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We Believe...
GOOD NEWS!

- God is a Good Father! -



SERMON RESOURCE



OUR LITURGY

*The Lord is here. His Spirit is with us.
And where the Spirit of the Lord is -
There is freedom!*

CONNECT

— 10 MINUTES

A.W. Tozer wrote, *"What comes into our minds when we think about God is the most important thing about us."*

- What are the first words or images that come to mind when you think about God?
- Where do you think those impressions came from?
- How have your experiences shaped your view of God?
- How might an inaccurate picture of God affect your faith?

REVIEW

— 30 MINUTES

Alliance Statement of Faith:

"There is one God, who is infinitely perfect, existing eternally in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit."

Read:

- Deuteronomy 6:4-5
- Psalm 2:7-8
- Joel 2:28-29
- Matthew 3:16-17
- Have there been areas where you've felt you must completely understand God before trusting Him?
- What might it look like to embrace mystery while still pursuing truth?



Read Psalm 103:

- List the characteristics of God named in this Psalm.
- Which ones feel harder to believe than others?
- Do you lean more toward seeing God as a benevolent dictator or an angry judge?
- Read James 1:20; how is God's anger different than human anger?
- Why is it sometimes hard to believe that God has compassion on you?
- How would your relationship with God change if you fully believed that His actions toward you are always motivated by love and redemption?

Read:

- John 3:16-17
- John 1:9-13
- What do these passages reveal about God's heart?
- What response is required of us to live as children of God?

APPLICATION

— 30 MINUTES

- Are there areas of your life where you still live like an outsider rather than a beloved son or daughter?
- What is one false belief about God that you need to surrender?
- What aspect of God's fatherly character do you most need to experience right now?



Use the following tool to break agreement with the lies you have believed about God. Invite Him to bring a greater revelation of His love.

- In the name of Jesus I break agreement with the lie (that I am an orphan, unloved, that God is angry, indifferent, etc.). In the name of Jesus, I send these lies far away from me. I command them out of my thoughts and emotions, out of my actions and reactions, away from how I see myself and others, away from my marriage and my family (if applicable), and completely out of my destiny and calling. Jesus what do you want me to know?
- Write the truth that He brings to you on sticky notes and put them where you can regularly see them so that you can be reminded and renew your mind.

