God's Nature – Tracing His Fingerprints 'Cosmos'

Genesis 1:1-5, Psalm 19:1-4
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The following questions are intended to use in discussion and application of the past week's sermon.

Listening

What part of the sermon was most helpful to you or challenged you to think and/or live differently? How will you apply this message to your life?

Engaging

Have someone read Genesis 1:1-5 again. There is an extensive setting, when considering the expanse of the universe that all came into existence by the command of God. This is the same, unchanging God that we worship and guides our steps. Try and pick apart all the many, vast layers at play here in the author's mind.

Have someone read Amos 5:8, Isaiah 40:26, and Psalm 147:4 (among many others). Can you recall (or research) what each of the stars are made of, how far away they are, or how large they are. Discuss the ways it expands your faith to consider all of this.

Applying

Share some things you have created, or help create (handiwork, team culture, hobby room at home, initiative among a team, etc.). How can someone see a part of you in what you have created?

Challenge one another to spend some amount of time later this week (or this evening if meeting at night) and gaze up at the stars. What comes to mind as you look upon the creation of the cosmos by the Creator?

Praying

Take some time as a group and pray over people impacted by the war in the Ukraine. May the Lord bring an end and healing to the violence and destruction taking place.

In light of this message and discussion:

How can we pray for each other? Where do you feel challenged or convicted?

What can we praise God for? How can we pray for our church?

