

RECAP

As you processed the questions from last week's "Next Step" section, what things has God been inviting you into for this coming year?

IDEA 1

Brian described the glory of God a few different ways. He quoted Tim Keller saying, "The glory of God is the combined magnitude of all of His attributes and qualities put together."

If you were to try to describe God's glory, what images or words come to mind?

Why is the glory of God so foundational?

IDEA 2

Isaiah 6:3 says the earth is full of God's glory, and God's glory demands a response!

Ezekiel fell face down when he encountered God's glory. When you experience God's glory, how do you typically respond?

How would you describe the difference between knowing about God and knowing God? What does that look like in your life?

How have your priorities changed because of your experience with God's glory?

SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

Read Psalm 19:1-2 out loud.

1 The heavens proclaim the glory of God.

The skies display his craftsmanship.

*2 Day after day they continue to speak;
night after night they make him known.*

Take some time to share with each other how you experience God's glory. This could be how God shows up in the day-to-day, in creation, in hard times, etc. By sharing these stories, we help each other get to know God even better.

Take some time to pray together, thanking God for His glory. Consider ending your prayer time with the simple but profound prayer, "Show me your glory." This could be a powerful practice to use to begin each day this week.

NEXT STEPS

We all reflect something, but too often it is the wrong thing. We are called to reflect God's glory to the world!

What do you tend to reflect?

What could it look like to reflect God's glory this week?