



SEEKERS: Exploring Progressive Christianity

Seekers meet **the first Thursday of the month** in member's homes at 2:00 pm.

February 4, 2012, the group will begin a new series entitled *Eclipsing Empire: Paul, Rome, and the Kingdom of God*.

This 12-session DVD and web-based study explores fresh insights into Paul's message of the Kingdom of God, its challenge to Roman imperial theology, and the apostle's radical relevance for today. Join preeminent New Testament scholars Marcus Borg and John Dominic Crossan on location in Turkey as they trace the Apostle Paul's footsteps throughout the Roman Empire.

Filmed in High-Definition across Turkey, Greece, and Italy.
The Participant Guide is written by John Dominic Crossan.

Themes for the twelve sessions are:

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| 1. Empire | 7. Paul's Letters |
| 2. Jesus | 8. Paul's Ethics |
| 3. Paul's Mission | 9. Paul's Theology |
| 4. Paul's Character | 10. Paul's Eschatology |
| 5. Paul's Vocation | 11. Icons |
| 6. Cities | 12. Eclipse |

Reading material for this and subsequent sessions is available in the church office and from Dick Vandiver.

Please invite your friends and come prepared to learn more about Paul and the places where he and others founded the congregations that eventually became Christianity.

Questions? Please call Dick Vandiver at 541-764-8917.



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