

MIDWEEK COMMUNITY AT PCPC

January 13–April 21, 2010

An evening of worship, dinner, fellowship, and teaching

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Vespers Service

5:30–6:00 pm, Chapel

Come enjoy a brief time of worship, meditation, and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper each Wednesday.

MidWeek Dinner

5:30–6:45 pm, Fellowship Hall

Reservation line: 214-224-2826

Enjoy dinner with your PCPC family—a great chance to meet new friends! Bring the family for a delicious, balanced meal at a very reasonable price (\$7 for ages 11-up, \$3.50 for ages 6-10, and children under 5 eat free). Come early for Vespers! Make reservations by 4:00 pm, Mondays. TAKE OUT meals are also available and can be ordered on the reservation line.

Chancel Choir

7:00–9:00 pm; Room 300

Come join the Chancel Choir for rehearsal on Wednesday evenings. As always, new members are welcome to join. The choir is an eclectic group skill-wise; a proficient musical background is not required, but do bring a passion for listening, learning, and leading. For general information regarding choir and specifics on childcare, contact Jayne Bjork, 214-224-2632, jayne.bjork@pcpc.org.

ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

Children's Choirs

Contact: Lynda Fray, 214-224-2636, lynda.fray@pcpc.org

Childcare (1/13-4/21)

6:20–8:30 pm

(for ages birth–kindergarten)

Reservation line: 214-706-2797

Check in at the red Nursery desk for room assignments.

Contact: Gale Emerson, 214-224-2566, gale.emerson@pcpc.org

PARENTS: Register for childcare by phone, 214-706-2797, before MidWeek begins. Please call to cancel your reservation if your child cannot attend.

Middle and High School Youth

Contact: Lily Riemer, 214-224-2762, lily.riemer@pcpc.org

ADULT CLASSES

Women's Bible Study: Wisdom for Women in the World

(1/13-4/21)

6:30–8:30 pm; Rooms 107, 109

Teaching based on "Genesis: Let Grace Begin": with small group time, lecture, and study questions.

Materials: \$15 for spring semester

Teacher: Kay Gabrysch

Contact: Ann Higginbottom, 214-224-2725, ann.higginbottom@pcpc.org

Wednesday Watchman Evening Class (1/13-4/21)

6:30–8:00 pm; 3717 Marquette

Beloved Disciple: The Life and Ministry of John, by Beth Moore

Materials: \$25 at first class

Teachers: Becky Bain and Laura Tinsley

Contact: Ann Higginbottom, 214-224-2725, ann.higginbottom@pcpc.org

The Passion Of The Prophets

(1/13-2/17)

6:45-8:00 pm, Room 261

How can the voices and experiences of the prophets point us to a new intensity of living for the One to whom they pointed? 1. Deborah—*A Passion for God and His Cause*; 2. Elijah—*A Passion for God and His Renewal*; 3. Isaiah—*A Passion for God and His Salvation*; 4. Jeremiah—*A Passion for God and His Truth*; 5. Zechariah—*A Passion for God and His Grace*; 6. John—*A Passion for God and His Righteousness*.

Teacher: Neatice Warner

Contact: Ann Higginbottom, 214-224-2725, ann.higginbottom@pcpc.org

Lenten Prayer Study: Hear the Call to Worship (2/17-3/24)

6:45-8:00 pm, Parlor

Be refreshed and renewed this Lenten season as we seek to tune our hearts to Christ's heart. Join us as we search to find great rest in Him, pursuing His voice through a study of His prayer life in scripture. Gather and grow together in this six-week Lenten prayer class by exploring the basics of prayer and worship. Discover that God wants to do more to our prayers than we can ever ask or imagine.

Teacher: Elizabeth Robinson

Contact: Ann Higginbottom, 214-224-2725, ann.higginbottom@pcpc.org

Men's Bible Study: The Book of Revelation (1/13-4/21)

6:45–8:30 pm, Rooms 303, 304, 305

A study and comparison of the different interpretations of the book of Revelation.

Materials: \$15/semester

Teacher: Pete Deison

Contact: Lawan Andersen, 214-224-2739, lawan.andersen@pcpc.org

Romans 6-8; Flesh and Spirit in Pauline Sanctification

(1/13-4/21)

6:30-8:00 pm, Room 262

Like Paul, every Christian experiences the don't-do-what-I-want,-but-do-what-I-hate moment. Why can't we act right when we want to do right? What is the flesh, and what effect does it have on my desire for righteousness? Join us and let Paul speak to these issues using his own experience in Romans 6-8.

Teacher: Ken Olles

Contact: Debbie Blanton, 214-224-2744, debbie.blanton@pcpc.org

The Epic of Eden: (re)Discovering the Old Testament

(1/13-4/21)

6:30-8:00 pm, Room 302

Join us for a semester-long journey through the story of the Old Testament. We will develop a simple framework which holds the story together, trace the major themes that are developed through the history of God's actions, examine pivotal connections to the New Testament, and think through what it all means for us today.

Teacher: Jeremy Weese

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No MidWeek March 17 (Spring Break) and March 31 (Holy Week)

Peacemaking: Foundation for Godly Relationships (1/13–4/21)

7:00–8:30 pm, Room 263

How often do we ponder the power, the blessing, the gift, the effect, and the dangers of our words? Get to the heart of communication struggles. Communicate in a way that confronts problems without worsening them. Speak and listen in a way that promotes trust. Facilitated by Doug and Barbara Smith, this study lays a scriptural foundation with the *War of Words* video series taught by Paul Tripp. Learn and practice ways of handling difficult conversations and helping others to do so. Join us and learn more about accomplishing God's purposes for our words in all of our relationships.

Materials: \$10/ per book

Contact: Betty Montague, 214-224-2683, betty.montague@pcpc.org

DivorceCare (1/13-4/21)

6:45–8:45 pm; Room 420 Oak Lawn East (second door south of the Sanctuary in the building facing Oak Lawn)

Find help and healing for the hurt of separation and divorce. Join us as we watch videos and engage in discussions about one of life's most difficult experiences. You will gain access to valuable DivorceCare resources to help you face challenges and move toward rebuilding your life. It is a safe place to begin the healing process and to receive God's comfort and support with others who understand. For more information, please go to www.pcpc.org/ministries/counseling/divorcecare/.

Materials: \$15/ semester (scholarships are available)

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Ground School (1/13–5/12)

6:45–8:00 pm, Oak Lawn West

The Westminster Confession of Faith stands as a foundational summary of Reformed theology and as the bedrock for our denomination's understanding of what the scriptures principally teach. Ground School will have the Confession as its primary subject, and is so named for two reasons. It will seek to explore the ground of our faith, life, and ministry with the Confession's articulation of the Scripture as our guide. But just as those learning to fly submit to a season of preliminary training on the ground, Ground School seeks not just to explain what the Westminster Divines taught, but to form a community around that teaching so that, like Elijah, we might become rightly jealous for the Lord (1 Kings 19:10). Then we shall "mount up with wings like eagles" (Isaiah 40:31) because we've tasted and seen the Lord is good (Psalm 34:8).

Teachers: Patrick Lafferty and Tim Jeffress

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