



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
R O C H E S T E R

**Sermon Discussion Guide**  
**September 18, 2022**

**Refresh**

Read Genesis 1:1-23 to get the Scripture passage back in your mind.

**Discuss**

Briefly discuss a time when you were blown away by God's work in creation. What was it about that scene that caused you to be amazed by God's power and glory?

What are the dangers of trying to fit the Bible into modern day scientific theory in regard to the age of the earth? Why do you think believers are often tempted to do this?

What are some foundational truths believers must embrace when science might seem at odds with the Bible?

What resources have you found that have been helpful for you in properly understanding the origin of the world? Have any resources been particularly helpful in leading your children to a proper understanding of the origin of the world?

Why is it critical to our faith that Genesis 1 be a true historical event? Why does it matter that God created the earth and all that is in it?

What was Jesus' work in creation? In what ways does Jesus' work in creation mirror His work in our salvation?