

## Life Groups at First Baptist

Here at First Baptist we are committed to growing people in a vibrant, life-changing relationship with Jesus. For us, the optimum environment for growing spiritually is our life groups where people can grow in their commitment to the person of Christ, grow in their relational connection to the body of Christ, and grow in their fruitfulness as contributors to the mission of Christ. Life groups are the deep, rich soil where we:

- 1) Gather regularly (at least twice a month) in Jesus' name for the purpose of life-application Bible study, praise and prayer resulting in a deepening commitment to the person of Christ;
- 2) Practice the "one anothers" of Scripture during and between gatherings resulting in a strengthening connection to the body of Christ;
- 3) Participate in a local bridge-building ministry and practice the "open chair" (welcoming and inviting new people to the group) resulting in an increasing contribution to the mission of Christ.

Enclosed in this brochure is a listing of our current life groups. We would love to help you get connected to a life group that best fits you - please let us know how we can best serve you, as you seek to do life in community!

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### MIXED GROUPS

#### **Young Adult Group**

Leaders: Alex Tarin (425.259.9166) and Nathan Yocum (425.259.9166)  
Jason & Julie Jodock (425.773.1270)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Series  
Location: Lake Stevens Area Home  
Time: Alternating Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.  
We are three lifegroups that meet in the same location at the same time. We all connect at the beginning and then head to separate rooms for our meetings. We are a kid friendly group.

#### **Harbor Point Mukilteo Group**

Leaders: Dan and Ruth Clark (425.743.5236)  
Focus: Study on Heaven  
Location: Harbor Point Area Home  
Time: Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

#### **Marysville Group (Sunnyside)**

Leaders: Mel Tessness (425.334.5871) and Kathy Chapman (425.334.3547)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Study  
Location: Marysville Area Home  
Time: Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

#### **North Everett Group (Westside)**

Leaders: Nate and Christi Hardy (425.344.9132)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Study  
Location: Westside Area Home  
Time: Thursdays, 6:30 p.m.  
We are a kid friendly group.

#### **North Everett Group (Riverside)**

Leaders: John and Midge Ellis (425-252-6233)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Series  
Location: North Everett Area Home  
Time: Thursdays, 7:00 pm

#### **Silver Lake/Silver Firs Life Group**

Leaders: Roy McCowan (425.283.6450)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Studies  
Location: Silver Firs Area Home  
Time: Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.

#### **Lake Stevens/Snohomish Group**

Leader: Frank & Dee Riddell (425.334.0396)  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Series  
Location: Lake Stevens/ Snohomish Area Home  
Time: Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.

### WOMEN'S GROUPS

#### **Single Mom's Group**

Leader: Christen Weller (425.259.9166)  
Focus: Current Sermon Series  
Location: FBC, Pacific Room  
Time: Alternating Sundays, 12:30-2:30 p.m.

#### **Lake Stevens Area Group**

Leader: Ruelyn Nelson (425.397.9239)  
Study Focus: *Here and Now, Now and Then*  
Beth Moore—study on Revelation  
Location: Lake Stevens Area Home  
Time: Wednesdays: 1-3:00 p.m.

### MEN'S GROUPS

#### **Silver Lake Area Group**

Leader: Tom Warren (425.337.6855)  
Study Focus: *The Book of Revelation*  
Location: Rotating Homes  
Time: Mondays, 6:30 p.m.

#### **Central Everett Area Group**

Leader: Dan Cook (425.870.4838)  
Study Focus: *Prodigal Son* by Tim Keller  
Location: Central Everett Area Home  
Times: Saturdays, 7:30 a.m.

#### **North Everett Area Group**

Leader: Steve Dittoe  
Study Focus: Current Sermon Studies  
Location: Contact Pastor Allan for details—  
425.259.9166  
Time: Tuesdays, 6:30 a.m.

**What others are saying about Life Groups at FBC. . .**

*"I am making great friends within my life group." ~ Shelly*

*"It is great to know there are others to walk with you through life's little struggles." ~ Scott*

*"It's great to be able to share deeply with people you trust. Helps me deal with life's challenges." ~ Ruelyn*

*"I don't have to go to life group, I get to go. It's the highlight of my week." ~ Mel*

*"The Lord always points out to us how we can apply His Scripture to our lives now. That puts the life in our group!" ~ Laura*

*"I feel so connected to my life group. Tonight was amazing how you can share the deep dark and not be judged, but be lifted up in prayer." ~ Sherra*



Current Study: God's Direction

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