

### Primary Presentation Objective

- Set the stage for a biblical understanding of the new creation story. In the Old Testament, Genesis recounts the creation of the cosmos. In the New Testament, we have a new creation story. God proclaims, “I make all things new.”

### Secondary Presentation Objectives

- Not just biblical poetry or abstract theology. This is our story! What God has done in salvation history; He also wants to do in your life! He desires to make all things new! This starts with your mind and heart.
- Just like Genesis, God desires to take your past and transform it. Even the bad. Even our sins. Even our worst sins. Even the sins against us.

### Essential Small Group Goals

- Excitement! Great to have everyone back!
- Engage all the men to bring a friend next week for the new content.

### Questions from Video Presentation

- Were you aware that the New Testament was a “new creation” story? Are you able to see the “New Adam”, “New Eve”, “new tree in the garden”, “new fruit from the tree of life” through the typology and analogy?
- How does God’s desire and decree to “make all things new” apply to your life personally?
- Who are two men you can invite to bring with you next week?

### Supplemental Questions

- What struck you most about today’s presentation and what excites you most about this new year of TMIY?
- Are you familiar with any of the new speakers?

### Next Week!

- Speaker: Dr. Scott Hahn      Topic: The Road to Emmaus

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## OPTIONAL PREPARATION FOR NEXT SESSION

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Scripture: Luke 24:13-35

Religious: Catechism #1322-1419