

### **Memory Verse: 1 Chronicles 29:10-13**

Praise be to you, O Lord, God of our father Israel,  
from everlasting to everlasting

Yours, O Lord is the greatness and the power  
and the glory and the majesty and the splendor  
for everything in heaven and earth is yours.

Yours, Oh Lord, is the Kingdom  
You are exalted as head over all.

**Wealth and honor come from you;**

### **New Vocabulary:**

- **Immanent:** existing or operating within; inherent

### **God is Immanent**

#### **Scripture**

- **God Actively Holds All Things Together**
  - **Colossians 1:17** “He is before all things, and in him all things hold together”
  - **Hebrews 1:3** “...sustaining all things by his powerful word.”
  - **Proverbs 16:9** “In their hearts humans plan their course, but the Lord establishes their steps.”
- **God Entered Creation and became Man**
  - **Philippians 2:6** “...he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.”
  - **John 1:14** “The word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.”
  - **Colossians 1:17** “The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.”
- **God Pursues Relationship with us**
  - **1 Timothy 2:5** “For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus.”
  - **Romans 8:34** “...Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.”
  - **1 John 4:19** “We love because he first loved us.”
  - **John 3:16** “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believes in him shall not perish, but have everlasting.”

#### **What this Means**

- God is closely involved with his creation.

#### **Discussion**

- God gives us every breath and heartbeat. He is intricately involved with every aspect of our life.
- There is nothing he does not see, nothing he does not understand.
- He is always with us.
- God even entered creation and came to earth as a baby.
- He knows what it is like to be a human.
- He wants to have a relationship with us, and has sacrificed to create one.

#### **Adoration**

- You are a powerful and sovereign God.
- You are involved with your creation.

#### **Confession**

- Help me to trust you and rest in your power
- Help me to glorify you with my life.

#### **Thanksgiving**

- Thank you for always being loving and kind.
- Thank you for pursuing a relationship with me.