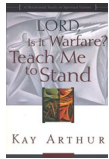


CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

Please read about the classes offered this semester and prayerfully consider where the Lord wants you to grow.



LORD, IS IT WARFARE? TEACH ME TO STAND

by Kay Arthur

Once you become a Christian, you enter a war zone. The problem is, you may not even realize it. But that's about to change. This study will equip you to recognize and understand the spiritual warfare that is inevitable for those who follow the Lord Jesus Christ. You'll learn all the battle tactics and devices of your adversary, Satan. And you'll discover scriptural ways to overcome the enemy by turning to Christ, who loves you and offers you all the strength, wisdom, and power you need for victory. You will be guided through the Scriptures every day in this comprehensive inductive study. Your time with God in His Word will minister to you and help you stand strong in the face of spiritual conflict.

TEACHER: Tina Withers

HOMEWORK: 2 hours per week



BREAKING FREE: THE JOURNEY, THE STORIES

by Beth Moore
This in-depth women's Bible study draws parallels between the captive Israelites of the Old Testament and New Testament believers. Beth looks at the Book of Isaiah through the lives of the kings who ruled during the prophet's ministry. These kings exemplify many of the obstacles to freedom with which we must deal. Using Scripture to help identify spiritual strongholds in your life, no matter how big or small, Beth explains that anything that hinders us from the benefits of knowing God is bondage. Join us on a Bible journey unlike any other. God intends for you to know and believe Him, glorify Him, experience His peace, and enjoy His presence. Breaking Free is Beth's life message that she wants to share with you (Updated).

TEACHERS: Mike Calkin, Staci Claffey, Janelyn Price

HOMEWORK: 1-2 hours per week

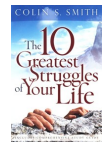


TRUEU by Focus on the Family

Surveys show that a disturbingly high percentage of students (70%) who enter college as professing Christians turn away from their faith even in Christian institutions. This is traceable to a lack of preparation to withstand and counter the false claims and encroaching culture that bombard believers in the university environment. TrueU's objective is to help turn this tide by giving participants confidence that the Christian faith and the truth we find in the Bible is based on solid evidence that stands up to hostile scrutiny. This course will provide you with tools to equip believers of all ages as well as the world of academia to engage the culture in a thoughtful, truthful and relevant defense of our faith. We will develop an intellectual foundation to communicate faith in the public square and to use as a basis in moral and ethical world view decisions in our families and our culture.

TEACHER: Joan Randell

HOMEWORK: varies weekly



THE TEN GREATEST STRUGGLES OF YOUR LIFE

by Colin Smith
Every day is full of struggles... with time, with truth and authority. We struggle for peace, for purity and contentment ... and that's just the beginning. What many of us don't understand is the connection between our failure to obey the Ten Commandments and the very struggles that put us to the test each and every day. And we fail to recognize the very sins that stand in the way of keeping them. This class will lead you to a fuller understanding of the Ten Commandments and their relevance to the greatest struggles of your life. You will learn that when you love God fully and unconditionally, His commandments no longer seem the impossible rules of a benevolent dictator, but the firm guidance of a loving father, setting you on the path to the rich life He desires for you, His child.

TEACHER: Jackie Ehrman

HOMEWORK: varies weekly



EXPERIENCING GOD by Henry Blackaby

How can you know and do the will of God? A modern classic that has sold millions of copies, Experiencing God is based on Scriptural principles that teach us how to develop a closer relationship with the Creator. By recognizing how and where God is working, we begin to clearly know and do His will. Whether you have been a Christian for years or are new to the faith, this life changing study will challenge and deepen your faith and walk with God.

TEACHER: Nancy Basham

HOMEWORK: 2-3 hours per week



MATTHEW PART 2 (PRECEPT UPON PRECEPT)

by Kay Arthur

When Jesus came, did people receive Him as the promised Messiah? What did they say about His miracles and His teaching? What caused them to call for His crucifixion? He says He's coming back. If He came today, would people recognize Him? As you study Matthew Part 2, you'll gain a deeper understanding of the resurrection and its power in your life. Then take up the challenge to share the gospel with others.

TEACHERS: Londa Foster, Mary Anne Allman

HOMEWORK: 3-4 hours per week



RAISING RESPONSIVE CHILDREN: A BIBLE STUDY FOR MOMS

by Judy Rossi

Mom, God's goal is not to change your children so they'll do what you want; it's to change you, so you'll do what *He* wants! Focusing on a mother's responsibilities (including prayer, discipline, and character development), this twelve-week study first examines your relationship with your heavenly parent and then applies that biblical truth to your marriage and kids. So whether your kids are 2 or 17, you will gain biblical wisdom and perspective as you seek to raise your children through this study full of insight, God's wisdom, humor and heart!

TEACHERS: Midge Cole, Sara Nguyen

HOMEWORK: 2-3 hours per week

JOIN US!

Tuesday Mornings
9:15 AM – 11:45 AM
Free Childcare
Home School Rooms Available
Classes begin February 8th

Registration is FREE!
Class material costs vary
based on study.
(Scholarships available for
books upon request.)
Open registration begins
January 11th online @
burkecommunity.com.
Register early as childcare
space is limited.

As a new year begins, we would like to invite you to worship with us, participate in Bible study, and grow in your relationship with Christ. As we journey on different paths in life with our own unique circumstances, it is His hope that we SHINE His marvelous light to others around us. And, what better way to stay charged than to study His Word!

You are invited to join us in the Sanctuary at 9:15 as we lift our voices in praise and worship. We will have a 'new look' this year as we seek Him in the morning and prepare our hearts for our studies. We look forward to welcoming you and seeing how the Lord will work through each of us as we open His Word and know that His light does, is, and will continue to SHINE on us!

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"Do everything without complaining or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe as you hold out the word of life in order that I may boast on the day of Christ that I did not run or labor for nothing."

Philippians 2:14-16

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