

# COMMUNITY GROUPS

## SUMMER QUARTER 2012

(JUNE/JULY/AUGUST)

### *Meadow Park Church of God*

**Mission:** To live as followers of Jesus Christ, connecting and growing in relationships with God, with His family, and with the people He misses most.

**Vision:** The Relational Church:  
A Family of Families

### *CONNECTING WITH MEADOW PARK*

#### **101: Newcomers' Seminar**

**Wednesday, June 13, 6-9pm**

Facilitators: Director of Outreach Kristina Neff and Pastor Vickie Doyle  
Focus on your personal faith journey and learn about our beliefs and history.

#### **102: Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts**

**Saturdays, Jul. 14 - Aug. 18, 5-6pm**

Facilitators: Bob Horn & Paul Alheim  
We all have spiritual gifts given to us by God. Find out what yours are!

#### **103: Applying Your Spiritual Gifts**

Will be offered Fall quarter.

Facilitator: Director of Outreach Kristina Neff  
This interactive class will help you find practical ways to apply your spiritual gifts at Meadow Park.

*Register at the Connections table or email ([gcahall@meadowpark.org](mailto:gcahall@meadowpark.org))*



Childcare is available for groups meeting at the church if requested at sign-ups.

## Sunday 9:45am Community Groups

**AMBASSADORS** Room 149E

**TOPIC:** Church of God *Bridges Curriculum*  
Leaders: Nancy MacGregor, Eldon Stebleton

**JOURNEY IN THE WORD** Room 215

**TOPIC:** *1st Samuel*  
Leader: Cindy Bradshaw

**SEEKERS** Room 213

**TOPIC:** TBD  
Leaders: Dick and Diane Thatcher

**SERENDIPITY BIBLE STUDY** Room 158A

**TOPIC:** *The Applause of Heaven by Max Lucado*  
Leaders: Al Cline, Larry Less

**SHEKINAH** Room 149CF

**TOPIC:** Church of God *Bridges Curriculum*  
Leaders: Jim Collins, Bill Gibson

**SOJOURNERS** Room 217

**TOPIC:** *Proverbs*  
Leaders: Fred Fisher, Mark Gray

**SOMETHING MORE** Room 149AB

**TOPIC:** *Letters to the Corinthians*  
Leaders: Brian Turner, John Willis

**LOVE AND RESPECT - COUPLES' GROUP** Room 149D

**Young couples soon-to-be-married or recently married**  
**TOPIC:** *Sacred Marriage by Gary Thomas*  
Leaders: Kyle and Lauren Younkman



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<http://www.meadowpark.org/libraryministry.htm>

# Community Group Electives

Please register at the Connections table or email ([gcahall@meadowpark.org](mailto:gcahall@meadowpark.org)).

## Saturday evenings 5-6pm

### Jun. 16 - Jul. 7:

#### **201: Help! What's in the Bible and How Do I Use It?**

Facilitator: Pastor Vickie Doyle

An overview of Old and New Testaments. A great introduction on how to use your Bible.

#### **Seven Steps to Financial Freedom For the Devoted Follower of Christ**

Facilitator: Brian Turner

This study developed by Church of God Ministries examines our financial beliefs and practices in the light of God's Word. What did Jesus, His disciples and other people of God teach others about money?

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#### **Prayers of the New Testament**

Facilitators: Sue Glander & Barb Kissner

Are your prayers stuck in a rut? In these Bible studies you'll find new ways to pray through the prayers of Mary, Simion and Anna, Peter, Paul, John and Jesus himself.

**Stretching and Growing: A Guide for The New Christian** - Sign-up at the Connections Table to request a mentor for one-on-one discipleship.



**Mid-week email Bible study** - 52 weeks on the Old Testament  
If you are interested in this approach to growing in your Bible knowledge, please email Joe Barnard ([joe@computer-fun.com](mailto:joe@computer-fun.com)).

# Sunday Evening, Weekday and Weeknight Community Groups

#### **BOOKWORMS BOOK STUDY**

2nd Tue. of the month, 7:30pm, member's home. Leader: Joan Margard  
***This group will meet in June, then be on summer break until September.***

#### **FRIENDSHIP AND MISSIONS STUDY GROUP**

1st Thurs. of the month, 7:30-9pm, member's home. Leaders: Lisa Oesch; Mary Rhoads

#### **MEN'S MINISTRY GROUP**

Every other Mon., 7-8:30pm, Room 149A&B. Leaders: Dick Thatcher; Brent Witt  
**TOPIC: TBD**

#### **SPIRITUAL TRANSFORMATION STUDY**

2nd and 4th Thursdays., 6-7:30pm, Room 158A. Leader: Jim Hazen  
**TOPIC: Matthew.** This group meets from the 4th Thur of Feb. until the 2nd Thur of Nov.

#### **SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY**

Sundays, 6pm, Room 149F. Leaders: Denny and Roberta Pergram  
***This group is on summer break. Meetings will resume in the fall.***

#### **WEDNESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

1st and 3rd Wed., 9:15-11am, Room 149ABDE. Leaders: Sue Ahern; Wendy Edwards; Sue Glander; Judi Rutledge; Careleader: Kathy Gray  
***This group is on summer break. Meetings will resume in the fall.***

#### **YOUNG WOMEN'S GROUP**

Sun. evenings, 6-7:30pm, Room 156. Leader: Beth Miller  
**TOPIC: *The Christian Atheist: Believing in God by Living As If He Doesn't Exist* by Craig Groeschel**

#### **YOUNG WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP**

2nd and 4th Mon. evenings, 7:30-9pm, Room 218. Leader: Anne Almquist  
**TOPIC: *The Resolution for Women* by Priscilla Shirer**

For more information about Community Groups, contact:  
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