

Encountering God's Word

Adult Bible Study - Year 2025

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

All Saints Parish is proud to offer Bible study programs for adults who wish to grow in their knowledge of scripture, Church history, and Catholic teaching. Come and experience the life-changing power of God's Word!

All are welcome!

*ADVISORY: Registration is complete when payment is received in full. Study Guides will be provided for registered participants only. Late registrations subject to additional shipping fee!

For more information, contact:

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Will Catholics Be "Left Behind"?

5 Sessions | 6PM Tuesdays, Sept. 30 - Oct. 28, 2025

Facilitated by: Karyn Panesko & Rachel Corp In-Person Session Sept. 30 | Zoom Sessions All Remaining Dates Video Commentary by Carl Olsen, Tan Books

Cost: \$16*

Registration closes September 1! *Late registrations subject to additional shipping fee.

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Will Catholics Be "Left Behind"? Perhaps no other book of the Bible fascinates us more than *The Book of Revelation*. Yet, to truly understand God's word, we must follow the Magisterium of His Holy Church and refuse to be misled by popular alarmist notions that conflict with the revealed meaning of the Apostle John's inspired words.

Carl Olson is a former Fundamentalist who grew up with many misconceptions about the "end times." This study is a thorough critique of the popular Fundamentalist notion of the "Rapture"— the belief that Christians will be removed from earth prior to a time of Tribulation and the Second Coming. It examines the theological, historical, and Biblical basis for "premillennial dispensationalism," the belief system based on the Rapture, and popularized in the best-selling *Left Behind* books and taught by "Bible prophecy" writers like Tim LaHaye, Hal Lindsey and Jack Van Impe.

What's Included:

- Study Guide for Home Preparation and Small-Group Sharing
- Engaging Questions and Commentary
- Suggested Responses to Study Questions
- Video Streaming

Frequently Asked Questions:

Is pre-ordering my Study Guide required?

In order to effectively facilitate our program, advance registration is required. Rates may differ for late registration due to shipping rates. If you need help with registration, please contact our program coordinator.

Registration is complete when payment is received in full!

When will my Study Guide be available for pick-up?

Everything you need for class will be available for pick-up at 11AM Mass as follows (For special arrangement, please contact Ministry Coordinator Karyn Panesko):

Sunday, Sept. 20 & 27:

Will Catholics Be "Left Behind"? (6PM Tuesdays)

If I can't complete my home study preparation, should I still come to class?

Absolutely! While weekly home study preparation enables participants to deepen their small-group sharing experience, we recognize that busy schedules can sometimes get in the way. Your presence is always welcome! Small-group sharing, weekly video sessions, fellowship and community-building are all invaluable benefits you won't want to miss!

I'm concerned about joining a virtual class. I don't know how to use Zoom.

No worries! We are here to help!

Zoom access is as easy as clicking a secure link you will receive by eMail. When registering, be sure to provide your current eMail address. Your group facilitator will send a weekly invitation for the duration of your study.

There's no need to download anything! All that's required is a web browser, a webcam and a microphone. If you are using a Smartphone, these items are built in! PC users may need to purchase and install separately.

If you would like to test-drive Zoom, contact Paula Schmitz, Pastoral Associate for Adult Formation at (253) 286-0028 or paulas@allsaintsparish.com to set up a practice session!

Important To Know:

Sold separately:

Registered participants must have a Catholic Bible and the *Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC)*. Please visit your nearest Catholic bookstore or contact ministry coordinator to learn more.

Recommended Bible translations:

Standard or Study Bible versions preferred
Revised Standard Version – Catholic Edition (RSV-CE)
New American Bible (NAB)

Digital versions of the Catechism of the Catholic Church available online at these websites:

http://ccc.usccb.org/flipbooks/catechism/index.html http://www.scborromeo.org/ccc.htm