

Grace OPC High School Sunday Class Topic Summary			
Year:	1 of 4		Date: Weeks 9-10
Quarter:	1 of 4	Theology	
Lesson Title:	Creation		
Lesson Purpose:	To Examine the Doctrine of Creation and Defend it Biblically.		

1. Lesson 1

- God created the heaven and earth, that is, all things visible and invisible, out of nothing by speaking them into existence.
- The world had a beginning. The world is not self-existent (or eternal), and did not evolve or arrive by chance. Further, God and world are not one.
- God created the spiritual world, consisting of Angels.
- God created the world out of nothing by speaking it into existence.
- God created the world in six days of ordinary length.
- God declared that His creation was very good. The material world was not evil.
- God created the world for the manifestation of His own glory. God did not create the world for the happiness of man but created man for Himself. God does aim at promoting the welfare of man and tunes their hearts to praise Him.

2. Lesson 2

- Having a Christian worldview depends upon us believing that the Bible is God's word which says that God created heavens and the earth, and all things therein.
- God created man, male and female, giving them bodies and reasonable and immortal souls.
- God created male and female so that man would not be alone, and to propagate (multiply) the human race.
- God has made all the nations (whole human race) from the first male and female.
- God created man after His own image (likeness) in knowledge, righteousness and true holiness, with dominion over the creatures.
- God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed the breath of life into him and he became a living soul.
- God furnished Adam with enough knowledge for his happiness. Also, God commanded Adam not to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil under the threat of death.
- Adam, although created holy and capable of obedience, was at the same time capable of falling. This was the moral condition in which both angels and men were created.