

Sunday Sermon Notes: March 24, 2019

WICKED - Who is GOD when I sin? Isaiah 6:1-5

WHO IS GOD WHEN I SIN?

I. HE IS SOVEREIGN

Is. 6:1-2; Is. 46:9

You and I can see God's sovereignty in at least two places:

- Nature. Col. 1:16
- Humanity – Psalm 139:13-14

WHAT ABOUT WHEN THAT DOESN'T FEEL TRUE?

That's when we must decide what we really believe – our feelings or the truth that stands objectively true. If my own senses and feelings are the final judge, I will only live as high or low as they can take me. Instead of relying on my subjective prism to govern my future, I choose to trust a truth bigger and higher than my own understanding. **Is. 55:8** "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the LORD. **Is. 55:9** "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. Am I willing to cling to this even when my feelings are flapping in the breeze?"

II. HE IS HOLY

I see it when I see my reflection in His, just like Isaiah did. **Isaiah 6:3** *And they were calling to one another, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory."*

- **Our mouths and hearts are dirty - Luke 6:45** For out of the overflow of his heart his mouth speaks.
- Those around us have the same problem!

III. HE IS IMMUTABLE

He never changes! – **Rev. 4:8** *Each of the four living creatures had six wings and was covered with eyes all around, even under his wings. Day and night they never stop saying: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come."*

IV. HE IS UNIQUE

Isaiah **6:3** *And they were calling to one another, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; -*

- The unsolvable mystery
- The Unity of one in Community with himself.

V. HE IS MERCIFUL

Is. 6:6 *Then one of the seraphs flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. **Is. 6:7** With it he touched my mouth and said, "See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for."*