

**Sermon Title: *“The God Who Is Here”* Scripture: Selected Passages** Director of Student Ministries, Matt Vohwinkel Sunday, January 2, 2022

**Point 1**: God has designed us to live in His presence and desires us to live in light of His presence.

**Point 1a**

His presence should impact our pursuit of sin.

**Point 1b**

His presence should impact our pursuit of grace.

**Point 1c**

His presence should impact our pursuit of Him.

 **Questions to Consider** – from “The Joy of Fearing God,” p.189

1. How consistently do you practice the conscious awareness of God’s presence?
2. Can you think of a situation where you would have acted differently if you had been practicing the presence of God?
3. Are there recurring events or activities in your life in which you need to make a special effort to practice the awareness of His presence, either as a restraint against temptation or as an encouragement that God’s protective presence is with you?
4. What steps do you intend to take to grow in your practice of the conscious presence of God?