



## THE HOPE CONNECTION



### **WHO AM I? - GOD'S CREATION! WHY DO I FAIL? - GOD'S SAVING POWER!**

We are going on a 4 week journey asking the 2 most important questions for anyone:

- 1) Who is God? 2) Who am I?

#### ***Who is God?***

Week 1 - **God is the Great Creator.** Each morning this week read Psalm 19 and Proverbs 8:22-36. Look for a single truth about God you can think about all day!

Day 1 – Read Genesis 1, note the order in which God created everything.

Day 2 – Read Job 38 & 39, put your name in for Job, let God question you!

Day 3 – Read Isaiah 40, how does God describe Himself?

Day 4 – Read John 1, note the Divine and Human nature of the “Word.”

Day 5 – Read Hebrews 1, compare Jesus with angels (try Hebrews 2 also!)

Day 6 – Read Colossians 1, look for how Christ is Creator and Reconciler.

Day 7 – Read Revelation 1, through the day Praise our Triune LORD.

#### **Who am I?**

Week 2 – **Man is created in the Image of God.** Each morning read Psalm 139 and Proverbs 8:1-21. Look for a different truth to apply to you through each day.

Day 1 – Read Genesis 2, what do you learn about humanity from Genesis 2?

Day 2 – Read Psalm 8, compare God and Man from Psalm 8.

Day 3 – Read Ecclesiastes 3, think about how you have been blessed, also death.

Day 4 – Read Acts 17:16-34, how does Paul use the idea of man in God's Image?

Day 5 – Read 1 Corinthians 1, what is really wisdom? What is really strength?

Day 6 – Read Colossians 3, what's the evidence when God's Image is restored?

Day 7 – Read 1 Peter 1. Enjoy.

### ***Why do I fail?***

Week 3 – **Man has revolted against God. We are all “sinners.”** Each morning read Psalm 51 and 1 John 1. Ask God through the day to cleanse you of sin.

Day 1 – Read Genesis 3, what does God do in response to man's sin?

Day 2 – Read Psalm 14, How is sinful man described here?

Day 3 – Read Jeremiah 17:1-18, honestly face your condition. Truly trust God

Day 4 – Read Mark 7, how does Jesus relate to the various people?

Day 5 – Read Romans 1:18-3:20, what happens when truth about God is rejected?

Day 6 – Read James 2, ask God to show you what to confess.

Day 7 – Read Jude, how serious is rebellion against God?

### ***God's Saving Power:***

Week 4 – **God loves and forgives us through Jesus Christ** Every morning this week read Romans 5. Contrast what we are in Adam and what we are in Christ.

Day 1 – Read Psalm 32, what's the difference between confessing sin and not?

Day 2 – Read Isaiah 53 prayerfully and thoughtfully.

Day 3 – Read Luke 15, what does each of the 3 parables teach you?

Day 4 – Read John 3, what does born again have to do with faith?

Day 5 – Read 2 Corinthians 5, where and how are you an Ambassador for Christ?

Day 6 – Read 1 Thessalonians 1, what idols are you turning from, then to God?