

Children Sunday School Opportunities

Children age 3 years through 6th grade participate in the Sunday School Opening from 9:45 to 10:00 a.m. in Room 29, 2nd floor and then go to class from 10:00-10:45 a.m.

3 years - Kindergarten

These children will continue to use "Rock Solid". Rock Solid is about REAL kids, RELATING to God & one another, REFLECTING God's image in their lives every day, & RESPONDING to God's love through discipleship in Jesus Christ. The winter quarter focus is "Hope is Born".

1st - 6th Grade

These children will use the "Live B.I.G." curriculum. (Belief in God) Think B.I.G. because God is a great B.I.G. God, God loves us with a great B.I.G. love, & We are part of God's great B.I.G. world. The curriculum uses an integrated DVD component. The winter quarter will focus on "The Story of Bethlehem".

Teachers

Preschool

3rd Preschool Room
Jan Garrett
Renee Rumingan
Paige Spencer

Kindergarten

1st Preschool Room
Rebecca deGuzman
Pam Hirsch
Kari Mock

1st & 2nd Grade

Room 24
Linda Bloss-Baum
Karen Short
Beth Smith

3rd & 4th Grade

Room 27
Jeff Copp
Candace Dickerson
David Mentzer

5th & 6th Grade

Room 23
Mark Combs
Dana Harrison
Maureen Joseph

Nursery

The goal of our nursery is to provide a safe and engaging place for your child to enjoy while you participate in our church community. We are open during weekly services, Sunday School, ESL and seasonal church-related activities.

Sunday School Offering

The Sunday School this semester will support Cornelius Crops, a mission in the Shaw neighborhood in Washington D.C. This was started by Jim Melson, a United Methodist pastor. He was the pastor of Christ Crossman UMC prior to starting Cornelius Corps. Jim will speak to all of our Sunday School classes on December 11.

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WINTER SUNDAY SCHOOL

**December 2011 -
February 2012**

9:45am - 10:45am

**Linda Miller
Sunday School Superintendent**



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Adult Sunday School Opportunities

Pairs & Spares

This quarter we will recall God's promise to Abraham that through him all the nations of the earth would be blessed. We will study how that promise was passed from generation to generation until it was fulfilled in Christ. We will use selected scriptures from Genesis, Exodus, Luke and Galatians and the ADULT BIBLE STUDIES material as a guide. You are invited to join us in room 11 where you will find good fellowship, comfortable chairs and lively discussion each Sunday.

*Teacher: Audrey Fawcett
Room 11*

Faith Fellowship

For the Advent season, the Faith Fellowship class will be using a study by Alex Joyner titled, "Call Him God's Son." The study is based on the Bible readings used for Advent and Christmas and focuses on the creative tension of living in a world caught between what is and what is promised to be. All are welcome. Join us for coffee, tea and spirited discussion.

*Leaders: Floyd Smith & Steve Sprague
Room Multipurpose West*

Faith Café

The Faith Café meets each Sunday in the Wesley Room, adjacent to the sanctuary. Facilitated by Pastor Dave, this class studies various books, be they of the Bible, bestsellers, or spiritual reflections. This is a drop in- drop off class. Each class is independent on its own.

*Leader: Pastor Dave Kirkland
Wesley Room*

Growing Disciples

This class is intended to help each person grow deeper in faith through study, prayer, discussion and action. For the 2011 – 2012 year, we will follow a systematic Bible study using the outline provided by "Disciple II: Into the Word, Into the World." This study covers Genesis, Exodus, Luke, and Acts.

With this curriculum as the outline, we will spend three weeks on each chapter of the study guide: reading the Bible during the week, praying on a passage the first Sunday using the lectio divina format; and discussing the reading on the second and third Sundays. A fourth Sunday in each cycle will be spent in a deeper "touch-in" when members share life issues in order to support one another in our faith journeys.

Grounding ourselves in Bible study and working with the topics brought up by the text will challenge us, feed our souls, spur us to action and build community. We will share leadership among all the class members. Although this is a continuation of last year's class, new members are welcome at any time.

*Coordinators: Walter Hylton, Susan Riggs & Chapman Taylor
Room 12*

Youth Sunday School Opportunities

Each youth class will meet separately from 9:45-10:30. At 10:30 the classes will combine in Room 30 for open conversation, games, and fellowship.

Crusaders Youth Class 7th & 8th Grade

For the winter quarter we will base our discussions on the video series, "Why Jesus? What tough questions do you have about Jesus?" by David Nasser. This series is filmed on location throughout Israel and addresses the tough questions about Jesus. We will explore the cultural differences (and similarities) between Jesus' time and today's world to understand God in our every day lives.

*Teachers: Chris Joseph & Mary Rank
Room 28*

Close Ties Youth Class 9th-12th grades

We'll explore the connections between Christianity and contemporary life sparked by videos from TED Talks conferences. TED is a nonprofit organization that believes "passionately in the power of ideas to change attitudes, lives and ultimately, the world". Each Sunday, we'll watch a short video and talk about one of the "ideas worth spreading", looking for connections to our lives as Christians. Some of the topics we'll explore: ending hunger, peace, life purpose, happiness, social justice, and a few surprising ones, too!

*Teachers: Beth McMartin & Nancy Reuscher
Room 30*