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# ADULTS FALL 2024

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If you're like most adults visiting churches, you're not on the hunt for trivial activities to add to your saturated schedule! You're looking for a place to belong, full of truth to apply, with a vision for making a meaningful difference in your home, your community and beyond.

Our hope and prayer as a community of faith is that everyone—and we mean everyone—would be equipped to have all of the influence God intends for them to have where they live, work and play. We've found that this happens best when we connect in circles instead of rows. That means we are striving to connect in small groups, all of which are dedicated to authentic relationships, personal growth, compassionate care and ministry involvement.

For adults, we encourage everyone to pursue placement in a Community Group. We also have great opportunities to connect with other men or women. Take a look at all we have to offer this Fall and come find your place to belong!

## COMMUNITY GROUPS

We were not meant to be alone! We were created to live in community, and we are transformed by the communities we live in. Community Groups are the ultimate landing spot for lasting change.

Each group is typically made up of 10-14 people and meets every other week from Sept. – May in people's homes. Time is devoted to fellowship, study, prayer and discussion focused on the application of God's Word. Groups are a place to know and be known, to love and be loved, to serve and be served. To learn more stop by Starting Point and pick up a Community Group Information Form or fill one out online through the newsletter or website.



### Every Good Endeavor: Connecting Your Work to God's Work by Dr. Tim Keller

Most people sitting in the pews of our churches on Sunday morning spend more time in the workplace than anywhere else. Therefore, we as Christ followers must learn to avoid the sacred vs. secular split so we can take Christ with us in very practical ways...to work! **Join us beginning Monday, September 23 from 6:30-8:00pm for this 6-week study.**



### I was Broke. Now I'm Not. By Joseph Sangl

This book provides the essential and practical principles of Biblical stewardship. Learn how to manage your money in ways that will honor God and help you avoid decisions that could cripple you financially and emotionally for years. **Join us beginning Monday, September 23 from 6:30-8:00pm for this 7-week study.**



### Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis

Mere Christianity explores the core beliefs of Christianity by providing an unequalled opportunity for believers and nonbelievers alike to hear a powerful, rational case for the Christian faith. **This study is held on Friday mornings from 6 – 7:30am. (Currently full.)**

### The Freedom Fight: Finding Freedom from Unwanted Lust and Porn

If you want to break free from the habit, addiction and shame of lust and porn or if you just want to grow in fighting temptation, this is the study for you. EVERY man fights this battle, and EVERY man needs help in this battle. During this study, you'll find short but profoundly powerful videos, accountability and community, daily check-ins and clear next steps, core applications and practices, plus...everything will be safe and private. **Join us beginning Saturday, September 14 from 6 – 8:00am for this 25-week study. (Please see event registration for more information and leader contact.)**



### Book 1 of 'Every Man a Warrior': Walking with God!

A Bible study that helps men grow in Christ and win the battles they fight every day. Book one teaches men to walk intimately with God. It develops the essential skills of 'How to have a Quiet Time', 'Mediating on Scripture', 'Prayer' and how to 'Apply God's Word to your Life'. We have several options of this 10-week study available:

#### Saturday's beginning September 7

6:00 to 7:15am



#### Monday's beginning September 9

6:30 to 8:00pm



### Book 2 of 'Every Man a Warrior': Marriage and Raising Children!

This study provides practical biblical help in the two most important areas in a man's life. Being a Husband and Father is our greatest calling outside of walking well with Christ Himself. EVERY MAN needs help in this area! This material, along with engaging the other men in the group, will be life-changing. **Join us for this 10-week study beginning Tuesday, August 27 from 6 to 7:15 am.**





# FORGE

FBC MEN'S MINISTRY

## MEN

The fact is **every man needs other men to help him navigate the journey to masculine maturity**. Left to themselves, men are naturally passive and prone to sacrifice the most important things in life on the altar of self-indulgence.

At Fellowship, we take seriously the role of equipping our men. Whether through retreats, small groups, service opportunities or personal discipleship, **we strive to train and encourage our men to grow up by God's grace and leave a legacy** they can celebrate in the twilight years of life.

## MEN'S STUDIES AND DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS

### Practicing the Way by John Mark Comer

By learning to rearrange our days, we can follow the Way of Jesus. We can be with him. Become like him. And do as he did. "What kind of person am I becoming? Is it more like Jesus or less? Here you will find a beautiful picture of the kind of life Jesus envisioned for his followers and a practical pathway to experience it for yourself." **This is an 8-week study beginning Monday, August 26 from 6 to 7:15am.**



### Inductive Bible Study of the books of 1st, 2nd and 3rd John

The Inductive Bible Study method teaches the student how to observe the text, in order to interpret its meaning, and to then consider its application to a believer's life. If you have ever had a desire to learn how to study Scripture more effectively, or how to go deeper in your understanding and application of God's word, this class may be for you! **This is an 8-week study beginning Monday, Sept. 23 from 6:30 to 8:00pm.**



### The Search for Significance by Robert McGee

We are all searching for significance! Discover what three million readers have already discovered: that true significance is found only in Christ. What makes this book so uniquely powerful is understanding that the journey begins in a very private place—your thoughts. "One by one, The Search for Significance confronts these lies, dismantles them, and points you to a higher truth that is the source of life's meaning. It points you to Almighty God—the source of life itself."

**Join us for this 8-week study beginning Monday, September 9 from 6:30 to 8:00pm.**



## FOUNDATIONS

Foundations is comprised of four core sessions designed to intentionally grow us up to become more like Christ as a disciple and disciple maker. The material covers the basics, the foundational principles and practices that flow from an identity rooted in Christ and are essential for us to faithfully live out the portrait of a connected life.

Register for any or all of the sessions listed below. Each session is from 5:00 to 7:00pm and includes dinner and childcare.

### 101: A CONNECTED LIFE / SEPT. 15



### 201: A CHRISTLIKE LIFE / SEPT. 29



### 301: A LIFE OF SERVICE / OCT. 13



### 401: A LIFE ON MISSION / OCT. 27







## WOMEN WOMEN'S RETREAT



Life is never static. As women of God, we need one another as we walk through the changes in life. Whether it's motherhood, the marketplace, or ministry, look for the women who will share their lives so that you may grow and serve from a place of faith and confidence in the faithfulness of God.



**Invite a friend and join us for Woven "Faithful" Day-Treat on Saturday, September 14 from 8:30am-3:45pm.**

## WOVEN GATHER PRAYER

As God inclines our hearts to pray out of love for Him, there are two opportunities monthly to gather with other women for prayer.

- **Saturday mornings at 8am in the Living Room at church on August 24, September 28 and October 26.**
- **Monday evenings at 7pm at the home of Karen Parker, 1448 Marathon Drive, Murfreesboro 37129 on August 15 and October 17.**



## LIFESTORY WORKSHOP

Our stories are the foundation for cultivating authentic community. Our narratives are the fabric that God weaves together to create this beautiful tapestry that speaks of His goodness and glory. This workshop is open to all women longing to recognize God's activity in our lives and share that with other women.



**Join us for Lifestory Workshop on Thursday, September 19 from 6:30-8:00pm.**

## T2 PODS

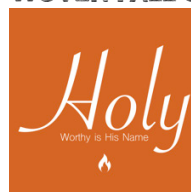
Titus 2 exhorts older women to be models of goodness and teach what is good to those who are younger. T2 Pods is a discipleship ministry among small gatherings of 3-4 women who will meet with a Pod Leader and grow together in the grace and knowledge of Christ.



It is our hope that you will enjoy deep growth and deepening relationships in Christ-centered discussions and study. All ladies participating in T2 Pods are encouraged to attend Lifestory Workshop on September 19.

**Join us to be part of a T2 Pod. Pods meet weekly at the church and in homes across our community.**

## WOVEN FALL STUDY HOLY: WORTHY IS HIS NAME



We serve the holy God, so we are to be holy, but what does this mean and how do we walk in a manner worthy of this calling? From Genesis to Revelation, we will see how God slowly unveils His holiness in many portions and many ways and equips us with wisdom and knowledge and the Power of His Spirit to obediently fulfill this lofty command.



**Join us on Tuesday nights beginning on September 24, 6:30-8pm.**

If you are unable to attend on Tuesday nights, you are invited to register to do this study on your own or with a couple of friends.