

ADULT MINISTRY

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The largest of all our adult ministries happens on Sunday morning when we have our weekly Adult Bible Studies at 9:40 AM. These in depth Bible Studies vary from lecture classes to small group discussion classes. Some classes use video for their curriculum while others have teachers for class. The groups are divided into suggested age groups but no one is required to attend any particular class.

Adult V – Ages 75 and Older

The Fidelis Women's Class led by Violet Kulp using Lifeway curriculum in the Office Conference Room

Adult IV – Ages 65 and Older — Baptist Way curriculum

Koinonia Men's Class led by Bill Yager in the Resource Room
Rebekah Women's Class led by Ladean Ragland in Room 205
Co-ed Class led by Jack Pinkston in Room 200

Adult III – 50 – 65 Years Old; Co-Ed

Discussion Class led by Mo Jones in Administrative Offices
Lecture Class led by Randy Blanton in Room 202

Adult II – 30 – 45 Years Old

Co-ed Class led by Ron Wilson in Room 203

Adult I – Married – 30; Co-Ed Class led by David Barnett in Room 201

College/Career – 18 - 30 Singles led by Casi Helbig in Room 206

Heart Matters – All Age Women's Class led by Leah Cochran in Room 204 to begin a study of Max Lucado's *Fearless* on January 22nd.

Deaf Class – All Ages

Co-Ed Class led by Leslie Carrier in Room 202

All Ages—Co-Ed Class led by Tom and Judy Gautier in the Sanctuary.



WEEK DAY BIBLE STUDIES

In addition to the Sunday morning Bible studies at First Baptist Church, there are many community Bible studies that take place in different locations throughout San Marcos. Several homes as well as meeting rooms in some of the Senior Adult Apartment Complexes in the area serve as hosts for Bible study. Following are the schedules and locations:

Tuesday

10:30 AM Horizon Bay taught by Bill Yager
12:30 PM Edie Swenson's home taught by Bob Maas

Thursday

9:00 AM Mariposa taught by Dorwood & Ladean Ragland
9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (Aurelia Newton - 353-4085)



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SAINTS ALIVE

Saints Alive is the ministry of First Baptist Church which focuses on Senior Adults 60 and above. They meet on the first Tuesday of every month in the Grand Foyer. In addition to a wonderful covered dish dinner (the church supplies the chicken) there is a special program. The fellowship is wonderful.



CARE-GIVERS SUPPORT GROUP

This new support group is in the planning stages with hope to begin before Summer 2011.

SENIOR ADULT RETREAT

The senior adults of First Baptist Church go on a three-day retreat to the Alto Frio Baptist Encampment in May. It's a wonderful time of worship and each year a different speaker leads a Bible study at the retreat. Lots of games and outdoor activities as well as some wonderful meals make this a delightful time for our senior adults.

SENIOR GAME DAY

On Tuesday afternoons the senior adults gather in the Youth Room to play domino games such as forty-two, Mexican train and chicken foot. Once in a while there may even be a group playing bridge. Different folks bring light snacks and everyone who comes has fun from around 2-4:30 pm.



MONTHLY TRIPS

Each month the Senior Adults go on a trip to some interesting location. Occasional week-long trips are taken to places like Branson, MO and Washington, DC.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SEMINARS

Following the Wednesday night supper we have seminars for the adults. These range from parenting classes, video classes like Experiencing God or Beth Moore Bible Studies, Book Bible Studies, New Member Classes, Spiritual Growth Classes and much more. We offer these classes twice a year in the Spring and Fall. We also have a Bible study led by Pastor Mark Newton or Bob Maas at 4 pm on Wednesdays.

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