

*Sunday Matters*  
**Everything Starts with Sunday**  
Genesis 1:1-5

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**Genesis 1:1 (ESV)**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.

**Genesis 1:2 (ESV)**

The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

**Genesis 1:3 (ESV)**

And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.

**Genesis 1:4 (ESV)**

And God saw that the light was good. And God separated the light from the darkness.

**Genesis 1:5 (ESV)**

God called the light Day, and the darkness He called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

*1. On the first Sunday, God revealed His existence.*

**Genesis 1:1 (ESV)**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.

**Deuteronomy 6:4 (ESV)**

Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one.

**Genesis 1:1 refutes ...**

**Atheism**

**Agnosticism**

**Polytheism**

**Idolatry**

**Pantheism**

**Materialism**

**We are accountable to the God who made us.**

**We are important to the God who made us.**

**We can know the God who made us.**

## *2. On the first Sunday, God began His creation.*

### **Genesis 1:1 (ESV)**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.

### **Genesis 1:2 (ESV)**

The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

### **Nehemiah 9:6 (ESV)**

“You are the Lord, you alone. You have made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them; and You preserve all of them; and the host of heaven worships You.

### **Psalms 100:3 (ESV)**

Know that the Lord, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.

### **Psalms 102:25 (ESV)**

Of old You laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of Your hands.

### **Hebrews 11:3 (ESV)**

By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.

### **Revelation 4:11 (ESV)**

Worthy are You, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created.

## *3. On the first Sunday, God revealed His purpose.*

### **Genesis 1:3 (ESV)**

And God said, “Let there be light,” and there was light.

### **Genesis 1:4 (ESV)**

And God saw that the light was good. And God separated the light from the darkness.

### **Genesis 1:31 (ESV)**

And God saw everything that He had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

### **Genesis 2:1 (ESV)**

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them.

### **Genesis 2:2 (ESV)**

And on the seventh day God finished His work that He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work that He had done.

**Genesis 2:3 (ESV)**

So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God rested from all His work that He had done in creation.

**Luke 24:1 (ESV)**

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared.

**Luke 24:2 (ESV)**

And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb,

**Luke 24:3 (ESV)**

but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus.

**Luke 24:4 (ESV)**

While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel.

**Luke 24:5 (ESV)**

And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, “Why do you seek the living among the dead?”

**Luke 24:6 (ESV)**

He is not here, but has risen.

**Why start your week with Sunday worship and Bible study?**

**Every Sunday, He wants to speak to you.**

**Every Sunday, He wants to reveal His plans for you.**

**Every Sunday, He wants to encourage you.**

**Every Sunday, He wants to make you more like Jesus!**