

2011-2012



# *Winter Family U*

Wednesday Evening

6:45 - 8:00 p.m.

January 11 - March 28, 2012

## *Family of Christ Lutheran Church*

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# *Welcome*

"Family U" is a mid-week educational opportunity at Family of Christ for the entire family. With the three missional themes at FOC of "LOVING, LEARNING, LEADING" Family U helps to carry out the theme of LEARNING. In doing so, we are excited to offer these opportunities that will assist you in fulfilling not only the church's mission but also the mission that God has given your family to grow as followers of Jesus Christ.

The winter semester of Family U will begin on Wednesday evening, January 11 and run through March 28 (except Feb. 22, which is Ash Wednesday).

## *Registration & Policies*

To Register: Please use the enclosed card to register for winter classes at Family U. All family members may register on the same card. PLEASE PRINT.

You may return your completed registration card to the Information Desk, put it in the offering plate, or bring it to the church office. More registration forms will also be available at those locations or you can download a form from our website.

If you prefer, you can register for Family U online at [www.foclutheran.org](http://www.foclutheran.org). Click on "Registrations" on the left menu bar.

Room assignments will be given out on the first night of classes, January 11.

Child care is available only for those parents attending classes on campus.

## *Midweek Worship*

At 5:45 p.m. each week before Family U there will be a midweek worship service. This will be the same worship service from the previous Sunday, slightly abbreviated.

# *Kid's College* . . . . .

Kid's College is continuing the Tru program for the winter quarter.

## **Tru: [inspire.equip.support](http://inspire.equip.support) Preschool - grade 5**

Tru is all about transforming lives through encountering God. Tru takes all the great Bible stories to a new level of learning, one where kids not only know about God, but have the opportunity to build a lasting relationship with God.

A nightly schedule includes:

- Explore/Anticipate (welcome and engage time)
- Discover/Celebrate & Respond (large group)
- Respond & Bless (small group)

It is not about simply knowing about Paul, or Moses, or King David in the Bible; it is more about understanding who God is through these wonderful Bible events. It is about understanding God's big pictures and how our lives fit into those big pictures.



# CrossTraining / Confirmation College • • • • •

**Important** - In order to register for any of the following classes, students must be enrolled in CrossTraining/Confirmation at Family of Christ. Students already enrolled in CrossTraining/Confirmation are automatically registered for their appropriate class. If you are interested in enrolling in CrossTraining/Confirmation at Family of Christ, contact Pete Hiller at the church office (763-434-7337) or visit the website at [www.foclutheran.org](http://www.foclutheran.org).

## Confirmation Winter Session January 11-February 15

### Living Faith

*(6th & 7th Grade CrossTraining Students)*

Pete Hiller

In this unit students will explore the characteristics of the one and only Triune God. Using Scripture and the Apostles Creed as a guide we will learn the unique qualities of each person of the Trinity in God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. At the conclusion of this course students will draft a personal statement of their Christian faith. (Sanctuary)

### Confirming My Faith and Living for Christ

Nate Speerbrecker

*(8th Grade CrossTraining Students)*

This course is designed for third year students who are getting ready to Confirm their Faith in a special "Rite of Confirmation" next fall. As part of this unit students will explore ways to live out their faith and calling in response to God's love and grace. In addition students will work out a discipleship plan that will be used along with their final Confirmation project. (Room 100)

# *Senior Youth Discipleship College* • • • • •

Senior Youth Winter Session  
January 11 - March 28

Sr. High Youth Group (Power House)

Nate Speerbrecker

This is our regular meeting for students in 9th grade through young adults. Participants at Power House spend time in praise and worship, listen to a speaker, and talk about the lesson in small groups. Guest speakers, special music, and skits are used throughout the year. Relevant topics and programming for Sr. High Youth.

# *Adult Discipleship College* • • • • •

Adult Winter Session  
January 11 - March 28

## **“Reading Through the New Testament in 90 Days”**

Pastor Goff

Gathering Place

Having completed a process of reading through the entire Bible last fall in a 90 day period, we want to slow our reading down a little bit but also not lose the momentum we began. Beginning January 1 we are going to go through the New Testament in a 90 day period but we will also review what we are reading in our Family U class. Each week the teaching will highlight the book(s) of the New Testament you

are reading that week (or the next week). We will strive to cover the entire New Testament with the following schedule:

JANUARY 11	Gospels of Matthew and Mark
JANUARY 18	Gospel of Luke
JANUARY 25	Gospel of John
FEBRUARY 1	Book of Acts
FEBRUARY 8	Romans
FEBRUARY 15	1 and 2 Corinthians
FEBRUARY 22	ASH WEDNESDAY -- No Class During the season of Lent, classes will continue at 6:45 (except Ash Wednesday) in addition to our mid-week Lenten worship.
FEBRUARY 29	Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians
MARCH 7	1 and 2 Thessalonians, 1 and 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon
MARCH 14	Hebrews
MARCH 21	James, 1 and 2 Peter, 1 and 2 and 3 John, Jude
MARCH 28	Introduction to Revelation

## *Other Important Dates*

Ash Wednesday ..... February 22, 2012

Wild Game Feed ..... March 10, 2012

Annual Community  
Easter Egg Hunt ..... March 31, 2012

Palm Sunday ..... April 1, 2012

Maundy Thursday ..... April 5, 2012

Good Friday ..... April 6, 2012

Easter ..... April 8

