

## Bible Classes

**January 19 — April 5, 2020**

“Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.” Psalm 119:105

Grace Spiritual Formation Ministry seeks to provide opportunities for people to GROW individually and in communities through Bible study. We offer Bible studies for all ages so God through the Holy Spirit can transform each person into a new creation in Christ.

**Sunday Morning classes** are 9:30 - 10:30 am.

**Additional classes** are offered during the week at various times.

### ADULT BIBLE STUDIES

#### Unlocking the Mysteries of Genesis

Come and let us learn together. Unlocking the Mysteries of Genesis presents evidence that confirms the Biblical account of creation and offers defensible answers to some of the most provocative and controversial questions of faith and science. How did life begin? Where did humans come from? Was Noah’s Flood real? How old is the earth? We will be using materials developed by the “Institute for Creation Research” and also of course the Bible. Come and join us on this adventure into the Mysteries of Genesis.

**Meeting in the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Room - Room 101A**

**Leaders:** *Dexter and Joyce McClure*

#### THE CULTURALLY SAVVY CHRISTIAN

Join us for a book study of *The Culturally Savvy Christian*, by Dick Staub. In this class, we will use Staub’s book as a launching point into conversations of what it looks like to be a relevant, authentic Christian in a digital (post-Christian) age. Together we will explore the different ways Christians react to our culture as well as God glorifying responses to our culture. Please sign up for this class by completing the sign-up card included in this brochure, and returning in the offering plate or to the church office.

**Meeting in the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Room - Room 106A**

**Leader:** *Jason Cuny*

#### ROMANS

Martin Luther said of Paul’s epistle to the Romans, “It is worthy not only that every Christian should know it word for word, by heart, but also that he should occupy himself with it every day, as the daily bread of the soul.” In Romans, the apostle Paul systematically presents the Gospel in its purest sense. Law and Gospel, Justification, Baptism, the Righteousness of Christ, and Sanctification – Romans has it all. Join us as we explore it together.

**Meeting in the 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Room - Room 102A**

**Leaders:** *Dick Bradshaw & Gene Satterfield*

#### FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

This class helps you use Biblical principles to manage your finances in a way that brings

you peace while honoring God at the same time. Building on the foundation taught in this class will help you to get out of debt, grow wealth, live generously, and give generously. Please go to [www.daveramsey.com](http://www.daveramsey.com) to purchase your materials for this class. Contact the church office if you have any problems purchasing these materials.

**Meeting in the 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Room - Room 103A**

**Leaders:** David Zecher

## SUNDAY MORNING COMMUNITIES

### BALANCING ACT

The Balancing Act is a Sunday Morning Community at Grace Lutheran Church. It is a place where those whose lives are a “balancing act” can intentionally grow in their faith together. Juggling jobs, children, parents, hobbies, and a myriad of other responsibilities and activities can make it difficult to find time to grow in your faith. However, this community will prayerfully be a place where those who are a part of it can do so together, and we would like to invite you to join us. We are currently taking a slow stroll through Romans.

**Meeting in the Church Library (Sanctuary Building)**

**Leaders:** Jordan & Kristin Haycock, Cameron & Laura Muelling

### OLD TESTAMENT FOR NON-NATIVE ENGLISH SPEAKERS

This class is geared towards those whose native language is not English, about 30 percent of the class covers the pronunciation and definitions of the words used in each chapter. Key Christian concepts of God's creation, His supremacy, grace and love, as well as our individual sin nature and need for salvation are emphasized. The course is available to anyone with the understanding that language skill & understanding development is a component of the class.

**Meeting in the Spanish Room, Room 100A**

**Leader:** Phil and Kleone Nelson

## WEEKDAY/ WEEKNIGHT BIBLE STUDIES

### MONDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE CLASS

**Time:** 1:00 pm until 3:00 pm

**Location:** Church Library

We welcome anyone who would like to join us.

**Facilitator:** Millie Sallo

### TUESDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE CLASS

(Does not meet on 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays)

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** Church Library

**Facilitators:** Karen Crout & Sylvia Miller

## THURSDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE CLASS

**When:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** Sina Andrews home

**Facilitator:** Sina Andrews

## LADIES OF GRACE CIRCLES

**Circles:** Ladies of Grace Circles meet for Bible study, fellowship, and discussion of LWML business the third week of every month. There are four circles (Hope, Faith, Peace, and Charity).

**When:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday or Thursday of each month

**Contact:** Karen Davidson

## YOUTH BIBLE STUDIES

### FAITH JOURNEY FOR CONFIRMANDS

Faith Journey confirmation instruction is for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade middle-school students to explore their faith, grow in God's love, and develop relationships, as they evaluate their commitment to living a life of Christian discipleship.

***Location: Meeting in the 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Room - Room 107A***

***Leaders: Mark Nelson & Elizabeth Reeves***

### HIGH SCHOOL: LIVING MY FAITH EVERY DAY

How do I defend different aspects of my faith as I go through daily encounters that contradict Scripture? How is God with me helping me to deal with whatever happens around me? Join us to share and learn.

***Location: Meeting in the Youth Room - Room 107F***

***Leaders: Christina Sereda & Amanda Steinmetz***

## CHILDREN'S BIBLE STUDIES

### 0-2 YEAR OLD

***Meeting in Nursery Room 131 of the Child Development Center***

***Leader: Katie Hayden***

### 3-YEAR OLD – PRE-KINDERGARTEN

Bible verses, music, and art activities are based on the weekly Bible Lesson.

***Location: Meeting in Room 100 of the Child Development Center***

***Leaders: Lorna Menzel & Virginia Evans***

### KINDERGARTEN -- 4TH GRADE

Children experience songs, craft, and a lesson from the scripture.

***Location: Meeting: Children are dropped off and picked up in the Choir***

**Room (Room 101) of the Sanctuary building. During the lesson time, children are separated into K-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade and 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grade using the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade school classrooms (Rooms 106 & 107).**

**Leaders:** Karen Tomkovich, Tabby and Scott Jagger, Rebecca Armstrong, Elise Fulda, June Kalange, Nancy Rice, Craig and Marion Camealy, and Mairlyn Johnson.

## **5TH GRADE**

Students begin the formal Confirmation journey with a more in-depth look at the Bible. We use Adventure Bible Curriculum to provide a Biblical Foundation on which our students can build for the rest of their lives.

**Location: Meeting in Room 105A (School Library) next to the Assembly / Annex room**

**Leaders: Pam Ols & Kyle Schikore**