



## Discussion Guide for “Creator”

### *From A to Z Week 2*

To say God is our creator is to insist we live in a particular story - one that believes that God created all people to enjoy peace and justice. How can we identify the barriers to flourishing for everyone, and join Jesus in creating a better world?

#### **Scriptures for Further Reading**

[Genesis 1:1-2:4; Luke 5:17-19](#)

*click here to [read all scriptures](#)*

#### **Passage for Sacred Reading:**

Sacred Reading is a way of reading Scripture with an eye toward transformation, not just information. You can find a [step-by-step guide here](#). The passage for this week’s sacred reading is [Luke 5:1-32](#).

#### **Questions for Discussion**

1. What is a story you learned when you were young, that changed when you learned a different perspective on it?
2. Why is knowing the storyteller so essential to understanding the story?
3. How does the Genesis 1 creation story differ from other ancient near eastern creation stories?
4. Revisit the story of the men who bring their friend to Jesus. With whom did you relate most in the story? Why?
5. In relational terms, what does it mean to confess God as creator?
6. Where do you see a need for peace in your orbit this week?