

## Syllabus for the Intersection of Faith and Science 2021

**Week 1** – Faith & Science Overview (Tuesday, January 12 – John Teravskis & Mark Bowman)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening (6:30 - 6:40)
- Biblical text (the class explores Genesis 1 - 11, but this being the first week, the text will be centering on Genesis 1) (6:40 - 6:50)
- Session 1 – The Intersection of Faith & Science by John Teravskis (6:50 - 7:30)
- Session 2 – Interpreting Evidence by Attorney Mark Bowman (7:35 - 8:25)
- Closing thoughts (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 2** – In the beginning ... Days 1 -4 of Creation Genesis 1:1-19 (Tuesday, January 19 – Bruce Schweigerdt)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 1:1-19; Psalm 19:1; Psalm 148:4; Psalm 8:3-4
- Session 1 - Light, Starlight, Distance, and Time Part 1 by Bruce Schweigerdt (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2 - Light, Starlight, Distance, and Time Part 2 by Bruce Schweigerdt (7:35 – 8:25)
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 3** – Days 5 & 6 of the creation week Genesis 1:20 – 2:25 (Tuesday, January 26)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 1:20 – 2:25; Romans 1:20-22
- Session 1 - The plant and animal kingdoms (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2: Irreducible Complexity with ATP Synthase
- Session 3: Dinosaurs and dragons (7:35 – 8:25)
- Video: Dinosaurs and Dragon Legends (11 min. and 3 min. videos)
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 4** – Part 1: Days 6 & 7 of the creation week, man, and the fall Genesis 2 – 4 (Tuesday, February 2)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 2-3 and Romans 8
- Session 1: What did sin do when it entered the world? (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2: Thermodynamics: First and Second Laws (7:35 – 8:25)
- Session 3: The Fall and the Environment
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 5** – Part 2: Days 6 & 7 of the creation week, man, and the fall Genesis 2 – 4 (Tuesday, February 9)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 2-3 and Romans 8
- Session 1: In the Image of God by Chris Ashcraft (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2: Does Biology Make Sense without Darwin? Dr. David Menton (7:35 – 8:25)
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 6** – Genealogies Genesis 5 (Tuesday, February 16) (Bruce Schweigerdt)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 5 & 11
- Biblical genealogy by Bruce Schweigerdt (6:40- 8:25)
- The origin of man
- One race not many
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 7** – The Flood – Part 1 (Tuesday, February 23)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 6-8
- Session 1: The Flood: Part 1 as viewed through the Grand Canyon by John Teravskis (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2: The Flood: Part 2 as viewed through the Grand Canyon by John Teravskis (7:35 – 8:25)
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)

**Week 8** – The Flood – Part 2 (Tuesday, March 2)

- Welcome, prayer, and opening - John Teravskis (6:30 - 6:40)
- Scripture texts: Genesis 6-8
- Session 1: The Flood: Part 1 as viewed through Yosemite by John Teravskis (6:40 – 7:30)
- Session 2: The Flood: Part 2 as viewed through Yosemite by John Teravskis (7:35 – 8:25)
- Closing thoughts – John Teravskis (8:25 - 8:30)