

Where is God...?

Join us for a space for considering together some of the most pressing issues affecting our lives currently - the Covid-19 pandemic, racial injustice, and climate change – and how God is present and moving within them with the help and guidance of recently published books written by respected Christian writers/theologians. While each book (listed below) is “weighty” in thinking, they’re still very accessible and only one goes over 200 pages (and then just barely).

Details:

Each meeting will be held via Zoom from 7-8:30pm(ish) on the second Thursday of the next three months (if that day/time ends up not working for a majority of the attendees, we’ll look for an alternative obviously, but this seems to avoid other NCC commitments and the various holidays coming our way soon).

First session (November 12), discussion of N. T. Wright’s book, *God and the Pandemic: A Christian Reflection on the Coronavirus and Its Aftermath*. [Amazon](#), [Barnes & Noble](#), [CBD](#).

Second session (December 10), discussion of Esau McCaulley’s *Reading While Black: African American Biblical Interpretation As an Exercise in Hope*. [Amazon](#), [Barnes & Noble](#), [CBD](#).

Third session (January 14), discussion of Chris Doran’s *Hope in the Age of Climate Change: Creation Care This Side of the Resurrection*. [Amazon](#), [Barnes & Noble](#), [CBD](#).

Obviously, our discussions will suffer if people aren’t able to engage fully so it will be really important that everyone complete the reading each month, come with their own thoughts/questions, and have considered where God might be visible for them in this particular topic. I’m planning to invite a few friends/colleagues/people I know who I think might be interested in joining in the conversation with us. Please feel free to do the same - we can host up to 100 people on our Zoom account.

RSVP to tjspiegel@charter.net only if you intend to join the discussion group.