

LIFE SKILLS



Financial Peace University Flex

Learn practical steps to beat debt, take control of your money, build wealth, give generously, and secure your family's future! Class members will watch the lessons by Dave Ramsey online at home or wherever is most convenient for you. Then, you'll meet with members in class to talk about the lesson, answer questions, complete the hands-on learning activities and encourage one another to stay motivated.

Leader: Chris Burks
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–March 29

Location: Room A-007 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS



Sacred Marriage—Weekend Event and Wednesday Night Study

What if God designed marriage to make us holy more than to make us happy? Join us for a series of studies, fellowship and laughter that may very well profoundly alter the contours of your marriage. This study doesn't tell you how to build a better marriage; it shows how your marriage can help you deepen your relationship with God. Because whether it is delightful or difficult, everything about your marriage is filled with the potential for discovering and revealing Christ's character. Childcare will be provided by reservation. Leaders: Paula Hood and the Married People Team

KICK-OFF DINNER & FELLOWSHIP

Friday, February 10, 6:00-8:00 PM
in the Youth Suite (Upper Level)

The First Study Session will be Sunday, February 12, 4:00-6:00 PM in Room A-001 (Lower Level)

Study Sessions continue Wednesdays, February 15–March 8, 6:00-7:00 PM in Room A-001

Parental Guidance Required

Of all the assignments God will give you during your time on earth, none may be more sacred than the task of raising your children. This DVD and discussion study by Andy Stanley and Reggie Joiner is designed to give you the counsel you need to help prepare your children for the future. Learning to ask the right questions is the key to helping you assess your family's needs and ensure that the influence you have is one that will last a lifetime.

Leaders: Tim & Amy Tapp
Dates: Wednesdays, March 22–April 26

Location: Room A-003 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

I'm a GRANDPARENT! Now What Do I Do?

This class is designed for present, past and future grandparents. During these six sessions, we will be discussing topics that include: Leaving a legacy for grandchildren; Building a relationship with grandchildren; Making memories with grandchildren; Challenges of grandparenting. Please come ready to share your joys, concerns and questions about being a Godly grandparent.

Leaders: Bill & Amy Stover
Dates: Wednesdays, March 22–April 26

Location: Room A-006 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

Bad Blood

Have you ever had a great relationship go bad or a bad relationship that became even worse? What if there was a way to make all your relationships get better in just a few simple steps? In this DVD and discussion group study, Clay Scroggins suggests a secret to finding peace *about* difficult relationships even when we can't find peace *in* those relationships.

Leader: TBA
Dates: Wednesdays, March 22–April 26

Location: Room A-001 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH FAITH FORMATION



OPPORTUNITY GUIDE

JANUARY—MAY 2017

FAITH FOUNDATIONS



I'm A Christian Now

(For children who are new Christians or moving in that direction. Parents are welcome to attend.)

This is an 8-week study that will help children understand what it means to be a Christian, the importance of baptism and the Lord's Supper, their role as church members, and getting started in Bible study and prayer. Your child may attend alone or with you.

Leader: Amy Tapp
Dates: Sundays, January 15–March 5

Location: Room A-110 (Main Level)
Time: 4:00-5:30 PM

Pastor's Bible Study: Book of Acts

How did the gospel spread from Jerusalem to Rome? What roles did the apostles play in the spread of Christianity in the decades after Jesus' resurrection? What lessons can we learn from the early church about how we "do church" today? Join the pastor in a study of the New Testament book of Acts and find out! (Continuation of Fall 2016 study)

Leader: Tommy Hood
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–May 24

Location: Room A-010 (Lower Level)
Time: 4:00-4:45 PM

Prayers of the Old Testament

Did you know that of 222 prayers in the Bible, 176 are in the Old Testament? In this study we will cover the prayers of Abraham, Moses, Eliezer, David and Solomon. Come learn how you can deepen your prayer life by studying the prayers of these heroes of the faith.

Leader: Judy Stoneham
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–March 15

Location: Room A-010 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

What is the Bible?

This study is a repeat of the first of fourteen Faith Foundation studies regarding the basics of the Christian faith. This module gives answers to the questions: What is the Bible? How do we best interpret the Bible? and How is the Bible relevant for Christian life today? This study would be an excellent one to invite people who are seeking or curious about why we believe the Bible is the Word of God.

Leader: Garland Young
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–February 8

Location: Room A-006 (Lower Level)
Time: 6:00-7:00 PM

Who is the Holy Spirit?

Although we hear some talk about the Holy Spirit in church, and some Christians actively seek to "walk with the Spirit" (Galatians 5:16), many believers are not quite sure what to do with the concept of the Holy Spirit. Many of us are unclear regarding the relationship between the Holy Spirit, God, and Jesus. Some see the Holy Spirit as simply another version of God and/or Jesus. Still others are very uncomfortable with the concept of the Holy Spirit, associating the work of the Spirit with excessive emotionalism in worship. In this study, we will examine the nature and work of the Holy Spirit in the Bible as well as in the Church today.

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SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES



Weekday Ladies Study

Ladies come in all shapes and sizes, have their own ups and downs and their own style, but one thing's for sure—all women need to connect with other women. This friendly, warm, supportive group gathers each week to study God's Word through a variety of studies, and encourage one another along the journey of womanhood. Ladies of all ages are welcome. A 6-week study beginning on Jan. 18, "Women of the Bible," explores each woman's relationship with God and her role in His plan, and will help you discover important lessons for your own walk of faith.

Leader: Carla Kidd
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–May 10

Location: Room A-006 (Lower Level)
Times: 10:00-11:00 AM

Entrusted: Ladies Bible Study

In this Bible study of 2 Timothy, Beth Moore will encourage you to guard what God has entrusted to you, further His kingdom by sharing Christ with others, and pour into future generations just as Paul once mentored Timothy. Because in this journey of joy and hardship, we need each other to stay the course and live lives of faithfulness.

Leaders: Diana Moore and Cathy Stimmel
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–April 5

Location: Room A-004 (Lower Level)
Times: 6:00-7:00 PM

Men's Bible Study

This on-going small group of men meets together to study God's Word and discuss ways to help one another live the life of truth, passion and purpose that they were created to live. Current study is "Taking Down Goliath - Overcoming the Giants that Every Man Faces."

Leaders: Steve Humphrey, Josh Jarnigan, Keith Greer
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–May 10

Location: Room A-008 (Lower Level)
Times: 6:00-7:00 PM

I Am "n": The Persecuted Church

This DVD and discussion study includes interviews with persecuted Christians and mission leaders and explores six themes: sacrifice, joy, courage, perseverance, forgiveness and faithfulness. Through the study, participants will grow deeper in their relationship with Christ, become bolder in their witness, and have a better understanding of the plight of persecuted Christians. (Repeat of Fall 2016 class)

Leader: Tim Tapp
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Playing God

Have you ever taken a moment to think about how much power you have? Even if you're not a world leader, you have power over family members, co-workers, neighbors, or even strangers. The questions are: What will you do with that power? Will you leverage it for good? Or will you fall under its subtle spell? In this 4-part series, Andy Stanley examines the intoxicating power of power. He explains that while we're busy living our lives, we're also shaping lives around us. And he reveals what God had in mind when He gave us power in the first place.

Leader: Gordon Anderson
Dates: Wednesdays, January 18–February 8

Location: Room A-001 (Lower Level)
Times: 6:00-7:00 PM

Your Move

Throughout our lives, we are confronted with decisions we never anticipated having to make—relationship decisions, career decisions, financial decisions, parenting decisions—the list goes on and on. To complicate matters further, the timeframe for making a decision is often short and our options limited. Regardless, a decision must be made. So, what do you do when it's your move and you aren't sure what to do? In this 4-part series, Andy Stanley offers four powerful questions that will help you determine your best move.

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Leader: Lynette Eshbach
 Dates: Mondays
 Times: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM
 Location: Room A-110 (Main Level)

Silver Brushes

A fellowship for women and men who have a common interest in developing their artistic skills. Bring your art materials and enjoy three relaxing hours working on your art projects.

Leader: Wallace Britton
 Dates: Mondays
 Times: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM
 Location: Room A-111 (Main Level)

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Leader: Teresa Buchanan
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