

WEEK 2 (April 17-23)

God Is... message series “God Knows Everything”

If we went on the streets of Queensbury, Glens Falls, or Lake George and asked 100 people their view of God, what kinds of answers do you think we would get?



**Many of those would be wrong views.
Why do so many of us have wrong views of God?**

This week: We’re going to talk about “God Knows Everything”.

#1. God knows everything there is to know.

Read Heb. 4:13. Then, discuss what it means.

Have you ever heard felt completely exposed by God and His Word?
Someone share about that.

How does it make you feel to know that God knows everything – past, present, and future?

Read Rom. 11:33-36.

“Only God can get to the bottom of God.”
What does that mean?

Did you know that some so-called “Bible scholars” teach that God is developing over time and that He does not know everything?

How would it feel if that were true?

Does the Bible really teach that? (Read Isa. 46:9-10)

“We need a God who is immanent (with us) but also transcendent (beyond us).”
What does that mean?

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#2. God knows all about us

Read Ps. 139:1-6.

The word “know” in the Bible can refer to very intimate knowledge, even sexual relations. (Gen. 4:1, Matt. 1:25)

According to Ps. 139, how well does God know us?

Talk through the verses & the different ways they say God knows us.

God knowing all about us means that:

- God cares How does it say God cares?

- God understands How do we know that God understands us and our lives?
 - He lived like we live and knows what it is like to be human (Heb. 4:15)
 - He knows that we are fragile and limited (Ps. 103:14)
 - He knows our heart, even when others don't understand us (Ps. 139:3)

Don't we all have a desire for someone to know us and understand us?

God knows you better than your mom.

What does it say to you that God takes the time to do that?

- God loves us
If God is this interested in us, we can't help but see that He loves us!

#3. God knows what we are doing with our lives

Read Prov. 15:3.

God knows about 2 things in your life:

- The bad/sin in your life
- The good in your life

The bad:

Is it easier to do wrong when no one is looking? Why is that?

How does knowing that God is watching over my evil change things?

Is God speaking to you about something that only He knows about you but that needs to change?

What are you going to do about that?

The good:

Do you ever get frustrated that no one seems to notice your growth in the Lord or the efforts that you are making to do good things in your life?

How does it feel to be reminded that God sees what you are doing?

Is it important that we have other people notice and praise us? Why or why not?

What is the promise to Christians about the rewards that God will give us in this life and in heaven?