

# God of Light

Genesis 1:3-5a  
Small Group Questions

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 14-20, 2025

(1) Read Genesis 1:1-5.

- (a) What are some truths we can glean about God's speech from verse 3?
- (b) What are different ways that Scripture describes or identifies the Word/words of God?

Psalm 33:6-9 | Psalm 147:15-18 | Hebrews 4:12

John 1:1-5 | Psalm 115:5-8 | Psalm 56:4 | Isaiah 55:11

- (c) What is the significance of God's word here on the first day of creation?
- (2) As you look at God's creative work with light and darkness, how do you see His presence, control, and authority manifest?
- (3) What do you make of the fact that God calls the light good, but not the darkness? (To be clear, He does not imply by the lack of benediction that the darkness is bad.)
- (4) Here are some Scripture passage to get you thinking... in what ways does the Bible trace the theme of light? Try along the way to draw out helpful applications from these truths.

Psalm 104:2 | 1 John 1:5 | Daniel 2:22 | Psalm 27:1 | Luke 2:32 | John 3:21

Matthew 17:2 | Psalm 119:105 | 2 Corinthians 4:4 | 1 Peter 2:9 | Proverbs 4:18

(5) Spend the last bit in Ephesians 5:1-21. The theme of light is very prominent here.

- (a) What – specifically – does it look like to walk as the light of the Lord?
- (b) How – specifically – can we more faithfully do this?