

# God the Creator

## Theme : God Created this World

Opening Prayer:

*Lord Jesus, Thank you for creating this world and all in it. Amen*



**Aim:**

- God created this wonderful world.
- We are placed in this world to glorify God and praise His name.

### Bible Reading: Genesis 1

<sup>1</sup>In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, <sup>2</sup>the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. <sup>3</sup>Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light.

<sup>4</sup>And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness.

<sup>5</sup>God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

<sup>6</sup>And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." <sup>7</sup>So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. <sup>8</sup>God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

<sup>9</sup>And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so.

<sup>10</sup>God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. <sup>11</sup>Then God said, "Let the earth put forth

vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. <sup>12</sup>The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. <sup>13</sup>And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

<sup>14</sup>And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, <sup>15</sup>and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. <sup>16</sup>God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. <sup>17</sup>God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, <sup>18</sup>to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. <sup>19</sup>And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

<sup>20</sup>And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly

above the earth across the dome of the sky."

<sup>21</sup>So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. <sup>22</sup>God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." <sup>23</sup>And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

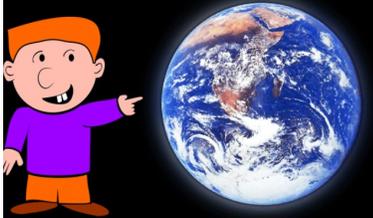
<sup>24</sup>And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. <sup>25</sup>God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

<sup>26</sup>Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

<sup>27</sup>So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

<sup>28</sup>God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." <sup>29</sup>God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. <sup>30</sup>And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. <sup>31</sup>God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day

God made the world.



## Teacher's Preparation

- Begin the class by asking the students "Who made you?" GOD.
- Ask the children to name other things that God has made.
- Use visual aids to show what God created each day.

## Main Ideas

- God created the heaven and earth in 6 days and he rested on the 7<sup>th</sup> day
- God created the sky, water in the sea, plants, animals, fish in the sea.
- God created man and woman to work in and to take care of the world.

## Student Introduction to the Lesson

Teacher should ask the students:

- Have you visited a zoo or garden? Do you have a flower or vegetable garden at home?
- What do the plants need to grow (Sunlight, water, etc?)
- What do animals need to grow? (Food, water, etc.)
- Who created the humans, animals and plants on the earth, the sun, moon and the sky. God and He even created the things they needed for their growth and survival.

## Activities

- Consider using a template similar to that attached for the students to color. Cut them into individual squares. You could even cut them and make bookmarks with the pieces according to the order of creation. You could use a long piece of paper or even a popsicle stick to stick the individual pictures on it.
- Have the children sit in a circle and roll a ball around the circle asking each one to name something that God made.

## Lesson Review

- God made all plants, animals, the heavens and earth.
- God created Adam and did not want him to be alone, so He created Eve.
- God created man and woman to look after and care for the world.

## Values for Life

Everything we have comes from God. We should always thank God for what we have. We should take care of the world and each other.



**Memory Verse: Genesis 1:1**

**In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.**

**Closing Prayer:**

**Dear God,**

**We thank you for creating this beautiful world that we live in. We thank you for the green grass, the clean water and all the animals that live here. Thank you for creating us and letting us enjoy all that you have given. Help us to take care of everything you made just as you like. Amen.**



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