knitted me together in my mother's womb.

¹⁴ I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.^[a]

Wonderful are your works;
my soul knows it very well.

¹⁵ My frame was not hidden from you,
when I was being made in secret,
intricately woven in the depths of the earth.

¹⁶ Your eyes saw my unformed substance;
in your book were written, every one of them,
the days that were formed for me,
when as yet there was none of them.

¹⁷ How precious to me are your thoughts, O God!
How vast is the sum of them!

¹⁸ If I would count them, they are more than the sand.
I awake, and I am still with you.

¹⁹ Oh that you would slay the wicked, O God!
O men of blood, depart from me!

- ²⁰ They speak against you with malicious intent;
your enemies take your name in vain.^[b]*
- ²¹ Do I not hate those who hate you, O Lord?
And do I not loathe those who rise up against you?*
- ²² I hate them with complete hatred;
I count them my enemies.*
- ²³ Search me, O God, and know my heart!
Try me and know my thoughts!^[c]*
- ²⁴ And see if there be any grievous way in me,
and lead me in the way everlasting!^[d]*

Colossians 1:16

¹⁶ For by^[a] him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.

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