

Awakening Wonder  
Week 2 - The Wonder of Creation  
Sunday, December 9, 2018  
Pastor Scott Savage

"We lose our wonder when we stop \_\_\_\_\_."

Passage: John 1:1-5

**Big Idea:** At Christmas, \_\_\_\_\_ began to defeat \_\_\_\_\_.

**4 Truths About Christmas and Creation:**

1. Christmas makes the most sense in the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. (1:1-2)

2. Creation reveals the \_\_\_\_\_ (1:3)

3. We \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus in creation. (Job  
38:2, 4-7, 12a, Romans 1:20)

4. Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_, pushing through our \_\_\_\_\_ to  
grab ahold of us. (1:4-5)

**Next Steps:**

1. Set aside at least 30 minutes this week to \_\_\_\_\_ at God's  
creation.

2. Be \_\_\_\_\_ and pay attention.

3. Talk to God about what you \_\_\_\_\_.

**Discussion Questions:**

-Last Sunday, we talked about the things which erode our wonder.  
This week, Pastor Scott shared a story about when he almost missed a  
moment of wonder because he "stopped looking up." When have  
you lost your sense of wonder because you stopped looking?

-What are some of the things God still wonders at which you've lost  
your sense of wonder about? Why do you no longer have wonder  
about them?

-How often are you quiet and still? Does silence and rest scare you or  
excite you? Why?

-How comfortable are you with the idea of embracing mystery with  
God? Do you resist mystery because you prefer answers and control?  
Why?

-Have you ever felt afraid of being in God's presence? If so, when and  
why?

-When in your life have you felt like God grabbed ahold of you? How  
did that make you feel?

-Pastor Scott shared 3 next steps at the end of the message. Have you  
taken any of those next steps? What was your experience like?

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