

Sermon Discussion Guide Knowing God: Living in Awe Sunday, July 18, 2021 Based on Pastor Jason's Message

## Introduction

We're starting a three week series of messages called *Knowing God*. We talk a lot about God and growing into a relationship with Him, but who is He really? And, how can we know God better so we can let Him change our lives? To explore this, we're going to be looking into the book of Isaiah in the Bible. In this first lesson, we learn that we should live with a profound sense of awe.

To watch this week's sermon before your group discussion, go to <a href="https://www.journeyoffaith.com/messages">www.journeyoffaith.com/messages</a>

## **Share Your Story**

1. What's the most awe-inspiring thing you've ever seen or experienced?

## **Hear God's Story**

- 2. Read Isaiah 6:1-8.
  - a. What astonishes you the most from this section in Scripture?
  - b. What can we learn about God here?
- 3. Read Revelation 4.
  - a. What parallels can you see between this and Isaiah 6:1-8?
  - b. How can all of this inform our understanding of God's holiness?
- 4. It's common to define God just by what He does, rather than who He is; His acts, rather than His attributes. In the Bible, we learn that His very nature is perfect awe-inspiring holiness. How does this view of God affect your understanding of Him?
- 5. Now, think of how you live, your priorities, your life pace, your general outlook, and your walk with God. Based on what we've read and discussed:
  - a. What two things need to change in your life to better align with the holiness of God?
  - b. How can you strengthen your personal spiritual life this next week to better align with what we just learned about God?

## Pray

6. Spend a few minutes in prayer as a group praying for what we've discussed, being sure to give God praise in addition to bringing your requests to Him. (How this is specifically done will be the group's decision.)

For Parents: Repackaging for Youth	
	For those who have young children at home, what are some ways you could teach this lesson to them that takes into account their age and learning level?