

WINTER WEDNESDAYS

JANUARY 10 — FEBRUARY 28, 6:30-7:30 PM (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)



FOR EVERYONE

THE WAY OF JESUS

MITCH EAST & CLINT LARUE | A102

If you want to go deep in your faith, this class is for you. We identified three ingredients to a mature faith: conviction, obedience, and prayer. The fall quarter was about conviction. The winter quarter is a study on obedience. Whether you are new to church or feel stagnant in your faith, join us. Together, we will take more steps down the Way of Jesus.

FAITH, HOPE, LOVE

LYNN MCMILLON | A105-A106

You have seen "faith, hope, and love" framed in art and on bumper stickers. But what does the Bible say about faith, hope, and love? Are these ideas generic principles that apply to anyone? What makes them distinctively Christian? This study will focus on both of Paul's letters to the Thessalonians and a deeper look at what faith, hope, and love are about.

HARMONY UNLEASHED

STEPHEN MAXWELL | 122-123

Unlock the power of your voice and glorify God with an engaging singing class. Whether you are a seasoned vocalist or a complete beginner, this class is designed to help you explore the art of singing, refine your vocal skills, and connect with God. Unlike WOW (Wonder of Worship), this class is about vocal refinement, seeking to enhance vocal experience with technical learning and skills.

FOR WOMEN

COME AS YOU ARE: THEN SINGS MY SOUL

ROBIN WAUGH & MARY ANN ROSENBALM | A119

Come and you will be blessed by songs, scriptures, and inspirational stories of women songwriters in this devotional class for women. No registration needed.

PRAYER: DOES IT MAKE A DIFFERENCE? [PRE-REGISTRATION]

TONYA PATTON | A117-118

Philip Yancey describes prayer as "the most fundamental, challenging, perplexing, and deeply rewarding aspect of our relationship with God." Join us as we explore the privilege of prayer through video and pair share discussion. Study guide is \$10. Pre-register at mrcc.org/women.

CENTER FOR WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES: 2 PETER & JUDE JANUARY 24 - MARCH 13 [PRE-REGISTRATION]

RENE AXTELL & JUDY BRANCH | A116

CWBS is a small group Bible study open to all women in the community who desire an in-depth study of God's word. Join us for an 8-week study of 2 Peter & Jude. January 24- March 13. Class requires a \$10 study guide and approximately 1 hour of homework each week. Registration required at mrcc.org/cwbs Limited spaces available.

MORE ON REVERSE SIDE

CARE/SUPPORT GROUPS

GRIEF SHARE 13 WEEKS [PRE-REGISTRATION]

CHERRY HART | A111

If you have experienced the death of a loved one, please join us for this program of education and support. In an atmosphere of mutual love, we discuss the journey of grief, and acquire tools to handle this challenging time in our lives. Free to attend and you will receive a workbook. More details and *registration instructions at mrcc.org/care*

ONGOING CLASSES

THE HUB-WE FOLLOW JESUS [FOR YOUNG ADULTS]

LEE LANGDON | FELLOWSHIP CENTRAL

The HUB is a place where single and married adults in their 20s and 30s can connect with each other through fellowship, worship, and bible study. During the winter quarter, Kent Hartman will discuss managing money in a way that honors the Lord (January). Dudley Chancey and Rhonda Martin will discuss how to share our Christian faith in the young adult world (February).

BUCKET LIST BOOK CLUB [2024: FLANNERY O'CONNOR] [MEETS 2ND WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH]

CALEB MCCOY | A109

All are welcome as we read classic books with spiritual components that we might not otherwise read on our own. Past books have included: Dante's Divine Comedy, Pilgrim's Progress, and Paradise Lost. This year we will read the collected works of Flannery O'Connor, including *Wise Blood* and *A Good Man is Hard to Find*.

INTERNATIONAL

CLAY HART | A103-104

This class is designed for one on one or small group conversations centered on discussion of short texts from a simplified English translation of the Bible. Internationals are paired with native English speakers to improve language skills, share their stories, and develop friendship while talking about God, culture, and life. Anyone is welcome.

EARLYBIRD CLASS

FIRSTBORN OVER ALL CREATION: [5:10-6:00]

PHIL LEWIS | A105-106

In our study of Colossians, we will see Jesus incarnate in His infinite glory and see Him divesting himself of the trappings of that glory. We will view warnings against false teachers and what a new life in Christ means, as well as rules for Christian households.