

Wednesday Night Discipleship for Children and Youth

Childrens Handbells

3 rd Grade	5:00 – 5:45 p.m. in room 234
4 th and 5 th Grade	5:00 – 5:45 p.m. in room 235

Family Meal (all ages) 5:30 – 6:15 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

Art and Soul

Pre-K	6:15 – 7:15 in Room 236
Kindergarten, First and Second Grade	6:15 – 7:15 in Room 232
3 rd , 4 th , and 5 th Grade	6:15 – 7:15 in Room 240

Middle School Youth Fellowship

Wednesdays, 6:15 – 7:15 p.m. in Room 303

High School Youth Bible Studies

Led by Russ Brogden and Jeff McCord – Thursdays, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Rogers home, 1434 Linville Street.

Led by Eric Smith and Elzear Lemieux – Tuesdays, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the Smith's home, 3846 Lochwood Road.

Music Ensembles on Wednesday

(no change from what you have already)

Bible Studies and Discipleship Small Groups – Fall 2010

Lord, Change My Attitude by James MacDonald. Experience God's transformation of complaining to thanksgiving, covetousness to contentment, criticism to love and more. Facilitated by Gay Aycock.

- Sundays, September 12 – December 5, 2010 in Room L05 from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Student book: \$15.00

Claiming Your Place at the Fire: Living the Second Half of Your Life on Purpose by Richard Leider and David Shapiro

This book study is for those 50 and older who want to find greater purpose in their lives and who want to grow "whole" instead of "old". We will explore possibilities and ways of claiming our place at the "fire" here at First Broad Street. Facilitated by Dr. Rev. John Wilson.

- Mondays, September 13 – October 25, 2010 from noon – 1:00 p.m. in Room L14. Bring a sack lunch, drinks will be provided.

Student book: \$12.00

Lord, Give Me Patience and Give It to Me Now by James W. Moore.

We are an impatient people who want everything done in a hurry. But God refuses to be rushed. In the words of author James W. Moore, “We love instant results... (but)The way to become a spiritually mature Christian is to spend so much time with Christ that we begin to think and act like him, to spend so much time with him that we take on what the apostle Paul called “the mind of Christ.” This takes time and effort and commitment.” Are you in need of a healthy perspective on patience? Facilitated by Josie Reid.

- Mondays, September 13 – December 6, 2010 in room 141 from 9:45 – 11:00 a.m.

Student book: \$12.00

DISCIPLE



BECOMING DISCIPLES
THROUGH BIBLE STUDY

The foundational study of the DISCIPLE series is BECOMING DISCIPLES THROUGH BIBLE STUDY. This course gives equal time to both the Old and New Testament, emphasizing the wholeness of the Bible as the revelation of God. DISCIPLE aims at transformation, not just information, and calls on persons to submit themselves to examination by Scripture, to put themselves under the power of God’s Word, and to be changed by God’s Word. DISCIPLE affirms that the Bible is the key to renewal in the church.

This study requires reading large portions of Scripture each week and is based on careful study and preparation. During the course of thirty-four weeks, groups will move through the biblical stories of Creation to the New Jerusalem. The principal Scripture for each session follows the chronological movement of the biblical story. Facilitated by Rev. Margaret Deans and David Bagwell

- PREVIEW and Orientation session will be Tuesday, August 31, 2010 in room L 30 from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
- Day and time for study will be based upon participants input. If you are interested in participating, RSVP to 224-1513 to attend the PREVIEW session on August 31st.

Student book: \$35.00

Writing Your Own Story with Billie Chesney.

Have you ever wanted to write down stories and memories of your life, especially your faith story? Billie Chesney will help you find the right words and offer you tips and encouragement for passing along important stories to your family. There is no book for this class, but there will be homework!

- Tuesdays, October 5 – 26, 2010 from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. in room 141.

The **Tuesday Morning Ladies' Bible Study** will study *Living Intimately* by Lenya Heitzig and Penny Pierce Rose this fall.

“After three years of ministry, traveling the countryside, encountering thousands of desperate people, delivering a radical new message, Jesus has one last night to spend with His disciples. And he knows it. What does Jesus say? How does he say it? What can we learn from his final words?” Come and find out! Facilitated by Joy Eastridge

- Tuesdays, beginning September 7, 2010 at Joyce Brogden's home, 1501 Dobyys Drive from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

Student book: \$11.25, payable at first class

Please reserve your place (maximum of 25) by emailing jeastridge@fbsumc.org or joy@eastridges.com.

Here and Now...There and Then by Beth Moore

This new study by Beth Moore is a lecture series on the book of Revelation. Beth presents many points of view, allowing participants to decide for themselves when the interpretation varies among scholars. A “Listening Guide” with light homework will enrich your understanding of this important book. Facilitated by Pat Davis

- Tuesdays, September 21 – December 7, 2010, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. in Room 234

Student book: \$9.00

Simple Church: Returning to God's Process for Making Disciples by Thom S. Rainer and Eric Geiger.

“A Simple Church is a congregation designed around a straight-forward and strategic process that moves people through the stages of spiritual growth.” This study will challenge us to examine how we fulfill our primary responsibility to nurture fully mature disciples for Jesus Christ, as a church, as laity and as staff, and to utilize the process of discipleship that Jesus used. Facilitated by Mickey Rainwater.

- Wednesdays, September 8 – October 19, 2010 in room 141 from 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.

Student book: \$13.00

Financial Peace University by Dave Ramsey

Financial Peace University is a life-changing program that teaches you how to make sound decisions with your money. You'll be empowered with the practical skills

and confidence needed to gain a healthy attitude toward money that will enable you to achieve your life goals. Facilitated by Jason Roberts

- Wednesdays, September 8– December 8 in the Theatre room from 6:00 – 7:15 p.m. **PREVIEW on September 1, at 6:00 p.m.** RSVP to 224-1513
Student materials: \$109.00

Thursday Morning Bible Study with Terry Tolson.

Are you looking for a warm fellowship and relevant Bible study? Come to the Thursday Morning Bible study group. The group will study ***“Faithful, Abundant, True”*** by Kay Arthur, Priscilla Shirer and Beth Moore. Facilitated by Terry Tolson

- Thursday, beginning on August 19, 2010 from 9:30 – 11:00 a.m. in Room L 44.

Student book - \$13.00.

The Read ‘Em and Reap Book Club

Join the *Read ‘Em and Reap Book Club* at First Broad Street for lively and interesting discussions of current literature. We will begin with the book *My Journey to My Happy Home* by Retta Sexton on Thursday, **September 16**. Other meeting dates will be **October 21 and November 18**, and we will announce books after the first meeting. Mingle and munch begins at 6:15 in the church library followed by discussion from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

For more information, please contact Beth Geno (iegeno@embarqmail.com) or Kay Ann Smith (288-2468). Everyone is encouraged to come reap the benefits of belonging to a book club!

Discipleship Opportunities Coming in 2011

“Bible WorkBench: Seeing Biblically”: A workshop retreat for everyone who has ever longed for a deeper experience of scripture. Bible WorkBench is a resource, not a curriculum. Engage Biblical stories through literature and poetry, film, video, music and visual art. Explore the themes and motifs of scripture, gain insights from the text, learn from biblical scholars like Walter Brueggemann, Marcus Borg, Walter Wink, and more. Facilitated by Sheila Ennis (Jane Schulz’ daughter-in-law), Executive Director of The Educational Center.

- Thursday, January 6 – Friday, January 7, 2011

Watch for more information and registration opportunities.