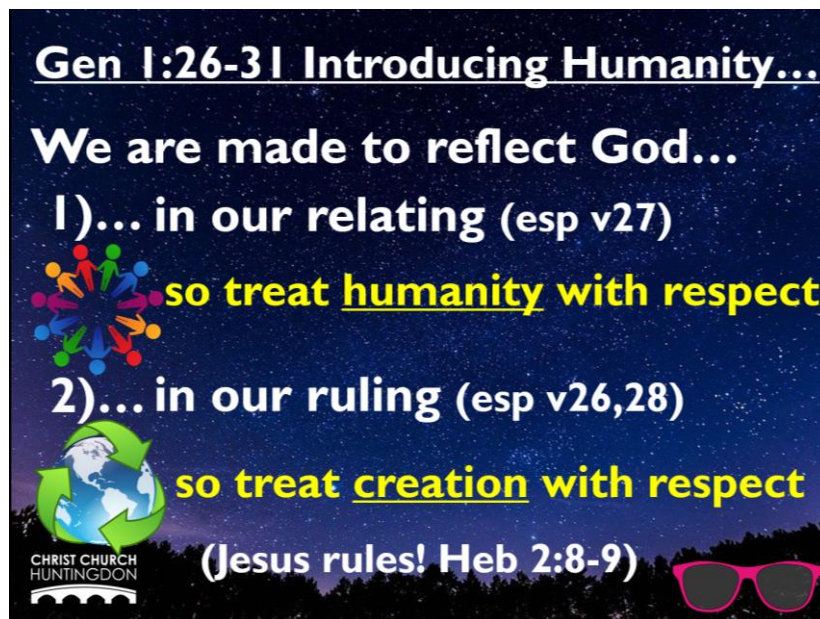


Dig Deeper into Genesis 1:26-31 for lifegroups/personal study ...



Having reread the passage, you might like to pick a few of these questions to discuss.

1. How do these verses explain what it means for us to be in the image of God? How do they cause you to view yourself or those around you differently?
2. What should be the implications for us that we are made in the image of a "Worker God"? How might that affect your week (whether employee, volunteer, working at home or retired)?
3. Which verses speak to our care of creation? Can you suggest a few ways in which we can care for our God given environment (you might like to think in the categories Charlie mentioned of the macro, medium and micro scale)?
4. [If you have time and technology: Have a look at what the brilliant David Attenborough says in this [90 second video](#) related to the upcoming COP26 climate change conference (longer 8 min video is [here](#)). What reflections do you have, looking through the lens of Genesis 1?]

Resources...

- **"The First Chapters of Everything"** - Short book by on Gen 1-4 by our good friend Alasdair Paine, from 10ofthose for £6.79 [here](#). It is excellent and really well applied to life today.
- **Phillip Jensen's talks** on "[The Promise of Genesis](#)" are engaging and well applied to life, including challenging much of today's thinking.
- If you would be interested in pursuing how Genesis contrasts with other primeval and flood literature from the **Ancient Near East**, contact Charlie for a document he's happy to share.
- **A Rocha** is a Christian conservation charity. <https://www.arocha.org/en/>
- **Tearfund** has a campaign for prayer and action ahead of COP26. More info at <https://www.tearfund.org/campaigns/reboot-campaign>