# **BIG TRUTH: GOD IS THE GOOD CREATOR**

Psalm 145:5-9; Matthew 7:11; James 1:17; Psalm 100:5; 107:8-9; 119:68; 92:15

# **BIBLE VERSE: GENESIS 1:31**

"And God saw everything that He had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day."

## **BIG IDEAS**

- God is the author of life.
- God created mankind to be in right relationship with Him.
- All of creation exists to glorify the good Creator.

#### **BIBLE PASSAGE: GENESIS 1:1-31**

# **KNEEL - I AM AN AMBASSADOR**

The Kneel Year is an exploration of what it means to worship God with our all (Luke 10:26-28). Worship is not something that is limited to a service once a week, but instead occurs every day, in all of life. We are unceasing worshipers. Worship never stops, it only changes directions. In order to worship God with all of our heart, soul, strength, and mind, we must embrace our identity as image bearers. It is out of that identity that we can begin to live for God's glory in all of life (Colossians 3:17).

#### **SERIES AIMS**



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# Every student should know that...

- The gospel is the good news of Jesus Christ that brings salvation to sinners.
- Salvation comes by grace alone through faith alone in Christ alone.
- Jesus followers have been trusted with the gospel in order to share it with others.



# Every student should strive to...

- Share the gospel each month with at least one person who does not know Jesus.
- Practice sharing the gospel using multiple different tools or methods.



#### Every student should feel...

- Humbled that as believers we have been entrusted with the glorious gospel of our Savior.
- Satisfied in Jesus as the only true Savior



# Every student should want...

- To grow in awareness of the false saviors they are tempted to put their hope in.
- To have a softened heart and love for people who are lost
- To take advantage of opportunities to share the gospel with people in their lives who need Christ

## **FAMILY WORKOUT:**

This week we will ponder how to model sharing with others what it looks like to live for God's glory. We will pray with our son or daughter to have opportunities to talk with their friends about God and we will help them practice discussing creation in a way that leads to a gospel conversation.



# **GOD IS THE GOOD CREATOR**



#### Read and meditate on Genesis 1:1-31 this week.

- As you ponder these verses, consider how you can teach your son or daughter to use the creation story as a way to share the gospel. Think of a way to help your son or daughter learn the creation story and become more comfortable talking about it so that they might share it with others
- Consider how you can teach your son or daughter how to share with others what it means to have a right relationship with God. How can you help them feel more confident in telling others about God and the way the world began?



### Spend time praying for your son or daughter this week.

- As you pray, ask the Holy Spirit to give them boldness and confidence in sharing the gospel with their friends. Pray that the Holy Spirit would give them the words to say that would lead others to know Christ.
- Spent time praying with your son or daughter this week. As you pray together, model praying for boldness and the right words. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your son or daughter to live for His glory and to help others live for His glory.



#### Help your son or daughter practice starting a conversation about the origin of life.

- Discuss some practical ways to ask questions of others so that you can have a conversation about creation that leads to sharing the gospel.
- Discuss with your student some ways that he or she can tell others how to have a right relationship with God. Commit to help your student practice a few of the ways you discuss this week.