

Sunday Adult Growth Groups Third Floor, Education Building

SUNDAY CLASSES

9:30 a.m.

New Beginnings—Room 301

Facilitators:

Primetime—Room 307

Facilitators: Chris Buice, Eddie McLeod

Friendship—Room 305

Facilitators: Julie Johnson, Nancy Goodyear

Breath of Spring—302

Facilitator:

11:00 a.m.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS!!!

Class Name: The 11th Hour Class **Room:** 305

Date: Beginning September 8th

Facilitators: Med & Susan Roach

Med & Susan will begin the class with a study of the Revelation of John.

Life Groups

Life Groups consist of 8 to 12 persons who meet regularly to share life's journey together.

If you are looking to connect in a meaningful way with a small group of fellow believers, **Life**

Groups will provide you that opportunity.

These informal gatherings will enable you to develop some of the deepest and closest relationships you may ever have, not to mention offer you support and encouragement in your Christian walk. For more information contact Stuart Greene & Nathan Dickens.



Also, look for more:

United Methodist Women, First Tuesday, 10am-noon,
Fellowship Hall

United Methodist Women's Readers' Group
Thursdays, once a quarter, 12:30pm church library

Schedule for Upcoming Events

Office Closed	September 2nd
Tailgating with the Ministers	September 4th
Faith Sharing Seminar	September 6th—7th
ONE Service 8:00 am	October 20th (Gold Rush)
Office Closed	November 27th—29th
Advent at DUMC	November 26th, December 3rd December 10th, December 17th
Hanging of the Greens	December 1st
1st Sunday of Advent	December 1st
2nd Sunday of Advent	December 8th
Children's Christmas Program	December 8th
3rd Sunday of Advent	December 15th
4th Sunday of Advent	December 22nd
Christmas Eve Services	December 24th 4:00pm, 7:00pm, 11:00pm
Office Closed	December 23rd, 24th & 25th
First Night Dahlongega	December 31st



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Spiritual Growth Opportunities

Fall 2019



Sundays

Alpha

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation.



Alpha is

REAL – Alpha presents the reality of who Jesus is. Alpha encourages everyone to be real and authentic. People are welcome to ask questions and look for answers.

RELATIONAL – Alpha is based on genuine friendships that are built up over a few weeks and often last for years afterwards.

RELIANT – On Alpha we are reliant on the Holy Spirit because we realize that it is only God who changes people's lives; we just introduce Him.

The heart of Alpha is the small group. This is where people can ask questions, talk through issues, build relationships and experience what the Christian life really looks like. Alpha small groups are not like other small groups. The focus is on allowing participants the space to ask questions rather than a teacher offering all the answers.

Facilitator: Rev. Steve Schofield

Time: 4:00-6:00

Room: Library

Cost: No Cost

Durations: 11 Weeks—September 15th—December 8th

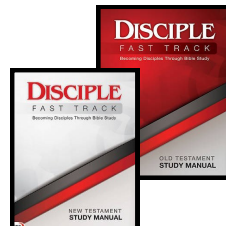
Disciple I

Overview of the OT and NT, foundational for any Christian who desires to know God through His Word!

Facilitator: Rev. Paul Bennett

Time: 4:00 —6:00 **Room:** 305 **Cost:** \$32

Duration: 25 Weeks-Starting September 8th



Disciple II

Disciple II, Into the Word, Into the World helps readers deepen their understanding of scripture and make connections between what they already know and what they are reading. Each week you will encounter three spiritual disciplines, learn what they are, and how you can engage those disciplines.

Facilitator: Rev. Robin Parr

Time: 4:00—6:00 pm **Room:** 302 **Cost:** \$32

Duration: 24 Weeks—Starting September 8th



Mondays

A study in the book of Matthew— 12 Weeks

Facilitator: Dan Parr

Time: 6:30 pm—8:00 pm—beginning August 12th

Location: Weaver Law Firm—5650 Georgia Highway 400, Cumming, GA (3 miles south of the Dawson Premium Outlets)

Cost: No Cost/Bring your Bible

Tuesdays

Men's Bible Study at Achasta

Facilitator: Rev. Steve Schofield

Time: 8:30am-9:30am

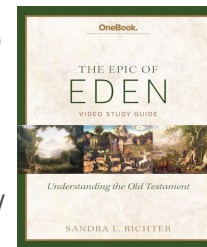
Ongoing studies of Biblical books and topics.

All men are welcome.

WordBytes-A one-hour lunch-time study!

The Epic of Eden

Does your knowledge of the Old Testament feel like a grab bag of people, books, events and ideas? How many times have you resolved to really understand the OT? To finally make sense of it? In *The Epic of Eden Video Study*, Dr. Sandra Richter clearly and powerfully communicates a history of God's redeeming grace, weaving together a story that runs from the Eden of the Garden to the garden of the New Jerusalem. Dr. Richter uses this 12-week study to bring a new dimension to the history of the ancient Near East, orienting any study group in time, geography, culture, redemption, and relevance to today—all without diminishing her reader's faith or "dumbing down" the scripture.



Facilitator: Rev. Robin Parr

Time: 12pm-1pm

Room: 305

Cost: \$20.00

Duration: July 9th through July 30th/Sept. 3rd—Sept. 24th

Linda Faija Women's Small Group Bible Study

Time: 1:00pm—3:00pm

Duration: Beginning July 23rd—June, 2020

Location: At the home of Linda Faija.

Wednesdays

Symbols of Advent & Christmas— Hands-on Study

Candles—Light of Christ

Wreaths—Trinity

Star Ornament-Promise

Time: 6:30—7:30pm

Room: Fellowship Hall

Cost: \$30

Date: November 6th, November 13th, November 20th,

December 4th—Reindeer Games

Wednesdays continued,

Methodism 101

A Class for all those new to the United Methodist Church or even if you have been a Methodist all your life but have always had questions, Pastor Steve will help you better understand and identify the structure of the United Methodist Church, the historical roots and beliefs of United Methodists, and the growth and core principals of Modern Methodism. An informative class for all Methodists!

Facilitator: Rev. Steve Schofield

Time: 6:30 PM

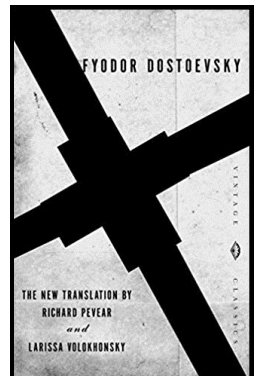
Room: Library

Cost: No Cost

Duration: October 2nd, October 9th, October 16th, October 23rd

Book Club

Steve invites you to read a book with him every month and follow up with robust discussion. We will choose the books two months in advance to give opportunity for everyone to purchase and read. **We will begin with *The Idiot*, by Fyodor Dostoyevsky.** Returning to St. Petersburg from a Swiss sanatorium, the gentle and naive Prince Myshkin - known as 'the idiot' - pays a visit to his distant relative General Yepanchin and proceeds to charm the General, his wife and his three daughters. But his life is thrown into turmoil when he chances on a photograph of the beautiful Natasya Filippovna. Utterly infatuated with her, he soon finds himself caught up in a love triangle and drawn into a web of blackmail, betrayal and, finally, murder. Through Prince Myshkin, Dostoyevsky sets out to portray the purity of "a truly beautiful soul" and to explore the perils that innocence and goodness face in a corrupt world. **The follow up discussion will be September 25th.**



Facilitator: Rev. Steve Schofield

Time: 6:30 pm

Room: Library

Date: Last Wednesday of each month except for November and December.

Thursdays

Women's Trust Circle

Time: 6:00pm—7:00pm Third Thursday of each month

Room: Library

Cost: No Cost