# coming up at zpc

# **Enneagram for the Christian** journey

Sundays | 10:30 am | March 1-May 10 | Room 201 Please join us for a class about the Enneagram, a test that is uncannily accurate in describing how humans are wired. This class will include listening to panels of individuals in our own community as they share their exploration of their type and the ways they've understood both struggle and growth. Interactive panels help us grow in love and non-judgment as Christian community.

> Lisa Prince [gloridei.lisa@gmail.com; 317.809.8990]

### **Spring Great Banquets**

Men's | Thursday, Mar 5-Sunday, Mar 8 Women's | Thursday, Mar 19-Sunday, Mar 22 Visit zionsvillegb.org to register to attend or serve.

> Brian or Susan O'Dell [zionsvillegbcld@gmail.com; 317.873.8137x1098]

### EvenSona

Wednesdays during Lent | 7 pm | Chapel All are welcome for a 30 minute contemplative worship experience in scripture and song on Wednesday nights during Lent. Make plans to join us! > Don Nieman [donn@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1009]

# 2020 All Church Retreat

Friday, Aug 21-Sunday, Aug 23 | Turkey Run

Mark your calendar and join us for the ZPC All Church Retreat. More details and registration coming soon.

> Claude and Jane Burgess [cjburgess1@att.net]

# **Israel Trip Spring 2021**

ZPC is hosting a trip to Israel Feb 20-Mar 5, 2021. Contact Lisa for more information.

> Lisa Price [lisap@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1013]

# Join RightNow Media

The mission of ZPC is to be disciples who make disciples. To that end, we'd love for you to have access to discipleship resources through RightNow Media. With this free account, you will have access to the biggest video Bible study library in the world! Contact Sally to sign up for your account.



> Sally Bias [sallyb@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1018]

# the week ahead[zpc.org for more]

# Sunday, February 23

ZPCHSM [9th-12th grades] | 5:30-7:30 pm | HSM Room

# Monday, February 24

Intercessory Prayer | 9-10 am | Chapel ZPC Line Dancing | 1:30-2:30 pm | Gym Bible Study Fellowship | 6:50-8:20 pm | Sanctuary Soul Sisters | 7-9 pm | Room 209

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### Tuesday, February 25

Open Gym | 1-2:30 pm | Gym

# Wednesday, February 26

Ash Wednesday | 12 -12:45 pm | Chapel Open Gym | 1-2:30 pm | Gym

Ash Wednesday | 7-8 pm | Sanctuary Financial Peace University | 7-9 pm | Room 209

# Thursday, February 27

Soul Sisters | 9-10:30 am | Gathering Space Loose Threads | 9:30 am-12 pm | Room 202 Zionsville Food Pantry | 5-6 pm | Room 109

Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic | 6-7 pm | Room 108 [pro bono legal representation and preventive law education to low income families, including immigrant families]

# Friday, February 28

Zionsville Food Pantry | 12-2 pm | Room 109

Middle School Party Hour | 6-8 pm | Laser Tag

# **Sunday Mornings** Children

Nursery Care | 9 and 10:30 am | birth-age 3 | check in at the Children's Welcome Center Children's Classes | 9 and 10:30 am | age 4-4th grade | check in at the Children's Welcome Center

#### **Students**

Middle School Ministry [ZPCMSM] | 9 am | Room 205 [5th – 8th grades] High School Ministry [ZPCHSM] | 5:30 pm | HSM Room [9th -12th grades]

#### **Adults**

Thinking Biblically: A class of wisdom and wit | 9 am | Room 201 Christian Spiritual Formation | 10:30 am | Room 201

Store up for yourselves treasures in heaven. Matthew 6:20

**ZPC Stewardship Update:** [6.1.19-2.16.20] Year to date offering: \$ 1,938,074

Year to date budget: \$ 1,975,170 Last Sunday's Attendance: 547



Sunday, February 23, 2020 | 9 & 10:30 am

# Welcome to ZPC! We're so glad you're here!

Called together by God to make disciples and release them for service in our broken world.



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# worship

Sunday, February 23, 2020 Come and See | The Gospel of John Scripture: John 5:31-47

Notes:

**Prayer after service:** If you would like someone to pray with or for you, please go to the west alcove in the Sanctuary after the service. It would be our privilege to pray on your behalf.

**Assistive listening systems** are available upon request. Check in with the sound booth at the back of the Sanctuary.

# who we are

Our focus is to become and make life-long learners of Jesus through:

- 1. Creating a Caring Community
- 2. Centering Our Worship and Study on Christ
- 3. Encouraging Hands-on Missions

Thank you for coming to ZPC! We would love to get to know you. We encourage you to provide your name, address, and contact information on the welcome pad during worship, especially if you're new. We would welcome the opportunity to connect with you and even deliver a yummy treat!

Join us in the Gathering Space after services. If you'd like a nametag, sign up at the Welcome Center.

# This morning's announcements

# **All Church Dinner and Gathering**

Sunday, March 15 | 5-7:30 pm | Gym and Sanctuary
Please make plans to attend ZPC's All Church
Dinner. We will share a meal at 5 pm and
then gather in the Sanctuary at 5:50 pm for
more information about future plans for our
building. Cost for dinner is \$5 per person or
\$20 maximum per family. Register at
zpc.org or through the churchlife app. Dinner
registration deadline is Thursday, March 12.
> Lisa Price [lisap@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1013]

Use the camera app on your smart phone to scan this QR code for more information about timely ZPC happenings.

### **Ash Wednesday Services**

Wednesday, February 26 | 12 pm or 7 pm happenings.

Lent is a time set aside in the church for spiritual renewal and growth. On Ash Wednesday, which kicks off the Lenten season, we seek a fresh start by saying yes to the Lord's invitation to walk with him. Though we bring plenty of baggage on our journey, Jesus reminds us that his yoke is easy and his burden is light, asking only that we set our hearts on him.

Join us this week for Ash Wednesday services at noon in the Chapel or at 7 pm in the Sanctuary.

> Don Nieman [donn@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1009]

# prayer requests

> Prayers of healing for Theresa Beardsley, Adrienne Bough, Randy Laffoon, and Joe Mundil.

Home Group Discussion Guide Come and See | The Gospel of John

Week 7 | 2.23.20 John 5:31-47

#### Icebreaker:

John the Baptist pointed to Jesus as someone to follow. Whom do you still admire or follow today that was a hero to you as a child?

# Read this week's scripture and discuss:

- 1. Jesus says that testimony from other witnesses (including John the Baptist and God the Father) tells others about him. What witnesses or testimony convinced you to believe in Jesus or to follow Jesus?
- 2. Jesus says that some people think they find eternal life in studying the scriptures (verse 39). Why is that flawed thinking? What is the real way to have life?
- 3. Have you seen anyone put their love of the Scriptures before their love for Christ? Have you ever been guilty of this?
- 4. In consideration of verse 39: In Reformed tradition we speak of "the written Word" and "the living Word." Is this distinction helpful, and if so, how?
- 5. In Hebrew/Jewish culture, what did a name signify? For instance: Peter means "rock" and Joshua means "to save." In Western cultures, what does a name signify? What does it mean to act "in Jesus' name"? (see verse 43)
- 6. Following Jesus should not be just head knowledge but also in your heart. How can we use Scripture to cultivate the love of God in our hearts? What ministries or spiritual practices or steps have you utilized to have Jesus both in your head and your heart?
- 7. Prayer is one way to move our understanding of God from our heads to our hearts. Theologian Andre Louf describes prayer as: the word of God that has become wholly our own and in that way has been inscribed deep in our body and our psyche, and now can become our response to the love of the Father.

  Have you ever prayed like this? How would you go about growing a prayer life like this?