

TUESDAY EVENINGS

Community Bible Study

Description: A community & multid denominational Bible study for women. We meet once a week for the study of scripture & break into small groups for discussion. We are happy to offer child care for folks who need it. Community Bible Study is from 7 to 8:30 pm
Leader: Kathy Short

For more information, please contact Kathy Short 804-337-1989 or khshort1@gmail.com

THURSDAY MORNINGS

Crawlers and Toddlers Playgroup

We meet on the third Thursday of each month from 9:15 am - 10:30 am, in the Activity Room. (no meeting in July or August)
This casual playgroup is geared towards Crawlers and Toddlers but all babies and preschoolers are welcome. All caregivers welcome...moms, dads, grandparents, & professional caregivers. We will have coffee & snacks.
Beginning September 18.

For more information, please contact our children's director Danielle Rinker danielle@riverroadumc.org

Prayer, Praise and Healing Service

Description: Ecumenical & community wide spirit led worship service. Includes hymns, scripture, prayers, & messages by guest speakers.

Leader: Different speakers and leaders each week
Location/Time: Chapel/10:00 am Thursday

THURSDAY EVENINGS

Chancel Choir

Love music? Come join the Chancel Choir in fellowship & worship as we start the new season! New members aged 14 and up are welcome and encouraged to join us. The choir meets on Thursday nights for rehearsal at 7:15 pm in the choir room and will be warming up in the choir room/sanctuary Sunday mornings at 10:20 am. Please direct any interest or questions to Joy Price, Director of Traditional Music at joy@riverroadumc.org
Any instrumentalists interested in participating in worship please feel free to come forward as well.

PRAISE TEAM

If you play an instrument (bass guitar, keyboard, guitar, etc.), the Praise Team would love to have you! New members are always welcomed and encouraged to come in for a no-sweat, no-pressure audition. The Praise Team meets during the week for practice (time TBD) and Sunday mornings at 8:15 am in preparation for the 9:30 Contemporary Service. Contact Jimmy Dameron if you are interested. jimmy@riverroadumc.org

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Historically, UMW is the women of the United Methodist church coming together to provide missional services locally and worldwide. River Road's UMW has district connections and likes to help women, families, & children with contributions from our Silent Auction & annual Yard Sale. We participate in helping with celebrations: of life, confirmations, Hearts for Justice Teas, Advent Services & anything where many hands make light work or food is needed. We collect school supplies, backpacks, flower pots, medical supplies or anything that is brought to our attention. We LOVE to feed people at CARITAS & enjoy their company. We ARE the women of the church. One active circle meets monthly.

FRANCES ALLEN/ALICE WEED CIRCLE

The Frances Allen/Alice Weed Circle meets the second Tuesday of each month at 10:00 am.

For Questions or more information on any of our small group offerings, contact Desda White
Director of Discipleship and Programs
desda@riverroadumc.org or calling the church office at 804.740.7061



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SUNDAY MORNING SMALL GROUPS

Contemporary Christians

Description: How Jesus Saves the World from Us.

Leader: Randy Reaves

Location/Time: Room 205/9:30 am

Fidelis Class

Description: The Fidelis Class is being transformed by an indepth study of Philip Yancy's book What's So Amazing About Grace? We invite you to come join us!

Leaders: Vince Narron and Barb Abu-Jaber

Location/Time: Room 206/9:30 am

Wesleyan

Description: The Wesleyan Class will be studying When Did God Become a Christian? by David Kalas. Everyone is welcome to come grow in faith with us!

Leaders: Sue McGlamery and Granville Patrick

Location/Time: Room 202/9:30 am

Good News

Description: The Good News Class takes a verse-by-verse approach to Holy Scripture. If you seek to understand God's word better, this is the class for you.

Leader: Dr. Jim Davia

Location/Time: Room 211/9:30 am

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Nursery

Nursery is offered every Sunday morning for infants, toddlers & preschoolers for all three services & small groups at 8:30, 9:30 & 11:00 am. Our nursery is professionally staffed with three friendly and committed adults who all have their infant/child CPR certifications.

Location/Time: Children's Wing 8:30, 9:30, & 11:00am

Children and Youth Sunday School Classes 9:30 am

Preschool - Room 108 Potty-trained 3, 4, and 5-year-olds

Younger Elementary - Room 107 Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd graders

Older Elementary - Room 105 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders

Youth - Youth Room (in basement) 6th - 12th graders

Children's Message 11:00 am

The Pastor offers an engaging Children's Message for children of all ages during the 11:00 worship hour. We LOVE having children in worship so they are encouraged to worship with their families. Each entrance has "worship bags" filled with creative and interactive items that allow small children to stay and follow along in the worship experience.

Children's Church - Room 107 11:00 am - beginning September 10th

After the children's message, children aged 4 and up may choose to leave the sanctuary for a time of discipleship led by staff and committed volunteers in our Children's Wing.

SUNDAY EVENINGS

FOOD TRUCK Kick-off for fall is September 10th!

DINNER!

Dinner will be offered in the Kitchen and Fellowship Hall at 5:00 PM (\$5 per person with a \$25 per family max). You may pay by check, cash, or debit card. **Please sign up for dinner by noon each THURSDAY.** A head count helps us prepare and be faithful stewards of our budgeted funds. Sign up is available thru the website, the RR app, or by calling the church office each week by noon on Thursday.

SUNDAY NIGHT ADULT SMALL GROUPS 5:30pm

Financial Peace University by Dave Ramsey This course offers seven easy to follow steps to get out of debt and make a plan for your money. It also includes 16 weeks of online lesson viewing access and 90 days of the Every Dollar Budgeting Tool. **Cost is \$105** per couple/family unit. This is a 9 week class (September 17—November 19) with kickoff on 9/10. **Led by: Jimmy Benson & Greg Cowart in the Room 202**

Disciple I Becoming Disciples Through Bible Study—if you really want to grow leaps and bounds in your faith, this in-depth study of both the old and new testaments is for you. 34-week class (Sept 2017 - June 2018)
Led by: Dave Johnson and Terry Painter in Room 206

Seekers Do you prefer an evening bible study group? The Seekers are currently studying "The Life and Ministry of the Messiah" by Ray Vander Laan. This is an 8-week class (September 17—November 12)
Led by: Becki Mann in Room 209

CHILDREN

M&M Children's Ministry K-5th Grade

M&M stands for Music & Missions. Children K-5th grades will grow in love with God through music and serving others in mission. Starting at 5:30 pm there is 45 minutes of engaging and fun music led by Joy Price and 45 minutes of mission ministry led by Danielle Rinker to allow our children to grow a heart of loving God by serving others. **For more information about any of the children's groups contact Danielle Rinker at danielle@riverroadumc.org**

YOUTH — REVOLVE

Youth Group - Sunday evenings

5:00-5:30- Dinner offered in fellowship hall \$5/person

5:30-7:00- Middle School & High School youth activities

All students in grades 6-12 are encouraged to be a part of our Revolve Student Ministry. Each month the RRUMC youth group will have Bible study, mission opportunities, worship, and fellowship.

For more information contact Rev. Drew Johnson

youth@riverraodumc.org

CARILLON CHOIR

The handbell choir is a unique part of our church's music ministry, offering opportunities for worship, growing musical talents, team building, and comradery. We are always looking for extra hands to help us make a joyful sound. No experience needed - training provided. Come join us on **Sunday evenings at 7:00 pm** in the Music Room. **Contact Susan Simmers if you are interested. shsimmers@verizon.net**