

**CREED WK1**

Genesis 1:1 & 27, 3:8; Psalm 68:5-6, 103:13; Isaiah 64:8; Matthew 5:43-48, 6:1-34, 7:7-11, 18:10-14; Romans 8:15, 12:4-8; 1 Corinthians 12:12-27; 2 Corinthians 6:18; Galatians 3:26; Ephesians 1:3-5, 2:10 & 18; Colossians 1:12; 1 John 3:1-3

A \_\_\_\_\_ is a \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

I \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_.

God is the \_\_\_\_\_ who brings \_\_\_\_\_ and stays \_\_\_\_\_.

God is the \_\_\_\_\_ who wants a \_\_\_\_\_ with you.

MY CREED STATEMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

**MY NOTES | OBSERVATIONS | QUESTIONS****GUEST CONNECT****NEXT STEPS**

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**PRAYER REQUEST****DONATE**

## Discussion Guide

1. What is one thing from the message that God used to encourage, challenge, or grow you?
2. Think about something you've believed for a long time simply because it was handed down to you by family, culture, or tradition. What helped you decide if that belief was your own? Share your story.
3. Our culture often thinks about God as non-existent or as someone who might exist but is not knowable or caring. Why do you think this is? Share your thoughts.
4. Read Genesis 1:1. What stands out to you about these passages? Is there anything encouraging to you? How might this verse become a transformative verse for you? How does believing that God is the Creator shape the way you see yourself and the world around you?
5. Read Genesis 1:27. What stands out to you about being created in God's image? How does this influence ideas of identity, value, and purpose - especially when life feels confusing or discouraging?
6. Many people carry a mental picture of God shaped by past experiences or relationships. How do you picture God and what has influenced that? Share your thoughts.
7. If God is both powerful Creator and personal Father, what is one step you can take this week to move toward knowing Him more personally through prayer, honesty, Scripture, or trust? Share your thoughts.
8. Who in your life might need to know and understand this Truth today? What is your best next step to show up for them this week? Share with the group so we can pray with you about it.
9. Take a few minutes to SOAP through one of the passages referenced in the message today. These are found on the top of the notes page. You may want to include verses before/after the passage listed too. Share your insights with the group.

Scripture:

Observations:

Application:

Prayer:

Prayer Requests: