

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church and School

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St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church exists to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ who was crucified for the forgiveness of sins providing salvation found in Him alone.

Greetings in the name of Christ!

Three times a year, our congregation offers an *"Adult Instruction Class"* for members of St. John's and also for those interested in learning more about Scripture's teachings and the confession of the Lutheran Church.

The class hopes to answer some of life's big questions: "What am I doing here? Where am I going? What about the Bible and my life today and eternal life? Do all religions lead to the same place? What about worship? Can God forgive me for _____? Is it true—all the church cares about is money?" And many others...

What you need to know:

- Classes will be held on **Sundays, from 9:15-10:15 am OR on Tuesdays, from 7-8:15 pm. (Beginning January 7th and 9th)** (The class schedule is on the back of this letter.)
- Classes are held in the lower level of the church (Sundays) and in the Bible study room upstairs (Tuesdays).
- All materials will be provided—A Class Packet, Bible, Pens, etc. You may bring your own Bible if you like.
- Casual dress expected; bring a water bottle or soda if you like.
- Committing to this class does not mean you have to become a member of St. John's. The goal of the class is to learn more about Scripture's teachings, trusting in God's promise that *"My Word does not return to me empty"*. We trust that time spent in God's Word will be help strengthen our faith and prepare us to give the reason for the hope that we have.
- Childcare is provided on Sunday. Childcare available on Tuesday upon request. Please let me know.

We also recognize that the timeframe might not work for everyone. **We'll make every effort to accommodate your schedule, help you make up classes, etc.**

Reserve your spot in the class by emailing us or giving us a call. We hope to have a nice sized group this winter. We're looking forward to it!

God bless!

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Adult Instruction Class Winter 2018 Schedule

January 7th/9th- Lesson 1 “Resurrection, Life, Light—The ONE story in Scripture is _____”

January 14th/16th -Lesson 2 “God’s Word, Law and Gospel”

January 21st/23rd -Lesson 3 “God’s Law”

January 28th/29th-Lesson 3b “God’s Law—Continued”

February 4th/6th NO CLASS

February 11th/13th Lesson 4 “Worship—Why We Do; What We Do”

February 18th/20th -Lesson 5 “Creation—God the Father”

February 25th/27th-Lesson 6 “I Believe in Jesus Christ”

March 4th/6th--Lesson 7 “The Work of the Holy Spirit”

March 11th/13th —Lesson 8 “Lord’s Prayer”

March 18th/20th—Lesson 9 “Holy Baptism”

March 25th/27th —Lesson 10 “Holy Communion”

April 1st: NO CLASS EASTER

April 8th/10th- Lesson 11 “The Church, Ministry, and Confession”

April 15th/17th -Make-up/Wrap up (If Necessary)