

NO FEAR NOVEMBER Week of November 15

*“Fear of God”* Dr. Hays McKay

* **Our Culture**

* **What is the fear of God?**
  + **24/7 awareness that everything we do, say, and think is in front of God**
* **Fear is a foundational emotion**

(Proverbs 1:7) The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, but foolsdespise wisdom and instruction.

* **We don’t deserve anything**

(Philippians 2:12) Therefore, my dear friends, as you have always obeyed—not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence—continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling,

* **God has been casualized**

(Psalm 25:14) The Lord confides in those who fear him; he makes his covenant known to them.

(Psalm 25:12) Who, then, are those who fear the Lord? He will instruct them in the ways they should choose.

(2 Corinthians 5:11a) Since, then, we know what it is to fear the Lord, we try to persuade others.

* **We get caught up in everything being about ourselves**

* **Christ-less eternity**