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HEBREWS 10:16 

This is the covenant that I will make with them.

*After these days, says the Lord,
I will place my laws in their hearts
And write them on their minds.*

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GENESIS 9:12a 

*God said, "This is the symbol of the covenant
that I am drawing up between me and you
and every living thing with you."*

GOD ESTABLISHES THE COVENANT to be in relationship with us. So the first eight weeks, **Creating the Covenant**, examines how the covenant community is created and established—highlighting several examples throughout scripture.

It discusses the story of our origins in Genesis, the Exodus narrative, the teachings of Moses, the Gospels of Matthew and Mark, as well as other books from each Testament that focus on the foundation of Christian faith.

In doing so, it lays out the framework for a life lived in concert with God and others.

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Torah: Genesis

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Genesis

World's creation

When God began to create the heavens and the earth—the earth was without shape or form, it was dark over the deep sea, and God's wind swept over the waters—God said, “Let there be light.” And so light appeared. God saw how good the light was. God separated the light from the darkness. God named the light Day and the darkness Night.

There was evening and there was morning: the first day.

Genesis 1:1-5

Praying the word

Silently read the passage from Genesis, paying attention to each word and phrase. Pause for a moment of quiet, then read it again, this time using your imagination about the appearance of light on the first day of creation. What color is the light? How does it appear? What does it reveal?

Offer a prayer for a person or circumstance that you know about where God's good light is needed this day.

