

Wednesday Night Study Opportunities—1st Quarter 2010

- Wednesday Night Study Groups meet at New Life (with possible exceptions).
- All groups start at 6:30 p.m.
- Childcare/Programs are provided through high school age.

Restarting: We are created for joy!

January 20 – April 14

Restarting is a joy-based approach to receiving inner healing, overcoming the devastation of trauma, addiction and abuse, rebuilding your life after loss and developing life-giving relationships with God and with others.

In Restarting, you'll discover that you are created for joy – and will have the opportunity to learn and practice simple joy, relationship and inner healing exercises that will lay a new foundation for life. You'll also find answers that will help you understand your struggle – and the struggles of those you love.

Forming: Change By Grace

January 20 – April 14

“Christian Formation” is not another “discipleship” or educational experience. It's not a new Bible study or Christian self-improvement program. Forming is a 12 Week study about learning to engage with God, experience His presence more fully – and be transformed by His loving grace.

Forming is about living a grace-empowered, Spirit-led life as you learn to engage more deeply with God, experience His presence more fully – and are transformed by His outrageous love.

In each session of Forming, you'll learn more about a lifestyle of grace, and the process by which we are formed into the image of Jesus. You'll also have the opportunity to practice simple scripture and prayer exercises that will help you experience God in substantially deeper ways, and then be encouraged as you and others share your discoveries together.

Esther: It's Tough Being a Woman *by Beth Moore*

January 20 – March 17

This women's study looks at the Old Testament story of Esther as a profile in courage and contains many modern parallels for today's woman. Going up against heavyweights bent on her destruction, Esther trusted God and landed a blow that saved her people. Esther's destiny can be yours as you know more deeply the God who is in your corner.

Foundational Money Management

January 20 – February 3

Tools for making money... God wants to meet our needs and then some, but his purpose is not to meet all of our wants. Instead he desires for each of us to fulfill our created intentions. It is God's plan to provide the things we need to accomplish his purpose for our lives. His resources are limitless and his creativity is without bounds. Understanding this is the best, first step in making money.

Secrets of spending like a millionaire... Making money is the easy part, spending it takes courage and wisdom from above. Finding the Kingdom secrets to spending your income well will increase your faith and bring you satisfaction and peace.

Saving for any kind of weather... Saving money is part of your spending plan; however setting money aside for the proverbial rainy day is usually a reaction based on fear and not faith. Walking in God's provision sometimes means doing without, however walking in faith means realizing we are never without. There is scriptural basis for setting aside money little by little; the key to success is knowing one's motivation.

The Truth Project *from Focus on the Family*

January 20 – April 21

Today's believers live very similarly to non-believers. A personal sense of significance is rarely experienced, we spend our money and time on things that fail to satisfy, and we begin to wonder what life's ultimate purpose really is. We are, in short, losing our bearings as a people and a nation.

The Truth Project is a DVD-based curriculum aimed at countering this slide within the church. This 13-week study is the starting point for looking at life from a biblical perspective. Each lesson discusses in great detail the relevance and importance of living the Christian worldview in daily life.