



Welcome: Are you a planner or procrastinator? Give an example.

Worship: Listen to *Touch of Heaven (Acoustic)* by Hillsong Worship.

Word:

Sometimes "the truth hides in plain sight" and for many years we read something without recognizing its significance and relevance. With this in mind, re-read the entire 1st chapter of Genesis out-loud. (Divide the passage up into parts and have several different group members read).

Go around the group and ask each member which part of the text and teaching has come alive for them in the past few weeks. Have them explain the significance and relevance to them.

Imagine you're speaking to a person who does not believe in God because he or she does not believe that Genesis 1 can be reconciled with science. How would you respond? How would you steer the conversation towards the most important issues?

Witness: PBJ made the comment that "healthy churches grow" and stated the Great Commission (Matthew 28:16-20) is connected to God's blessing in Genesis (1:28) to be fruitful and increase in number. Close by praying this blessing over Monterey Church (CA, VA and someday beyond) that God's blessing - the command with the power imparted through it would be fully unleashed on our Body, including every member of it.