

**Adult Forum**  
**Sundays at 10:10 am**  
**Bethany Room**

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**September 11 Rally Day**

During the 9 am service, we shall be blessing backpacks for school children. Please join us during Education Hour for the ice cream social.

**September 18 Transition Steering Committee**

Members of the Transition Steering Committee will review its purpose and mission. The current focus is gathering input from the congregation.

Presenters: Rick Grenzke & Dave Upmeyer

**September 25**

We shall discuss the Jewish High Holy Days, and examine the core values of the Jewish/Christian faiths.

Presenter: Cantor Roger Skully

**October 2 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

We shall begin this study by looking at Chapter 1, which asks the question, "Who is this Jesus?" Each chapter will be covered in two Adult Forum sessions.

**October 9 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

This session will complete our study of the question in chapter 1, "Who is this Jesus?"

**October 16 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

We shall look at Jesus' birth narratives (Chapter 2) and see what it means to say that in Jesus, 'God is with us'.

**October 23 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

Our session is a continuation of Chapter 2, looking at the birth narratives of Jesus.

**October 30 Lutheran Volunteer Corps**

Fifth Sunday loose change offerings (or Change for Justice) have been lifted over the past months to support this ministry. We shall learn what this ministry is about from a representative of the Synod.

**November 6 Thursday Morning Men's Bible Study Group**

We shall follow the steps that the Apostle Paul took during his missionary journeys, as detailed in the Acts of the Apostles.

Presenter: Dr. Robert Mobley

**November 13 Honoring our Veterans**

This is a congregation-wide time of celebration. No Adult Forum.

**November 20 Advent Workshop**

Come prepared to do your arts & craft. A fun time awaits you. No Adult Forum.

**November 27 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

Upon his Baptism, as Jesus came out of the water, a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We shall look at John the Baptist, and Jesus' Baptism and temptation.

**December 4 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

In this session, we shall continue our study of Chapter 3 that deals with Jesus' Baptism, his call, and the temptation.

**December 11 The Greatest Story: Jesus**

In the inception of his earthly ministry, Jesus entered a synagogue in his hometown. He reads, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me..." Chapter 4 looks at the beginning of Jesus' ministry, and his work of healing.

**Adult Bible Study**

Tuesdays, 9:30 am, beginning September 13. These Bible studies will focus on the texts, particularly from the gospel reading for the ensuing Sunday.

**Listening for God**

Woman's Bible Study

2nd Wednesday evening of each month

**Naomi Circle**

This is a women's group in the congregation that meets in the Bethany Room every 3rd Tuesday of the month for study and reflection.

**New Disciple Class**

In these classes, we look into basic Christian (and Lutheran) doctrines and an examination of the articles of our belief. Current and long-standing members are also invited to participate. Class meets during Education hour on October 16, 23, 30 and November 6.

**Tuesday Evenings**

Quilting Group meets at 7 pm. The quilters have been creating quilts for significant points in the faith journey of the members including Baptism, the High School sending service and donation to the Lutheran World Relief. No experience in quilting is needed, just come.

**Faith & Ale**

Are you over 21? Do you enjoy informal conversations about how faith impacts your life, and so on? Faith & Ale gives you an opportunity to meet at the Dragonmead Brewery on the first Sunday each month at 6 pm for a time of presentation and small group discussion.

**Men's Breakfast Bible Study**

Gather with other men for breakfast and scripture-based discussion. This group meets the first Thursday of each month at 7 am. Contact Bob Mobley or Doug Jenzen for more information.



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Through Christ,  
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Rejoice  
and Serve

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