

10/03/2021 "The True Story of Genesis 1"

- 1. How do you feel when you walk into a chaotic environment? Excitement or Terror...or something in-between?
- 2. How does having a role or purpose change your experience in a potentially chaotic environment?
- 3. When you move into a new place, do you tend to live in the chaos for a while or are you focused on getting everything put away asap? Why?
- 4. Read Genesis 1-2:3. How does connecting creation to giving "order and function" help make sense of this narrative?
- 5. In what ways does God give order to creation and to humanity in Genesis 1-2:3?
- 6. What things tend to help you feel like your life has order and purpose?
- 7. What types of things tend to bring chaos into our lives?
- 8. How could the Bible and/or Christianity help provide order to one's life?
- 9. Read John 1:1-5. What stands out to you from this passage about Jesus' role in creation?
- 10. Does this concept of ordering show up in Jesus' ministry? If so, in what ways?
- 11. What does it look like for us to say, "God you get to tell me who I am"? How is this different from the culture or voices around us?
- 12. Is there an area in your life, thoughts or heart that feels disordered right now? If you feel comfortable, share with your group one way they can be praying for you to experience God's ordering power in that area.