

## Sermon Questions from 10/08/2023 "Psalm 139"

- 1. Is it comforting or intimidating to know that God knows all that we do, all that we think, and all that we are going to say?
- 2. How would you answer this question, "What kind of God searches our whole life and is still for us?"
- 3. How many people would say know the "real you"?
- 4. If God knows everything about you, how do you think He intends to use that information?
- 5. Although you may rationally understand God is always with you, are there times in life when you wonder if you have stepped out of the sphere in which God will be with you?
- 6. Psalm 139:14 tells us that we are "fearfully and wonderfully made". Did you appreciate the examples of complexity regarding our brains, eyes, DNA, individual cell structure and conception?
- 7. Psalm 139:16 tells us that God's story for our lives is already written before we were born. What role do we have in this story? How do our individual choices play into this story?
- 8. Although we can find the abstract theological concepts of God's omnipresence, omnipotence, omniscience in Psalm 139, how is David's approach to these concepts so meaningful for us today?
- 9. What might happen in our lives if we give God the full permission to "search me and know my heart"?
- 10. David was an amazing king, warrior, musician and poet. He also committed adultery and murder. He is a case study in contradictions. Although perhaps not as dramatic, can you share some of the contradictions in your own life?