

EXPLORERS CLASS

2015-16

FALL OFFERINGS

Exploring Our Faith: The Things That Make for Peace

Sept. 20, 27, Nov. 29

Explore the inner and outer paths to peace. This 4-part adult Bible study begins during the Presbyterian Church's "Season of Peace," September 6 through October 4 (World Communion Sunday), and continues as a preface to our observance of Advent and Lent.

Leader: Jane Preston

Exploring Our Church: Church Matters

Sept. 13, Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25

Explore the ways in which our Church is making a difference in people's lives. Learn how facilities, mission, membership, programs, and generosity all matter.

Leader: Bill Garriott

Exploring Our World: Local Issues in Substance Abuse and Addiction: Challenges, Solutions, and Hope

Nov. 1, 15, 22

Explore the current research and statistics on substance use disorders, with a focus on our local community's problems and responses. The goal of this class is to provide the tools and information necessary to contribute individually, and as members of our faith community, to solutions to these complicated problems.

Leader: Kathy Miles

Advent Book Discussion: Charles Dickens, A Christmas Carol

Dec. 13, 20

What messages did Dickens want to send to his readers when his "Ghost Story of Christmas" was published in December of 1843? In what ways does the story speak to us today? Can 21st century Christians find an Advent message in



Look for further details in the church bulletin, the Salt Shaker, and on the church website. You can also contact the class leaders for more information.

Time: 9:30 -10:30

Place: Room 120

