Resources for Exploring Theology Session 3

Below are the Recommended and Optional resources for Session 3

Recommended Resources

Three things to watch:



Firstly, here are two videos with Rowan Williams and Paula Gooder. Firstly, here they're discussing Scripture, which was one of the key focuses of Session 3.



In this second video Rowan Williams and Paula Gooder discuss Reason:



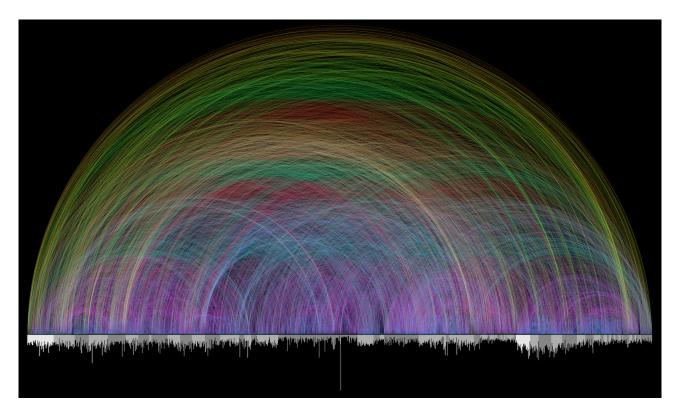
Thirdly, here's a video where the focus is more on reading the Scriptures as having an overarching narrative. It's produced by the Bible Project.

Something to listen to:

Listen to this <u>GodPod podcast</u>, where our intrepid hosts – Jane Williams, Mike Lloyd and Graham Tomlin – discuss how they read the Bible: <u>https://sptc.htb.org/godpod/godpod-145</u>.

Something to look at:

Here is a visual representation of the interconnectedness of the Scriptures, produced by Chris Harrison. It starts with the Book of Genesis on the left and ends with the Book of Revelation on the right.



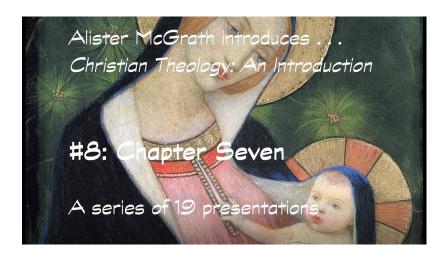
More information about this visual representation of the interconnectedness of the Scriptures can be found here: https://www.chrisharrison.net/index.php/Visualizations/BibleViz.

Scroll down for more Optional Resources.

Optional Resources

Some more things to watch:

In the following video, Alister McGrath discusses the role of revelation.



And here are four videos from the Bible Project team. The first one looks in general at design patterns in Scripture and how we can spot them. The three following videos focus on three key patterns from the Old Testament. As you watch, a question to consider is how these patterns relate to Jesus and the overarching story of Scripture.









And if you want to take a deeper dive into the Old and New Testament, watch these short summaries.:





Something more to listen to:

One of the topics we touched on in the second video was the issue of faith becoming a private matter. Here, <u>Elizabeth Oldfield joins the GodPod regulars</u> to discuss faith in the public square. Elizabeth was formerly director of the <u>Theos think tank</u> (whose strap line is <u>Understanding Faith, Enriching Society</u>) and is now host of the <u>The Sacred Podcast</u>.

And finally, something to read!

If you want to take a deeper, more academic dive into the role of Reason and Revelation in our theological thinking and living, have a read of the following:

https://www.saet.ac.uk/Christianity/ChristianTheology#section2.1.1 for the section on Revelation.

https://www.saet.ac.uk/Christianity/ChristianTheology#section2.1.2 for the section on Reason.