

# Let's Worship God

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Genesis



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## **Monday - Genesis 1:1-5 - The Amazing Power of God**

We are now going to begin looking at the book of Genesis using notes written by Rev. Andrew Quigley. Genesis begins by telling us about the Creation of the world. But every detail of this Creation tells us something about God the Creator. The world has variety, beauty, accuracy, detail, power, order, and mystery. Each of these things tells us about the character of God who creates this kind of world. Those who say there is no God are fools because they refuse to admit that every day they look out on a world that could not make itself. People who believe in God but don't think they need to obey Him are also fools because God as the Creator has the right to tell His Creation what to do.

God - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - create the world out of nothing. There is no already existing matter out of which the world is made. Instead God makes heavens and earth - land and water all mixed up together with no shape and no light. Then God speaks and light appears, not because He needs it to see, but because He wants it. The light and darkness are separated, and God begins time by separating days and nights. This is the first day of the world, and it can remind us of another first day of the week, when Jesus, the Light of the World, rose from the dead bringing salvation and hope to sinful souls.

### **Questions**

1. What things do we learn about God from looking at His world?
2. What did God create on the first day?
3. What did God make the world out of?

### **Prayer Points**

1. Give thanks for God's amazing power and the world He has made.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

### **Memory Verse**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

**Praise: Psalm 58 - See [www.rpglobalalliance.org](http://www.rpglobalalliance.org) for Psalm tune helps.**



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## **Tuesday - Genesis 1:6-13 - Days Two And Three**

Remember that the first thing God creates is land and water all mixed together. Now He makes the sky to separate the water above the sky (water in the clouds and in the air) from water below the sky (water in the seas and rivers). This is the second day's work.

On the third day, the seas and land are separated, and the plants begin to grow. God is preparing the earth for man and animals. He appoints a place and sets boundaries and limits for all the water. This is not a one time occurrence, either. God is still holding the seas and rivers to the boundaries He has placed. He controls them, and no river or stream floods its banks without it being under His supervision.

God causes the land to appear so it can be used. Plants begin to grow that will later be used by men and animals but also make the earth beautiful. God doesn't need the sun to make these plants grow - the sun hasn't even been created yet. Instead, He just speaks, and it is done. Again, this is not a one time occurrence. God still causes plants to grow and the earth to be fruitful, year after year. God uses tools like sun, rain, and people, but the ultimate reason plants grow is the same reason they grew on the third day of the world. God tells them to.

### **Questions**

1. What did God do on the second day?
2. What did God do on the third day?
3. What makes plants grow?

### **Prayer Points**

1. Give thanks that God controls every detail of His world.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

### **Memory Verse**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

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### **Wednesday - Genesis 1:14-25 - Light And Animals**

God has already made light, but now He collects this light in the sun, moon, and stars that are created on the fourth day. These lights will be used to divide days and nights, years, and seasons. They will give light to the earth. The sun, moon, and stars don't shine for themselves, God has made them to shine for us, for our help and our enjoyment. The amazing thing is that God has created such a beautiful world for us to use and live in. It should make us want to do everything for Him because He has done so much for us.

God then creates all fish and sea creatures and all birds on the fifth day. He doesn't just make one or two but every kind. He commands them to multiply and fill the water and the air. God still today ultimately controls the multiplication and even extinction of all animals. He has created the laws by which they multiply and by which they die out. He has determined which animal will eat other animals and which animals will eat plants. He is the cause of every detail that we often take for granted.

On the sixth day God creates all the beasts of the earth, each and every kind. The amazing diversity of animals reflects God's amazing power. Every animal is given exactly what it needs, and is "fearfully and wonderfully made".

#### **Questions**

1. What did God make on the third day?
2. What did God make on the fourth day?
3. What are the purposes of the sun, moon, and stars?

#### **Prayer Points**

1. Give thanks for the amazing detail in God's world.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

#### **Memory Verse**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

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## Thursday - Genesis 1:26-27 - Made In God's Image

Man is made last in God's creation. No one can ever say that man helps God make the world. Man is the highest point of creation, a greater act of God's wisdom and power than anything before. God has prepared everything necessary for man, and now God talks amongst Himself. He says, "Let us make man." Who are the "us"? It is God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit together making this amazing creature.

Man is to be different from all the other creatures. Body and soul will be joined in him. He is made in God's image and likeness - not like any of the other creatures, but like the Creator. How is man made like God? Man has an eternal soul. This is your mind, heart, and will living inside your body. This soul will live forever, either in heaven or hell. God also is a spirit or soul that lives forever. Man is given authority and power over the world, just like God has authority and power over all of His creation. Man is created righteous and holy like God is righteous and holy. Man naturally does what is right. (Of course, this will change as we'll find out about later.) Being made in God's image makes every human being special, and to attack God's image is like attacking God.

### Questions

1. What are some of the reasons man might have been made last?
2. What day was man created on?
3. How is man made in God's image?

### Prayer Points

1. Give thanks for the amazing way in which God created man.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

### Memory Verse

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

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## Friday - Genesis 1:28-31 - It Was Very Good

God creates man male and female, and He blesses them with fruitfulness. Adam is given one wife only showing God's idea of marriage as one man and one wife until death. They are given the earth to rule over for God. Man is to be master over the earth, but he must never forget that he is still a servant to God. He is given power and authority over the rest of creation, but he must use this to serve and honour God. Man is also given a large and lasting family. God commands him to fill the earth by multiplying.

God provides for all of His creation. He has produced food for man and the animals. There is nothing needed or wanted that God hasn't provided. The Lord still gives us all we need and also much that we enjoy, and this should make us thankful and content. If God cares so much for the animals, we can trust that He cares even more for us.

At the end of God's work of creation He reviews all that He has done so far. He then calls it very good. Everything God has made is perfect and can't be improved at all. This is the end of the sixth day. In six days God has made the world. He could've made it in an instant, but God does His own work, His own way, in His own time, and it is always very good.

### Questions

1. What is God's idea of what marriage should be?
2. What was man given to rule over?
3. What did God think about His creation?

### Prayer Points

1. Give thanks that God gives us all we need.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

### Memory Verse

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## **Saturday - Genesis 2:1-6 - The Sabbath**

God's work of creation is finished. Nothing can be added or taken away to make it better. God continues to take care of and rule over what He has made. He isn't tired, but He wants to enjoy what He has done, so on the seventh day He rests. God gives us the sabbath day to rest and enjoy Him. His rest after six days of work is the reason for our rest after six days of work. Spending the sabbath in rest and worship of God is what He has commanded His creation to do. The sabbath day is a day of blessing for us; a day when God promises to bless us if we spend the day the way He wants us to. It is a time set apart for resting and focusing on God through worship.

The earth doesn't grow plants by its own power but by the power of God. God provides means or tools to accomplish His tasks, and though He usually uses those tools, He is not tied to them. Usually, God causes plants to grow through the means of rain and men to work the ground, but here He causes plants to grow through water coming up from the ground because there is no rain. We shouldn't test God by neglecting or ignoring the tools He provides to accomplish tasks, but we should trust Him that He will get done what He wants even if we don't have the normal tools or means to do it.

### **Questions**

1. Why did God rest on the seventh day?
2. What are we supposed to do on the sabbath?
3. How did God water the plants?

### **Prayer Points**

1. Pray for the preaching and hearing of God's Word tomorrow.
2. Use prayer points from your congregation.
3. Pray for family matters

### **Memory Verse**

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**God tells us that  
Ezra read from  
the book of the Law  
day after day  
and that  
the people of God  
were filled with joy!**

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