

Upcoming Adult Bible Studies beginning in September 2017

Join a study this year – many different opportunities to strengthen your faith journey.

Untold Blessings by Bishop Barron

The greatest calling for each of us is to become a saint, and the journey toward holiness is full of untold blessing. Bishop Barron describes this journey in three paths: finding the center in Christ; knowing you are a sinner; realizing your life is not about you. (8 Sessions)(Sunday mornings at 10:15 beginning Sept 17 with Denise Palm, Liz Ware facilitating)

Eucharist by Bishop Barron

Inspiring insights into the mystery of Christ's presence in our lives and the centrality of the Eucharist as an important part of that presence is the thesis for this study. It is a fresh look at the Eucharist as a sacred meal, the sacrifice necessary for communion with God and the real presence of Christ. (5 sessions) (Saturday evenings beginning in January)

A Biblical Walk through the Mass by Dr. Edward Sri

This study takes a timeless tour through the liturgy exploring the biblical roots of the words and gestures we experience in Mass and explains their profound significance. (4 sessions) (Saturday evenings beginning 16 September)

Queen of Heaven- Mary's Battle for You by Leonardo Defilippis and Fr. Patrick Winslow

Embark on a journey that begins before time itself, when Mary was only an eternal thought in the mind of God and extend into her life in Scripture. Discover our Mother throughout centuries, as she intervenes at pivotal periods especially at her most famous apparitions. (8 sessions) (Sunday mornings beginning 17 Sept with Ivy D. Lee, Linda Hairston, Deborah Wright Federico facilitating)

Jesus Revealed – Encountering Christ in His Biblical Names by Fr. Jeffrey Kirby and Dr. Paul Thigpen

Examine more than 750 scripture verses from across the Old and New Testaments in order to discover Jesus in his biblical names. Uncover the types and pre-figure descriptions of Christ throughout Scripture and see how the whole of the bible points to Jesus. (18 sessions) (Wednesday nights beginning 13 Sept, Thursday mornings 14 Sept, Sunday mornings 17 Sept)

RCIA – Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Confirmation? Want to know why Catholics bow to the altar and genuflect to the tabernacle? Why Catholics “give up” something at Lent? Then come join our RCIA class on Sunday mornings from 10:15 – 11:50am. (Beginning 17 Sept with Rich Arnold facilitating)

Every Man's Journey: Becoming the Man God Intended by James P. Campbell

Using St. Peter as the case study and example, this book of meditations explains how God calls and show us to be the men He wants us to be, through our successes and failures (Just liked flawed St. Peter) (Men's bible study meeting once a month with pizza and beer) (beginning 15 October with Alex Layman facilitating)

WOW! Women of Wonder: a scriptural look at women in the bible

Beginning in the Old Testament and journeying through the New, this study will examine women of the bible and reflect on their stories and their similarities to ours. Beginning with Eve and ending with the Blessed Mother, we will gain insight and advice from our scriptural sisters. (Monthly women's bible study with chocolate and wine) (Beginning Oct 29 with Margie Curtis facilitating)

Feeding Your Family's Soul by Donna Marie Cooper O'Boyle

The family has been called the domestic church and it is there that we first learn about God, our prayers and how to live our Christian life. This book uses the family dinner time as an opportunity to share and teach the faith. (Home study with gathering at end of year)

Theology on Tap held at Jose Tequila's in City Center

A monthly gathering for young adults (21 – 35 years of age) on the peninsula. Check out the Facebook page PeninsulaFrassatiYA for more information and other event schedules. (Third Thursday of the month at 7pm)

English as a Second Language, HEAL and Citizenship Classes

Weekly classes offered at STJ and at Sherwood Arms Apartments. Any adult is welcome to register to attend these free classes which will start on 17 Sept. Call the office for more information.

