

**Genesis: In the beginning  
Genesis 1:1-2**

**The God who made it all**

**God**

**World**

**Ourselves**

**So what?**

Next week we will continue in our series by looking at the 7 days of creation. The formation of the world impacts our own personal formation. See you then!

**Community Group Questions**

Icebreaker: First memory you have.

**Read: Genesis 1:1-2**

1. What do you notice in this passage? Is there anything from the message that stands out to you?
2. How does Genesis 1:1-2 set the stage for:
  - a. Genesis 1:3-2:4? Look at the words “without form and void” for a clue on the structure of the rest of the passage.
  - b. The book of Genesis?
  - c. The whole storyline of the Bible? Think about how the book of Revelation ends and the parallels between the two passages.
3. How do people today describe how the world began?
  - a. What are some historical problems that came from thinking that the world was created in a God-absent way?
  - b. What are some current implications of thinking that the world was created in a God-absent way?
4. How do you describe yourself?
  - a. Think about how where you came from has an impact on how you see yourself or how others see you.
  - b. How does both knowing Christ and being made in God’s image change your self-view?
5. How can you help someone that struggles with the disconnect from what they read in the Scriptures and what they might read in a contemporary biology book?