

Adult Class - Two Short Courses

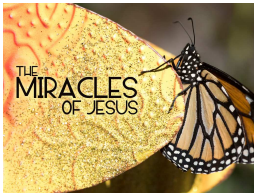
During the month of January, the Sunday Morning Adult Class will enjoy the following two shorter courses:



1. Ken Dawes will teach about "Judaism" on January 7 and 14. This will include a trip to the local synagogue (B'nai Israel) for those who are interested.
2. Greg Vandenberg will teach about "Geography of the Reformation" on January 21 and 28. This is very timely, since we just celebrated the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation.

Please join us for class on Sunday mornings at 8:45 am for coffee, conversation, and of course, for the interesting classes.

Thursday Morning Study - The Miracles of Jesus



After Christmas, we enter the season of Epiphany, which reminds us that in the life and ministry of Jesus, we see the attitudes and actions of God. One of the ways we see the attitudes and actions of God are through the miracles that Jesus showed us. There are several types of miracles, of course, and will look at examples of each one. One thing for sure, Jesus' miracles attracted people's attention, making the crowds that he taught very large, and making it very difficult for Jesus to have any time alone.

Please join us for class on Thursday mornings at 9:30 am for this very exciting look at Jesus' power over nature, illness, demons, and so on.

Calling All Men - God Sightings

This month, we will meet at 8:30 am in the fellowship hall on Saturday, January 20, for breakfast pizza, prayer, conversation, and the topic of Epiphany. Epiphany is the season of the church year that begins January 6 with the coming of the wise men. It is a time where we talk about seeing God in the world. People saw God in the world through the Lord Jesus, and we will talk about the times and places we continue to see God in the world this very day. Where have you seen God at work lately?



Women of the ELCA Bible Study - Multiple Meanings



The Women of the ELCA Bible study in January and February will focus on the multiple meanings of Scripture. We will look at biblical texts and see how these same texts address several different questions, depending on when and where they are read. This is true because the Word of God is a living Word that continues to speak to us in every time in place, oftentimes 2000-3000 years after it was written down. It should be a fascinating opportunity for conversation, as we might all look at one biblical text and learn something different and even new from it. The January class will meet at 10:00 am, January 12, in the lounge.

Education Update - January 2018



WWJ resumes on January 3rd and Sunday Church School on January 7th.

Wednesday meals resume on January 3 at 5:00pm.

Menu for January:

3rd - Hot dogs
10th - Tacos
17th - Chicken patties
24th - Turkey Tidbits
31st - Hot dogs