

The following is a listing of Adult Ministry classes, activities, and retreats for this fall. Basic information of times, dates, and meeting places is listed, as well as contact information for someone who can tell you more about the class or event. Other articles in this newsletter may also give you more details. As always, you are encouraged to watch Sunday bulletin announcements for updates and to go to *members.shpc.org* (no www!) and click on Adult Ministry for other information.

SUNDAY

Sunday Evening

5:30 - 7:00 1st Sundays, Library – **Young Adult Bible Study & Fellowship** (other activities as announced) (Wendy Uzzle; *uzzle08@gmail.com*)

MONDAY

Monday Evening

7:00 - 9:00 Library – **Disciple 1: Becoming Disciples through Bible Study**, starts Aug 30 (Bob Beardslee; *bobcarol1955@att.net*)

TUESDAY

Tuesday Morning

6:30 - 7:30 Sanctuary – **Men's Ministry**, aka **The Brotherherd**, will study *The Man in the Mirror* Sept 21 to Nov 11. (Clift Bowman; *cbowman24@austin.rr.com*; 288-5839)

10:00 - 12:00 Portable A – **Icing on the Cake** – Bible study and fellowship for women with a little frosting in their hair. (Mary Lynn Sherrier; *sheirerhere@yahoo.com*; 863-9805)

10:00 - 12:00 2nd Tues. Room 7 – **SAM "Groan Ups" Game Day** (Stefan Haag; *shaag@austin.rr.com*; 288-3479)

Tuesday Evening

7:00 - 9:00 Library – **Three Months with Paul** Sept 7 - Dec 14 (Nita Snyder; *nitassnyderhomes.com*; 894-3582)

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Morning

9:30 - 11:30 Library – **Disciple 3: Remember Who You Are**, starts Sept 1 (Ron & Annie Ward; *ron-annie@att.net*)



Wednesday Evening

6:30 - 8:30 Library – **WEBS (Wednesday Evening Bible Study)** (Sherry Todd; *sherrytodd@austin.rr.com*)

5:30 - 7:30 Portable B – **Foundations** (childcare from 6:30 to 7:30), starts Sept 1 & will be studying social justice, using *When Helping Hurts*. (Tammy Boehman; *boehmans@gmail.com* or Judy Schroeder; *schroeder_judy@yahoo.com*)

THURSDAY

Thursday Morning

9:30 - 11:30 Library – **Disciple 2: Into the Word, Into the World**, starts August 26 (Kimbol Soques; *kimbol@alumni.rice.edu*)

9:30 - 11:30 FMC – **Disciple 1**, starts Sept 2 (Britta Dukes *britta@shpc.org*) (childcare provided)

9:30 - 11:30 Room 7 – **MYC (Mothers of Young Children) Devotional** (childcare available), starts Sept. 9. Fall study on *Parenting Beyond Your Capacity* (Kimber Wilkins)

10:00 - 11:30 1st Thurs. Portable B – **Mary-Martha Circle** (Laurel Calhoun; *salcalhoun@sbcglobal.net*)

10:00 - 11:30 2nd & 4th Thurs., Portable B – **ARCM (Association of Retired Christian Men)** (Ron Miller; *ronald.miller1333@sbcglobal.net*; 892-1826)

Thursday Evening

7:00 - 9:00 Library – **Disciple 4: Under the Tree of Life**, starts Sept 2 - (Susan White; *skwmarykay@yahoo.com*)

Thursday Evening, cont'd.

7:00 - 9:00 Portable B – *Stone by Stone*, a Bible study on the arts and faith, Sept 2 to Nov 11 (Joyce Stewart, *arts @ shpc.org*)

7:00 - 8:30 2nd Thurs. Room 7 – **Book Club**, meets each month all year. (Margaret Nakamura; *rm2n @ earthlink.net*; 301-2602)

FRIDAY

Friday Morning

9:30 - 12:00 Portable B – *In the Art Studio with Kim Coulter* (Sept 19 info meetings after both services), classes Oct 1 – Nov 12 (no class Oct. 15)

RETREATS:

Foundations Retreat (Young Couples, kids included) **Sept. 10 -12** (Tammy Boehman; *boehmans @ gmail.com*)

Adult Fellowship Getaway **Oct. 9 -10** (Ted & Fran Miller, 288-7947 or Norma Burchard, 394-0131)

SAM Spring Retreat (Senior Adults) **Mar. 22 - 24** (Stefan Haag; *shaag @ austin.rr.com*)

OTHER:

Journey Groups

A great way to connect! Groups form about 3 times a year. Groups of 8 to 12 persons will meet for 7 weeks at various days and times. (Dick Grance; *rg5grance @ sbcglobal.net*)

Fall 2010 groups will start the week of Oct 3 and go through the week of Nov 14. Larry will be preaching on I Corinthians this fall and so the study will be based on *1 Corinthians: The Challenges of Life Together* by Paul Stevens & Dan Williams.

Great Dates

Our staff of ministers will take turns leading the discussions before sending couples off on their Great Dates. **Sept 18, Oct 16, Nov 13, Jan 22, Feb 14, Mar 26, April 30.**

Wednesday Night Live

A special night for families with elementary age kids. Starts Sept 1st—more details in the Children's Ministry section (John Gillis; *jlgillis03 @ yahoo.com*)

Seniors with Zip!

On **Sept. 18**, join adventure-some senior adults on a zip-line

course. (Lawrence Langston, *LLangston722002 @ yahoo.com*)

Llano River Chuck Wagon Cook-off

SAM is sponsoring, but all adults are invited to this **Oct. 16th** event. Carpool from the church to Llano. Watch as the cook-off teams prepare their entries for the competition. Talk with the competitors about their chuck wagons and cooking. Then, join one team for a chuck wagon meal of chicken-fried steak, potatoes, beans, bread and dessert. (Lawrence Langston *LLangston722002 @ yahoo.com*)

Book Fest

Saturday morning Oct 23rd from 10 a.m. to 12. Load your used books into your trunk & come to the SHPC parking lot to trade with other readers and/or donate to the SHPC Library to use or sell.

"Soup to Nuts" Speaker Luncheon

Next held on Nov.16th. Stefan Haag; *shaag @ austin.rr.com*

Golden Years Lunch Bunch

11:30 on 2nd Saturdays of most months (Margaret Nakamura; *rm2n @ earthlink.net*)

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Adult Ministry

FOR MEN ONLY

Join SHPC Men's Ministry, The Brotherhood, this fall as we focus on *The Man In The Mirror*. Patrick Morley offers a penetrating, pragmatic, and life-changing look at how to trade the rat race for the rewards of godly manhood. Meet in the Sanctuary area at **6:30 a.m. on Tuesdays** for breakfast and discussion until 7:30. This series will run **Sept 21st to Nov 11th**. For information, contact Clift Bowman at *cbowman24 @ austin.rr.com* or 288-5839.

NEW! "Three Months with Paul"

Based on a book by Justo L. Gonzalez, a video presenter for the *Disciple* series, this class focuses on what are known as Paul's "prison letters." With daily Bible readings and devotionals, the class will then gather weekly for discussion. Our fall sermon series will be on Paul's letters to the church in Corinth, so this should be an interesting companion study. Runs **Tuesdays 7 - 9 p.m., Sept 7th - Dec 14th** :: contact Nita Snyder; *nitas @ snyderhomes.com*; 894-3582