

## Wonders of the Cell

<u>Chris Ashcraft speaking at AFSC meeting at</u> <u>Atonement Free Lutheran Church</u> <u>6905 172<sup>nd</sup> St. NE, Arlington, WA 98223</u> <u>Friday, October 25 at 7:00 PM</u>

<u>Cell biology</u> has revealed a microscopic world operating at a level of technological sophistication far beyond anything devised by <u>man</u>. This previously invisible aspect of the creation offers unmistakable evidence of <u>intelligent design</u> through many examples of <u>irreducible</u> and <u>specified</u> <u>complexity</u>. Inside each and every organism reside bio-mechanical systems and molecular machines that Darwin and his contemporaries could never have imagined. Even today, much of what is happening inside cells is still not understood and yet evolutionists hold fast that these remarkable constructs developed without God.

These two contrasting views of the cell provide poignant illustration of how <u>worldviews</u> impact our interpretation of physical evidence. This presentation discusses the cell as it relates to these opposing views and describes some of these important cellular features which offer testimony to the glory of the <u>Creator</u>.



There will be time for Q&A after the lecture. Refreshments provided.

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Chris speaks regularly at churches, Christian schools, teacher conventions, and creation organizations. He is the founder of the <u>Northwest Creation</u> <u>Network</u> ministry and the <u>CreationWiki</u> internet encyclopedia where he serves as senior administrator. He is also the organizer of the annual <u>Seattle Creation Conference</u>.

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## The Apologetics Forum of Snohomish County (AFSC)

Dr. Heinz Lycklama and Mr. Rob Overgaard formed the Apologetics Forum of Snohomish County (AFSC) to help equip Christians in the defense of their faith in the postmodern world in three related areas: 1) Creation vs. Evolution, 2) Christian Apologetics and 3) Biblical Worldview. AFSC provides a local Forum in the North Snohomish County area for lectures and DVD programs by knowledgeable presenters on these topics. All presentations are given with the presupposition that the Bible is God's inspired Word and is accurate and inerrant in its original autographs. The Bible is a total worldview that speaks to all disciplines and areas of our life.

Studies done by <u>Answers In Genesis (AIG</u>), documented in the books <u>Already Gone</u> and <u>Already Compromised</u>, show that more than 60% of youth raised in the church leave the church once they leave home. The main reasons are 1) they are looking for more answers to their hard questions, and 2) they are being indoctrinated in secularism and evolutionism. See also this <u>Koinonia House article</u>.

Monthly **AFSC** meetings will be held at a church in the North Snohomish County area. Each meeting will include a lecture or the showing of a DVD on a topic within the scope of the Forum's mission. There will be time for discussion on the topic presented, followed by refreshments.

**AFSC** creates a Forum where Christians can learn from each other, ask the hard questions about our Faith, Creation and Worldview, and receive the support of a community of Christian thinkers. The Forum equips Christians with well-researched information on issues that seek to challenge the truth of Christianity as revealed in the Bible.

<u>AFSC</u> is run by a Board of Directors and advised by an Advisory Board whose members have knowledge in the topics discussed at <u>AFSC</u> meetings and have a strong interest in providing and supporting an environment for participants to gain well-researched information in the defense of their Christian faith.

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