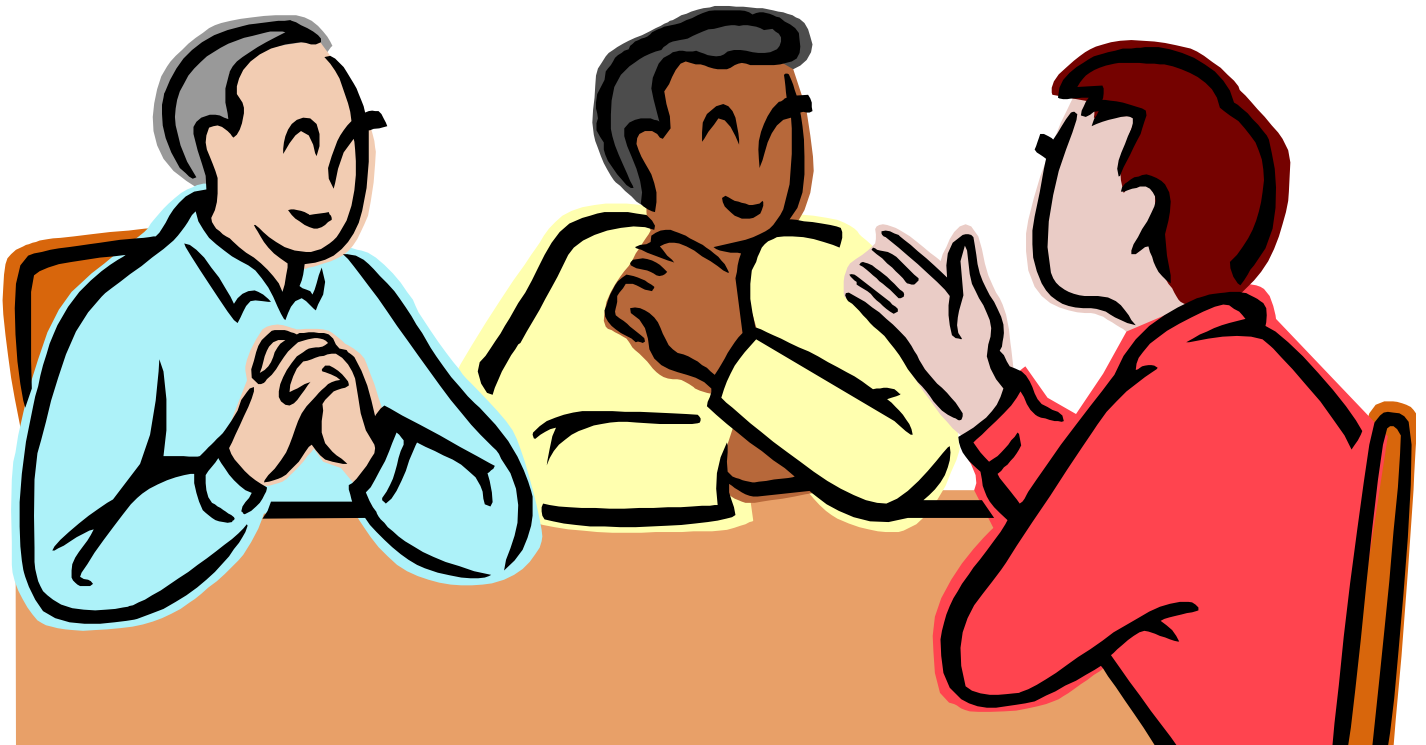


Sterling First Church of the Nazarene

Connecting With Christ Together



Sunday School and Small Group Catalog

Welcome to our Sunday School and Small Group Catalog! We trust that you will find this guide helpful in locating a study group, as well as their time of meeting and location. We truly believe that the journey of learning to live the Christian life is most effectively served in a smaller group, where conversation and shared life experience are connected to God's Word. We encourage everyone to find a group where they can grow in the Lord. Remember... we are forever students! If you need assistance or have questions, please feel free to contact our church office at 815-625-0864, or e-mail us at sterlingnazarene@gmail.com. We would love to help you "get connected" in a small study group.

Pastor Bob Hasselbring

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

OUTREACH/HARVESTERS

Leader: Mary Rhodes

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: Hatton Center

Adults of all ages are welcome, especially new Christians. Members enjoy open discussion, prayer, lessons from a Nazarene curriculum, and treats. Members also enjoy social gatherings, Bible study, and prayer time outside of class.

PATHFINDERS

Leaders: Debbie Case and Jeff Reis

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: Hatton Center

Adults of all ages are welcome, but the group consists primarily of young adults. Members study various parts of the Bible and receive emailed study notes.

OASIS

Leader: Irene Lewis-Wimbley

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: Gym

Adult new believers of all ages are welcome. The class focuses on discipleship, relationships and evangelism, and uses various curriculums.

SONRISE

Leader: Lonnie Parks

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: The Parlor

Senior adults are welcome. Members study the Bible and use a Nazarene curriculum.

THE HOPE CLASS

Leader: Harry Seavey

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: Kurn's Chapel

All adults are welcome, but the class consists largely of seniors. Members benefit from Bible study, lecture and discussion. They support various missions efforts.

SALT

Leader: Ray Bohm

Time: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Location: Hatton Center

Adults of all ages are welcome. Members study and discuss various topics. They once completed a video series on the ancient culture of Israel.

ADULT WEDNESDAY GROUPS

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Lonnie Parks

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Location: Hatton Center

Men of all ages are welcome. Members study and discuss different books of the Bible.

YOUNG MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Scott Whalen

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Location: The Parlor

Men of all ages are welcome, but the group consists primarily of men in their 20's through 40's. Members dive into the Bible in search of truths for everyday life.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Connie Conklen

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Location: Conference Room

All women are welcome, but the group consists primarily of women in their 40's and 50's. Members study and discuss topics, such as knowing God's will, and do Bible memory work.

YOUNG WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Anne Whalen

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Location: Kurn's Chapel

Women, primarily in their 20's and 30's, are welcome. Members enjoy discussion, prayer and fellowship. They study the Bible, Christian books, and take part in mission projects. They also meet outside of church for a monthly girls' night, weekend retreats, and other activities.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Pastor Bob Hasselbring

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Location: Sanctuary

Adults of all ages are welcome to attend. Members enjoy testimonies, prayer and scripture study.

SPECIAL GROUPS

OASIS

Leader: Irene Lewis-Wimbley

Time: Mondays, 9 to 11 a.m.

Location: The Parlor

Adult new believers are welcome. Members enjoy Bible study, primarily books of the New Testament. Parents are welcome to bring children.

TUESDAY LADIES' BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Donna Dodson

Time: Tuesdays, 1 p.m.

Location: The Parlor

This group is for women of all ages, but includes mostly seniors. Members study books of the Bible and use "Wisdom of the Word" books by Jeannie McCullough.

FIBERS OF LIFE

Leader: Cyndi Muller

Time: Fridays, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Location: The Parlor

This group is an intergenerational ministry centered around the fiber arts. Group members teach and learn how to knit, crochet, and more, while providing a forum for the different age groups to learn from each other, connect, and grow together.

PROMISE KEEPERS

Leader: Gene Courtright

Time: Saturdays, 7:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Location: Hatton Center

Men of all ages are welcome to attend. Members enjoy scripture, prayer, testimonies, discussion, sharing, and encouragement/guidance from their brothers in Christ.