# SPRING 2023 LMPC ADULT DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

#### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

9:30 a.m.

Fireside/Redeemer Class in the Conference Room

**Topic:** "The Testing of Your Faith"

Teachers: Ed Salter

Why does God allow trials and tests of our faith? This study will focus on James 1:2, "Count it all joy when you fall into various trials." The study will also examine the truths Paul teaches concerning trials.

11:00 a.m.

Kingdom Class in the Upper Room

**Topic:** various topics

**Teachers:** Kelly Kapic and others

Fellowship Class in the Conference Room

**Topic:** "Seven Things to Remember When Reading the Bible"

**Teachers:** John Plating and others

Sojourners Class in the Reception Room

Topic: "How People Change"

Teachers: various

# WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP BIBLE STUDIES

#### Mondays

10:00-11:30 a.m. in the Conference Room Led by Wendy Williams Studying 2 Samuel by Kay Gabrysch

6:45-8:30 p.m. in the JHYB Living Room\* Led by Sue Neiles and Jane Stewart Studying Psalms by Hope Blanton and Chris Gordon

7:00-8:30 p.m. at Peggy Michaels' home\* Led by Peggy Michaels Studying The Beatitudes by John Stott

\*2ND AND 4TH MONDAYS ONLY

## **Tuesdays**

9:15-11:00 a.m. at Carter Breazeale's home Led by Carter Breazeale, Jessi Cook, Wendy Halvorson, and Natalie Jackson Studying James using the Bookmark Bible Study Format

9:30-11:30 a.m. in the Reception Room Led by Barby Gifford, Catherine Kelley, and Linda Richter Studying Transforming Grace by Jerry Bridges

# Wednesdays

9:30-11:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall Led by Caroline Scruggs Small Groups led by Melinda Ellis, Cathy Heald, Margaret Lukens, Jessica Middlebrooks, Jennifer Mixon, Cara Palmer, Ann Henley Perry, and Cornele Thomas Studying 2 Samuel by Kay Gabrysch Nursery provided for 0-4 year olds

#### **Thursdays**

9:30-11:00 a.m. at Keeta Settle's home Led by Greta Erickson and Pat Lindley Studying Hebrews using the Bookmark Bible Study Format

6:45-8:00 p.m. in the JHYB\* Led by Jen Schaeffer and Caroline Scruggs Studying 1 Samuel by Hope Blanton and Chris Gordon \*EVERY OTHER THURSDAY

#### OTHER WOMEN'S EVENTS

Women's Winter Suppers - Thursday, January 26 at 6:00 p.m. The Bridge - Thursday, March 23 at 6:30 p.m. Gather in homes to fellowship with other women.

Come hear how God has been at work in the life of one of the women in our church.

For more information on Women's Discipleship, email caroline@Impc.org.

#### **MOUNTAIN MEN BIBLE STUDIES**

# **Monday Morning Bible Study**

# 8:00-9:00 a.m. in the Reception Room & Zoom

This group studies a book of the Bible, verse by verse, and supports each other through prayer and fellowship. For more information, please contact the facilitator, Ed Salter, at edwardsalter815@gmail.com.

# Thursday Morning Bible Study 6:30-7:30 a.m. in the Reception Room

For more information, contact Marty Rogers at 423-605-3040 or poplarcove@aol.com.

#### OTHER MOUNTAIN MEN EVENTS

Men's Fourth Wednesday Lunches 4th Wednesday of each month, 11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Meet us downtown for lunch and fellowship. Check website

Men's Weekend Event - save the date March 10-11 in town Men's Breakfast Saturday, April 22, 8:30-9:45 a.m. in the fellowship hall

Men's Steak Night

Thursday, May 11 at various homes

Come and enjoy steak with other men. We will gather in groups of 10, and you are welcome to invite your friends.

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING STUDY

for location.

Begins Wednesday, January 18
4:30-5:30 p.m. in the Conference Room
Topic: "Seeing in the Darkness"
Teacher: Addison Soltau

#### CARE FOR THE CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

## 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month, 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Reception Room and on Zoom, beginning January 10

The purpose of this group is to provide inspiration, information, and intercession for those who are caring for a loved one or having to make decisions about care. The group is facilitated by Lee Ballenger and Ed Salter. For more information, email edwardsalter815@gmail.com.

#### **CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**

The Cancer Support Group for cancer patients and survivors will continue to meet on the third Thursday of each month at 3:30 p.m. over Zoom. Please contact Chad Middlebrooks for more information at chad@Impc.org or 423-424-4097.

# **GRIEF SHARE SUPPORT GROUP**

# Thursdays, February 2 - May 4, 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Reception Room

GriefShare is a grief recovery support group where you can find help and healing for the hurt of losing a loved one. For more information, contact Ed Salter at edwardsalter815@gmail.com or Ray Fox at raypfox@gmail.com.

# **DIVORCE CARE**

For more information, you may contact Leon and Mary Sulser at leonsulser@gmail.com or Rodney Miller at miller@covenant.edu.