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# GOD WHO?

## BASED ON THE SERMON: "God of gods"

**THE BIG IDEA**: This study will focus on the attributes of God [Not to be confused with the actions of God]. An attribute is an intrinsic aspect of who God IS. An action is something God DOES because of who he is! Attributes are an unchanging part of his very being.

**PRIMER Q**: What words do you use to describe the God of the Bible?

**SERMON RECAP Q**: What stood out to you in this week's sermon? Why did it stand out? How has God used the sermon to challenge and/or change you this week?

**NOTE**: There are many attributes of God. This list in not exhaustive, but I pray it will be a helpful tool for learning and trusting who God is and what God does in the lives of his children. (For more in depth study of this topic check out the "Bible Nerds" section on p2.)

Read the scripture for each attribute of God and discuss or reflect on these questions:

**Q**: What does this attribute teach us about God?

**Q**: How does this attribute help me trust God in my life?

**Q**: Is there anything else about this attribute that excites you?

#### **ATTRIBUTES - God is...**

Eternal - God has always and will always exist. Exodus 3:14, Psalm 102:12, Hebrews 13:8.

Good - God is the standard for what is good and he gives good gifts. **Psalm 25:8, James 1:17.** 

<u>Holy</u> - God is totally pure and separate from the rest of creation. None are like him! **Exodus 3:5-6, 1 Samuel 2:2, Psalm 99:2-3, Isaiah 6:3, Revelation 4:8.** 

<u>Unchanging</u> - God does not change. He is constant in all his ways and being. **Malachi 3:6, James 1:17.** 

Just - God does what is right. Genesis 18:25, Exodus 34:6-7, Romans 9:14-33.

<u>Love</u> - Humans must choose love, God IS LOVE. The reason love exists is because God exists. **Deuteronomy 7:7-8, 1 John 4:8 & 16, Romans 8:35-39.** 

Omnipotent - All powerful. Hebrews 1:3, Jeremiah 32:17, Matthew 19:26, Psalm 115:3.

Omnipresent - Everywhere all at once. Jeremiah 23:23-24, Psalm 139:7-10, 1 Kings 8:27.

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### **Sneak Peak**

Read the following passages to prepare for next week:

- Exodus 3:1-6
- Genesis 22
- John 10:30

#### For Bible Nerds

For those looking to learn more about the attributes of God check out this series from theologian Steve Lawson.

https://www.ligonier.org/learn/series/attributes-god

# **Prayer Requests**

Take prayer requests in your group. Instead of *only* praying for people at your gathering set up a calendar event or reminder on your phone later in the week with prayer details as well.

<u>Omniscient</u> - Knows all. **Psalm 147:5, Acts 15:18, Romans 11:33, 1 John 3:20, Hebrews 4:13, Romans 2:16.** 

<u>Sovereign</u> - Rules all. **Exodus 18:11, Psalm 115:3, Matthew 10:29, Ephesians 1:11.** 

<u>Transcendent</u> - We can not come close to perfectly describing him. He is so far above, so vastly greater than, and infinitely unique. **Isaiah 55:8-9, Isaiah 57:15, Psalm 113:5-6, John 8:23.** 

If you or your group have any further questions please text them to 813.444.7170 or email rtirona@thechapelfh.org

**Closing Thoughts:** Taking this week's sermon and bible study into account, what area of faith and doctrine do you feel compelled to study further?

#### **CLOSE IN PRAYER**