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Religion News Service

VATICAN CITY (RNS)— Vatican officials have identified a marble sarcophagus embedded in the foundations of a Rome basilica as the coffin believed to contain the remains of the Apostle Paul.

The announcement marked the latest chapter of an excavation campaign under way since 2002, when Vatican archaeologists set out to locate the sarcophagus.

A
statue
of the
Apostle
Paul by
Adamo
Tadolini
stands
in St.
Peter's
Square
at the
Vatican.
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ALICE—Six years ago, Frank Espinoza returned with high hopes to the church he attended when he was married. He wanted to be a vital part of growing Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana in Alice.

Four months later, he came to a crossroads where he had to choose between his church and his family. His daughters didn't speak Spanish and weren't learning anything about Christianity at a Spanish-speaking church because of the language barrier. Soon, they didn't want to go to church.

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By Bob Abernathy

WASHINGTON (RNS)—Pulitzer Prize-winning scientist [E.O. Wilson](#) fears for creation—for many of the 10 million or more species of plants and animals he believes are in mortal peril.

Wilson, a biologist who recently retired from Harvard University, has written a new book, [The Creation](#), that is a plea for science and religion to work together to save the species.

Religious affiliations of Texas congressional delegation

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