## **Two Ways to Live - Creation**

#### Box 1-



God is the Loving Ruler of the world. God made the world. God made us rulers of the world under him.

Revelation 4:11 "You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being."

Psalm 19:1-4 "The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands. Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they reveal knowledge. They have no speech, they use no words; no sound is heard from them. Yet their voice goes out into all the earth, their words to the ends of the world."

Romans 1:18-21 "the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them. For his invisible attributes, namely, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse. For although they knew God, they did not honor him as God or give thanks to him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened."

Psalm 24:1-2 "The earth is the LORD's- and everything in it, the world and all who dwell in it, for he has founded it upon the seas"

1 Tim 4:4- "Everything created by God is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving."

Gen 1:26–27 "Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them."

# 1. Creation signposts what God is like:

#### - Awesome Creator

-God made the world *Isaiah 40, Psalm 19, Rom 1:18-20* 

### - Loving Ruler

-God is the loving ruler of the world Psalm 24, Rev 4:11, Gen 1, Gen 2:9, 16, Psalm 104

## 2. Creation signposts what we are like

**-**God made us rulers of the world under him *Gen 1:26-28*