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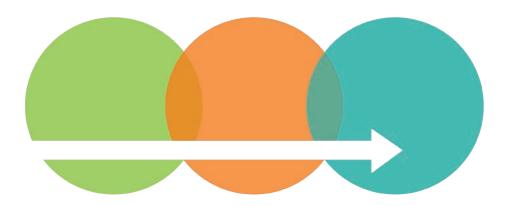


OUR MISSION

At College Park Church, we exist to ignite a passion to follow Jesus. As we live on mission as passionate followers of Jesus, we want to be used by God to help others become passionate followers of Jesus.

OUR STRATEGY

So how do we accomplish our mission? As a follower of Jesus at College Park, we want you to **Belong**, **Grow**, and **Multiply**.



WHAT WE BELONG

You shouldn't walk alone.



The Bible is clear—we're meant to do life together with other believers. When we say we want people to belong, we mean that we want them to:

Belong to College Park in covenant membership Belong to a group where they can know others, be known by others, serve, and live out our mission together

When we walk alongside other believers, we become part of something bigger than ourselves—we belong to a people.

GROW

Growth is healthy.

Growth is important for the health of your relationship with Jesus. Whether you're new to following Jesus, or have been following Him for years, we are all called to grow in Christlikeness. When we say we want people to grow, we mean that we want them to grow in their:

Knowledge of God and His Word

Character & pursuit of Christlikeness

Ability to use the Word in their own life and in the lives of others

At College Park, this happens through classes, groups, discipleship, and serving.

MULTIPLY

We're on mission.

Igniting a passion to follow Jesus requires action! To be on mission means that we are actively taking part in making disciples. There are many ways to multiply:

Raising up the next generation of Christ-followers by discipling children

Sharing the gospel near and far

Being part of a discipleship relationship

Serving at College Park or through our ministry partners

Helping launch a new campus, church plant, or taking the gospel to the world

These are just a few ways you can multiply your life in the lives of others—the possibilities are endless.

We're serious about igniting a passion to follow Jesus. We believe that our strategy helps us accomplish this both in our city and even to the ends of the earth.

HOW TO USE THIS NEXT STEPS GUIDE

This guide is designed to help you take a next step regardless of how long you've been at College Park, or how long you've been following Jesus. Whether it's going to a Newcomer Night, becoming a member, joining a Small Group, or finding a place to serve and use your gifts, we want to help you take your walk with Jesus to a deeper level.

We've organized this booklet around our strategy: **Belong**, **Grow**, and **Multiply**. We'd love for you to think about taking a step in each of these areas, as we believe that all three areas are vital to your spiritual growth and maturity.

Use the Table of Contents to help you navigate the various opportunities, and don't hesitate to reach out to the listed contact person for events, or visit us online at yourchurch. com if you have any questions.

If registration is required for an event listed in the following pages, the following symbol will appear next to the description: \blacksquare

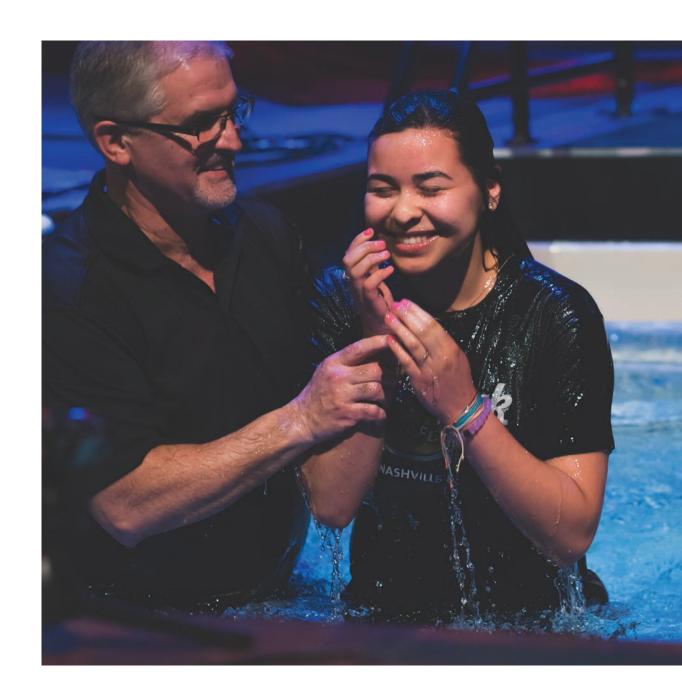


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together

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BELONG

NEWCOMER NIGHT ©

Newcomer Night is a great way to learn about who we are and what we believe at College Park. You'll meet others who are new to the church, as well as staff and current members. Share a meal and ask questions to find out how to take your next step.

WHEN Third Friday of each month | 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

WHERE Host home

QUESTIONS? Jenny Brake | jbrake@yourchurch.com

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MEMBERSHIP CLASS [©]

Learn more about our mission, strategy, core values, and ministries. Whether you intend to join College Park or just want to learn more about the church, this class is the best way to discover what it means to belong at College Park Church.

WHEN Saturday Intensives

2017: Nov. 4 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (includes lunch)

2018: Feb. 3, Apr. 28, July 28, Nov. 3 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (includes lunch)

WHERE East Room A/B

WHEN Four-Week Sunday Series

2017: Sundays from Sept. 24 - Oct. 15 | 9:45 a.m.

2018: Sundays from Mar. 4 - Mar. 25 | 9:45 a.m.

WHERE Room O|101

QUESTIONS? Michelle Lawrence | mlawrence@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/membership

BELONG SMALL GROUPS

College Park Small Groups meet all over the city and on every day of the week. With more than 125 groups, every group is unique. Our three "Small Group Essentials" are the defining characteristics that identify and connect all of our Small Groups to one another and ensure that groups function biblically and effectively.

Christ-centered & focused on the Word
Intentionally invasive
Living life together

LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/smallgroups

HOW TO JOIN A SMALL GROUP

When you're ready to join a Small Group, visit our Small Group Finder tool online. This tool allows you to see open Small Groups by geographic location. You can filter results based on day of the week that the group meets as well as the time of day that they meet. The search will provide you with the Small Group leader's contact information so you can reach out and plan a visit.

QUESTIONS? Karesse Faull | kfaull@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/smallgroupfinder



These community-oriented adult Bible classes allow you to engage with God's Word in a smaller group of people on Sunday mornings. Each Adult Big Group is as diverse as the people in it, so we recommend visiting several to get a feel for the structure that fits you best. Visit any time and try a few before making a final decision. Topics are subject to change.

LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/biggroups

YOUNG ADULTS

This class seeks to help young, single adults and couples grow in their affection for Christ, in their obedience to Him, and in their service to others. The class meets as a large group for teaching and then interacts in discussion in smaller groups.

WHEN Sundays | 8 a.m. WHERE Chapel C

BIBLE STUDY TAUGHT BY ROB LOY

This group is teacher-directed with a time of fellowship at the beginning of the class and is open to all ages. There are also opportunities to connect outside of class.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE Room E | 106

BE ONE TAUGHT BY JIM MILLIGAN & TODD RUETZ

This group studies books of the Bible moving from the Old Testament to the New Testament, and is open to all ages.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE Chapel B

ELEUTHEROS TAUGHT BY DAVID HOFFEDITZ

This group studies books of the Bible as well as other books, and is open to all ages. There are a number of community activities for men, women, and families.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE East Room A/B

KOINONIA TAUGHT BY JOE BARTEMUS

This group generally goes through a book of the Bible and is set up for the teacher to review the text and offer application questions from the passage. This group is open to all ages.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE Room E|104

NEW WORLD TAUGHT BY JIM WILLIAMS

The first 45 minutes of this group meeting is in a large group, with discussion-style Bible teaching, followed by Small Group interactions. These Small Groups often have activities outside of Sunday morning and pray for one another throughout the week. This group is for young adults, including singles, and couples.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE Chapel A

POST-NUPTIALS TAUGHT BY BOB & KAREN POURCHO

Tailored to meet the needs of young marrieds and young families, this group will encourage you to grow deeper in your faith, build relationships, and live with purpose. Ongoing topics alternate between marriage studies, topical issues, and books of the Bible. This group is geared toward young couples and families.

WHEN Sundays | 9:45 a.m. WHERE Room E | 110

TRUTH SEEKERS TAUGHT BY PHIL FRYE

This group studies Bible passages and topics and applies them to the needs of the people through teaching and discussion. This group is open to all ages.

WHEN Sundays | 11:30 a.m. WHERE Room E|104



Growth is important for the health of your relationship with Jesus. Whether you're new to following Jesus or have been following Him for years, we are all called to grow in Christlikeness. When we say we want people to grow, we mean that we want them to grow in their:

Knowledge of God and His Word Character and pursuit of Christlikeness Ability to use the Word in their own life and in the lives of others

At College Park this happens through classes, groups, discipleship, and serving.



THE GOSPEL EXPLAINED CLASS ®

This four-week class will walk new believers and those exploring Christianity through the message of the Bible.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Sept. 17 - Oct. 8 | 9:45 a.m. (fall)

2018: Sundays from Jan. 7 - Jan. 28 | 9:45 a.m. (winter)

WHERE Chapel C

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/gospelexplainedfall

yourchurch.com/gospelexplainedwinter

FUNDAMENTALS OF CHRISTIANITY CLASS Output Description:

This class will look at the foundational truths of Christianity using the Gospel of Mark.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Oct. 15 - Nov. 5 | 9:45 a.m. (fall)

2018: Sundays from Feb. 4 - Feb. 25 | 9:45 a.m. (winter)

WHERE Chapel C

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/fundamentalsfall

yourchurch.com/fundamentalswinter

FOUNDATIONS FOR LIVING THE CHRISTIAN FAITH CLASS 10

The goal of this class is to provide a Biblical understanding of why we should meet with God on a daily basis and practical tools to equip you for doing just that.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Nov. 12 - Dec. 3 | 9:45 a.m. (fall) 2018: Sundays from Mar. 4 - Mar. 25 | 9:45 a.m. (spring)

WHERE Chapel C

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/foundationsfall yourchurch.com/foundationsspring

HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE CLASS (3)

This class will teach you how to study, understand, and apply God's Word to your life. You'll learn about the importance of studying God's Word, how to understand context, make observations and interpretations, and what it means to apply, and obey the Bible.

WHEN 2018: Sundays from Jan. 21 - Feb. 11 | 9:45 a.m.

WHERE Room E | 101

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/studyingthebible



MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES 10

The goal of men's Bible studies is for men to grow together in Christ as they work together to apply God's Word to their lives. Each study is unique, but all are centered on studying and applying God's Word in the context of community. There are men's Bible studies that meet on Wednesday evenings, Thursday mornings, and Friday mornings.

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WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES ®

There are several women's studies offered each semester to help you grow in your knowledge of God's Word as you connect with other women. Studies meet on Tuesday mornings and Wednesday evenings, and child care is available for most studies. Visit the website to see a list of each semester's studies.

WHEN FALL | Tuesday & Wednesday mornings & evenings | Sept. - Nov.

LATE WINTER | Tuesday & Wednesday mornings & evenings | Jan. - Mar.

SPRING | Tuesday mornings & Wednesday evenings | May - June

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LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/womensbiblestudies

GROW

NEXT GENERATION // CHILDREN

SUNDAY SCHOOL

We are serious about our responsibility, in partnership with parents, to instruct children in "the whole counsel of God." Each grade level focuses on a specific theme, but all of the classes together are part of a single discipleship strategy aimed at giving children a comprehensive biblical foundation that we pray will give them a firm place to stand as they grow and mature.

WHEN Sunday mornings

WHERE When you check in your children at The Park, Children's Ministries team members will help guide you to the correct room for your child(ren).

QUESTIONS? Hannah Booher | hbooher@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/children

NURSERY

Our goal in the nursery is to help develop a "God-awareness" for children. We incorporate specific topics into our prayers for each child and emphasize a limited number of simple Bible truths.

WHEN 8 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

PRESCHOOL

During the preschool years, our goal is to introduce children to more than two hundred Bible stories in chronological order, highlighting key themes that will be developed more fully in the elementary years.

WHEN 8 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

KINDERGARTEN | JESUS, WHAT A SAVIOR: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON REDEMPTION

This chronological study of redemption explores the incomparable greatness and worth of God, the desperate condition of helpless sinners, and the all-sufficient work of Jesus Christ to redeem sinful people. In it, we present the three ways God reveals Himself to man—through His Son, through creation, and through His Word.

TEACHERS Jennifer Pettersen & Sarah Vroegop WHEN 9:45 a.m.

FIRST GRADE | THE ABCs OF GOD: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON THE GREATNESS & WORTH OF GOD

This study answers the questions, "Who is God?" and "What is God like?" using the framework of the alphabet to introduce God's attributes and divine character.

TEACHERS Patti Warner & Teresa Barthuly WHEN 9:45 a.m.

SECOND GRADE | FAITHFUL TO ALL HIS PROMISES: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON THE PROMISES OF GOD

Building on the foundation of trust in the character of God, which children learn in first grade, second grade emphasizes the reliability of the promises of God while helping children learn to stand on those promises.

TEACHERS JoAnn Dinsmore & Kate Britton WHEN 9:45 a.m.

THIRD GRADE | IN THE BEGINNING... JESUS: A CHRONOLOGICAL STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON REDEMPTIVE HISTORY

In this study, children learn that the purpose of the Old Testament is to point to Christ as the promised Messiah. Children see how Jesus and His perfect work in redeeming sinners was God's plan for all eternity past.

TEACHERS Lindsay & Chris Atkinson WHEN 9:45 a.m.

FOURTH GRADE I TO BE LIKE JESUS: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON FOLLOWING JESUS

Building on what the children learned in the previous year, this study focuses on what it means to follow Jesus. It explores the elements of salvation and progresses to an emphasis on the meaning of sanctification.

TEACHERS Ty Storrs, Tim Culp, & Brian Tague WHEN 9:45 a.m.

FIFTH GRADE I HOW MAJESTIC IS YOUR NAME: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON THE NAMES AND CHARACTER OF GOD

This study of the character of God uses the framework of His names with an emphasis on our response to God. This study also returns to the questions, "Who is God?" and, "What is God like?" There is a particular emphasis on the implications of God's character as it relates to personal application.

TEACHERS Jim Walls & Bob Markette WHEN 9:45 a.m.

SIXTH GRADE | MY PURPOSE WILL STAND: A STUDY ON THE PROVIDENCE OF GOD

This study of the providence of God leans on knowledge children have learned in earlier grades and sets it in the framework of the bigger purposes of God. Children are led to see all the acts of God as part of His eternal plan. This study reinforces God-centered answers to the difficult questions of life and emphasizes the right of God, the power of God, and the wisdom of God to rule the world.

TEACHERS John Benjamin & Tracy Brown WHEN 9:45 a.m.

AWANA

The goal of AWANA is to teach children who Jesus is, to help them to learn the Word of God, and to train them to apply the Bible's teachings to their lives. We want to partner with parents in training children to know, love, and serve God.

WHEN Wednesdays | 6:15 - 8:15 p.m.

WHERE When you check in your children at The Park, Children's Ministries team members will help guide you to the correct room for your child(ren).

QUESTIONS? Kristin Gilbert | kgilbert@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/awana

KINDERGARTEN, GRADES 1 & 2

STAND IN AWE: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON THE BIBLE

This study presents the three ways God reveals Himself to man in order to be seen and known—through His Son, through His creation, and through His Word. Children learn about the characteristics of the Bible, the main message of the Bible (redemption), and the purpose of the Bible (that we may believe.)

GRADES 3 - 6

FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT: A STUDY FOR CHILDREN ON PERSEVERING IN FAITH

In this study, students discover that everyone is in a battle—either as an unbeliever fighting against God, or as a believer fighting the fight of faith with God's help. The first five lessons present the message of salvation, and students are encouraged to look at their own heart condition. They are taught that every battle is a spiritual battle as the heart battlegrounds are exposed. The enemy's tactics are revealed, and the student is instructed in a battle strategy that leads to victory in Jesus.



GROW

NEXT GENERATION // STUDENTS

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Our goal is to come alongside students as they explore what it looks like to ignite a passion to follow Jesus in their unique context. We want to help develop a vibrant community among students at College Park as they grow and mature in their faith.

QUESTIONS? Natalie Eberhard | neberhard@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/students

JUNIOR HIGH (7TH & 8TH GRADE)

SUNDAYS

Jr. High students meet together as a large group and our goal is to help them develop into men and women of God through culturally relevant teaching, engaging peer-led worship, facilitated interactions with each other, and break-out discussion groups. This year, Jr. High students will walk through Rejoicing in God's Good Design: A Study for Students on Biblical Manhood and Womanhood.

WHEN 9:45 a.m.
WHERE Jr. High Room

WEDNESDAYS

Jr. High students meet together in Small Groups where they discuss the Bible, life, relevant topics, and spend time in prayer together, led by an adult Small Group leader. Each Small Group covers different material over the course of the year based on the specific needs of the group.

WHEN 6:30 - 8 p.m. WHERE Jr. High Room

SENIOR HIGH (9TH - 12TH GRADES)

SUNDAYS

Sr. High students meet in Small Groups at host homes to discuss the Bible, life, relevant topics, and spend time in prayer together, led by an adult Small Group leader. Having groups meet in homes helps create an additional layer of connection and interaction among students. Each Small Group covers different material over the course of the year based on the specific needs of the group.

WHEN 6 - 7:30 p.m. WHERE Host homes

WEDNESDAYS

Sr. High students meet as a large group and our goal is to help them develop into men and women of God through culturally relevant teaching and engaging worship through song and prayer. We want student interactions to be encouraging from the moment they enter the building to the time they leave. In the fall, students will explore the meaning of gospel community, followed by a study of 1 John to understand how gospel community impacts their love for Jesus and the world.

WHEN 6:30 - 8 p.m.
WHERE College Park Ministry Center

GROWCLASSES

HOW TO SHARE THE GOSPEL CLASS ®

This class is designed to help you share the gospel effectively in the context of your daily conversations and relationships.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Sept. 10 - Oct. 1 | 11:30 a.m. (fall) 2018: Sundays from Jan. 7 - 28 | 11:30 a.m. (winter) WHERE Chapel C

QUESTIONS? Joe Wittmer | jwittmer@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/evangelismfall yourchurch.com/evangelismwinter

BASICS OF DISCIPLESHIP CLASS ®

This class will examine God's Word to help you understand what discipleship is and how you, as a follower of Jesus Christ, can help others grow and multiply.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Oct. 8 - 29 | 11:30 a.m. (fall) 2018: Sundays from Jan. 1 - 28 | 11:30 a.m. (winter)

WHERE Chapel A

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

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HELPING OTHERS GROW CLASS ®

This class is designed to equip you with the skills necessary to accurately handle the Word of God in your own life and in the lives of others. You will be trained on how to discern problems, gather data, build involvement, assign homework, and give hope. These are the essential components of Bilbical Counseling.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Nov. 5 - 26 | 11:30 a.m. (fall) 2018: Sundays from Mar. 4 - 25 | 11:30 a.m. (spring)

WHERE Chapel A

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

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COMMON COUNSELING ISSUES CLASS ®

This class builds on the "Helping Others Grow" class content, and will equip you to counsel people as they navigate guilt and the past, anger, trials & suffering, depression, and fear and forgiveness.

WHEN 2017: Wednesdays from Sept. 6 - Oct. 25 | 6:15 - 8 p.m.

WHERE Room B|5-6

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/commonissues

THEOLOGY OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING CLASS [®]

No one makes a decision, has a thought, or expresses an opinion that isn't informed by theology. What you think about God and His Word informs how you perceive the events around you, your relationships, and even your emotions. This class is designed to uncover how theology shapes your life and then point you toward a better, more accurate, God-honoring view of life.

WHEN 2018: Wednesdays from Jan. 24 - Mar. 28 | 6:15 - 8 p.m.

WHERE Room B|5-6

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/counselingtheology

BIBLICAL DECISION-MAKING CLASS O

This four-week class will explore how to make decisions from a biblical perspective in light of a desire to follow God's Word. We'll see how this desire affects decisions like what job to take, where to move, the person you date or marry, the friends you choose, and how you spend your free time.

WHEN 2018: Sundays from Feb. 25 - Mar. 18 | 9:45 a.m.

WHERE Room E | 101

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/decisionmaking

DOCTRINE OF GOD, SCRIPTURE, & MAN CLASS Output Description Descri

In this series of three systematic theology classes, you'll learn about doctrines that are central to the Christian faith. The classes will study Scripture to understand the doctrines, and then discuss how these truths affect life and how to share them with others.

WHEN 2018: Wednesdays from Sept. 6 - Oct. 18 | 6:30 - 8 p.m.

WHERE Room B | 1-3

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

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DOCTRINE OF CHRIST, THE HOLY SPIRIT, & SALVATION CLASS ©

In this series of three systematic theology classes, you'll learn about doctrines that are central to the Christian faith. The classes will study Scripture to understand the doctrines, and then discuss how these truths affect life and how to share them with others.

WHEN 2018: Wednesdays from Jan. 10 - Feb. 14 | 6:30 - 8 p.m.

WHERE Room B|1-3

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/doctrine2

DOCTRINE OF THE CHURCH & ESCHATOLOGY CLASS O

In this series of three systematic theology classes, you'll learn about doctrines that are central to the Christian faith. The classes will study Scripture to understand the doctrines, and then discuss how these truths affect life and how to share them with others.

WHEN 2018: Wednesdays from Mar. 7 - Apr. 18 | 6:30 - 8 p.m.

WHERE Room B|1-3

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/doctrine3

STRENGTHENING YOUR MARRIAGE CLASS O

This class is designed for both newly married couples and couples who want a refresher on the biblical purpose of marriage. Topics include the role of the husband, the role of the wife, biblical sexuality, and how to improve communication.

WHEN 2017: Sundays from Sept. 10 - Oct. 22 | 8 a.m.

WHERE East Room

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/strongmarriages

PARENTING FOR LIFE CLASS ®

We are called to teach our children diligently, but what does that look like? This class will explore the purpose, instruction, and discipline of parenting according to the Word of God.

WHEN 2018: Sundays from Jan. 14 - Feb. 25 | 8 a.m.

WHERE East Room

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/parentingforlife

PRE-MARITAL COUNSELING CLASS ®

This class covers the basic foundations of biblical marriage including communication, roles of husbands and wives, and sexual intimacy in marriage. This class is required for all engaged couples getting married at College Park Church, and strongly encouraged for every engaged couple who calls College Park their home church. You do not have to be getting married at College Park to attend the class, and newly married couples are also invited to attend.

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WHEN 2017: Sundays from Sept. 10 - Oct. 29 | 8 a.m. (fall)
2018: Sundays from Jan. 14 - Feb. 25 | 8 a.m. (winter)

WHERE Chapel B COST $50 per couple

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

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BAPTISM ORIENTATION CLASS FOR PARENTS ©

We believe that parents are directly and significantly involved in the spiritual life of their children. In this 90-minute class, we'll lead parents through a process designed to lay a biblical foundation to help your child understand the redeeming work of Christ, the assurance of salvation, how to pursue faithfulness to the Lord, and more.

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WHEN [Choose One]
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Sunday, Sept. 24, 2017 | 8 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 21, 2018 | 8 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2018 | 6:30 p.m. Sunday, June 17, 2018 | 8 a.m. Sunday, June 24, 2018 | 8 a.m.

WHERE Room O | 101

QUESTIONS? Hannah Booher | hbooher@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/baptismorientation

GOD OWNS IT ALL CLASS ®

This class will teach you how to have a biblical perspective on the stewardship of your finances, time, and talents as you begin to understand that God is the ultimate Owner of everything you have.

WHEN Sundays from Sept. 17 - Oct. 29 | 9:45 a.m.
WHERE Room E|101
QUESTIONS? Rick Hampton | rhampton@yourchurch.com
LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/godownsitall

BIBLICAL COUNSELING TRAINING WEEKENDS 0

These three weekends are designed to equip you to accurately handle the Word of God in your own life and in the lives of others. Topics include: marital issues, parenting issues, anger, depression, and a variety of other topics.

WHEN Discipleship Foundations | Feb. 16 - 17, 2018
Discipleship in Life Issues | Mar. 24 - 25, 2018
Discipleship in Relationships | Apr. 20 - 21, 2018

WHERE Chapel A

QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/foundations

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GROUPS

MOM'S CONNECTION ®

Mom's Connection is designed to encourage mothers as they grow in their understanding of the type of mother God has created them to be. Two different groups meet in order to serve the needs of moms in different phases of life. Both groups enjoy brunch, a speaker, and time for fellowship and discussion. Child care is also available.

STEP 1 (For mothers of infants and preschoolers)

WHEN Every other Thursday from Sept. 7 - May 17 | 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

WHERE East Room A/B

QUESTIONS? Brittany Pittman | mcstep1@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/momsconnection

STEP 2 (For mothers who have at least one child in first grade or older)

WHEN Two Wednesdays a month from Sept. 6 - May 2 | 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

WHERE East Room B

QUESTIONS? Jane Schuth | jschuth@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/momsconnection

TITUS 2 WOMEN (T2W) ®

Our Titus 2 women's discipleship groups are made up of two mature women who co-mentor 6-8 younger women in their walk with Christ. Groups meet once a month for a calendar year.

INTERESTED IN BEING IN A GROUP? Come to the informational meeting.

WHEN Saturday, Jan. 20, 2018 | 10 a.m.

WHERE East Room

QUESTIONS? Jane Schuth | jschuth@yourchurch.com

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WORSHIP-BASED PRAYER NIGHTS

Join us once a month for worship and prayer as we seek God together. These nights are a great way to grow in your prayer life as we use several different formats for prayer, interspersed with worship. Child care is available but you must register for it beforehand. Visit the event page online for the child care registration link.

WHEN Sundays | 6 p.m.

2017: Aug. 27, Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 12, Dec. 17

2018: Jan. 20, Feb. 25, Mar. 25, Apr. 22

WHERE Sanctuary

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JOURNEY IN MISSIONS NIGHT

This monthly missions fellowship, led by Nate Irwin, Pastor of Global Outreach, is a great opportunity to learn about missions while you explore the call to go or think about how to send others.

WHEN Second Monday each month from September - May | 6 - 7:45 p.m.

WHERE Room S|110 (Worship Arts Room)

QUESTIONS? Ron Page | rpage@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/jimnight

THINK|18: DEFENDING THE FAITH 10

In 2018, our annual THINK conference is welcoming Dr. Ravi Zacharias, along with his team, to discuss methods for defending the faith and evangelism. This weekend promises to help you grow in carrying out our mission of igniting a passion to follow Jesus.

WHEN Mar. 2 - 3, 2018
WHERE Sanctuary
QUESTIONS? Kelly Alexander | kalexander@yourchurch.com
LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/think

MARRIAGE DESSERT NIGHT ®

SEEING FRUIT IN YOUR IN-LAW RELATIONSHIPS

How do you love and serve your in-laws? How do you leave and cleave, but still allow your in-laws a place in your marriage and family? Come learn about what the Bible has to say about how to navigate these issues. Free child care is available for this event.

WHEN Tuesday, Sept. 26 | 7 - 8:45 p.m.

WHERE College Park Ministry Center

QUESTIONS? Gary Meeks | gmeeks@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/marriagedessert

FOUNDATIONS IN PARENTING SEMINAR ®

This class is designed to prepare parents for dedicating their children at College Park Church. Discussion focuses on understanding the meaning of dedication, the promises being made by the parents, and the commitment of the church to join with parents as we pursue the joy of the next generation together.

WHEN 2017: Saturday, Sept. 23 | 8:45 a.m. - noon 2018: Saturday, Feb. 10 | 8:45 a.m. - noon

Saturday, Apr. 28 | 8:45 a.m. - noon

WHERE Room C|201 & C|203

QUESTIONS? Courtney Worl | cworl@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/foundationsinparenting



GROW

TRINITY EXTENSION CAMPUS

College Park Church hosts an extension site for Trinity Evangelical Divinity School (TEDS) located in Deerfield, Illinois. Students can earn a Master of Arts in Christian Studies or a Certificate in Biblical Studies. TEDS provides the professors, many of whom teach at the Chicago campus. Classes are on Friday evenings and all day Saturdays—each class generally meets four times per semester.

WHEN Fridays: 6 - 9 p.m. | Saturdays, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. beginning Aug. 24

WHERE Room O|101

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/trinityextension

DIGITAL RESOURCES

THEOLOGY BASICS VIDEO SERIES

This four-part video series covers the basic elements of Christianity. Each video is 12-15 minutes long and is followed by discussion.

HOW DID IT ALL GET STARTED (Creation)

WHAT WENT WRONG? (The Fall)

WHAT IS THE SOLUTION TO SIN IN THE WORLD? (Redemption)

HOW IS IT GOING TO END? (Restoration)

WATCH THE VIDEOS yourchurch.com/theologybasics

DISCIPLESHIP RESOURCES yourchurch.com/discipleship

FAMILY RESOURCES yourchurch.com/familyresources

SMALL GROUP RESOURCES yourchurch.com/smallgroupresources



Igniting a passion to follow Jesus requires action! To be on mission means that we are actively taking part in making disciples. There are many ways to multiply:

Raising up the next generation of Christ-followers by discipling children

Sharing the gospel near and far

Being part of a discipleship relationship

Serving at College Park or through our ministry partners

Helping launch a new campus, church plant, or taking the gospel to the world

These are just a few ways you can multiply your life in the lives of others—the possibilities are endless.



REACH|17

REACH is our annual conference focused on global missions. We'll have a guest speaker for a Sunday service, hear from Nate Irwin, our Pastor of Global Outreach, get updates from our featured missionaries, and think about how to best engage with taking the gospel to the nations. There will be several events over the course of the week, so be sure to check out the website for a full list of what's happening.

WHEN Oct. 22 - 29, 2017
QUESTIONS? Ron Page | rpage@yourchurch.com
LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/reach

VISION TRIPS

Taking a trip to experience the sights, sounds, and smells of one of our global strategic partners is the best way to get a real vision for global outreach. We have trips in almost every season of the year. Visit the website for a list of current trips.

QUESTIONS? Ron Page | rpage@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/visiontrips

FIRST FRIDAY PRAYER

Join us for an evening of fellowship over dinner as we learn about and pray for College Park missionaries and their families. Child care is available, but families must register for it beforehand. Visit the event online for the child care registration link.

WHEN First Friday of each month | 6 - 7:45 p.m.

WHERE College Park Ministry Center

QUESTIONS? Ron Page | rpage@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/firstfriday

TITUS 2 WOMEN (T2W) 10

Our Titus 2 women's discipleship groups are made up of two mature women who co-mentor 6-8 younger women in their walk with Christ. Groups meet once a month for a calendar year.

MENTOR INTEREST TRAINING MEETING (for mature women)

WHEN Saturday, Oct. 7 | 9 a.m.

WHERE East Room

QUESTIONS? Jane Schuth | jschuth@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/titus2mentor

WOMEN NEXT DOOR

Women Next Door is a group of women of College Park who want to intentionally connect with their neighbors by opening their homes for neighborhood Bible studies.

INTERESTED IN STARTING A STUDY?

Ginger Johnson | womennextdoor@yourchurch.com

WOMEN'S SUMMER GATHERING

This is an all-church women's event designed to give women an opportunity to enjoy a night out, bring friends, and connect with other women in our community.

WHEN Tuesday, Aug. 29 | 6:45 - 8:15 p.m.
WHERE College Park Ministry Center
QUESTIONS? Jane Schuth | jschuth@yourchurch.com
LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/summergathering

WOMEN'S BLESSINGS MARKET

The Blessings Market is an exciting and unique event with several local vendors from whom women can purchase handmade goods. A portion of proceeds from the evening benefit ministry partners in our own community and around the world.

WHEN Tuesday, Nov. 14 | 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
WHERE Atrium/Commons
QUESTIONS? Jane Schuth | jschuth@yourchurch.com
LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/blessingsmarket

MULTIPLY

SERVE

DISCIPLESHIP OF THE NEXT GENERATION

What better way to multiply your life than by investing in the discipleship of the next generation? Each fall, it takes over 400 people to fill a variety of roles – from greeters and teachers to caregivers and Small Group leaders – to fuel these ministries. Will you consider joining these strategic ministries?

QUESTIONS? Children: Hannah Booher | hbooher@yourchurch.com Students: Natalie Eberhard | neberhard@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/nextgen

SERVE & USE YOUR GIFTS AT COLLEGE PARK

There are lots of ways you can plug into serving through various ministries at College Park. Visit our church website to see opportunities in each ministry or search by your interests. You'll fill out an interest form and someone from that specific ministry will get in touch with you.

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/useyourgifts

BE A SMALL GROUP LEADER ®

We are always looking for qualified, spiritually mature Christ-followers who want to lead a Small Group and help others go deeper with Jesus. If you're interested in leading a group or in learning more about leadership, please plan on attending an orientation session, as it is required for all potential leaders.

WHEN 2017: Saturday, Sept. 16 | 8:30 a.m - 2 p.m.

2018: Saturday, Jan. 13, Mar. 17, June 9, & Sept. 8 | 8:30 a.m - 2 p.m.

WHERE East Room

QUESTIONS? Karesse Faull | kfaull@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE & REGISTER yourchurch.com/leaderorientation



We want multiplication at College Park to happen inside our doors and beyond them. As you think about your next step, consider how sharing the gospel with unbelievers can help you grow and multiply. We believe that the best multiplication happens when the people of God intentionally reach out to people in their sphere of influence with the gospel. Here are a few ways you can be intentional.

NEIGHBORING

We use this term to describe how to engage with our neighbors. We have three goals in mind:

- 1. CONNECT intentionally with your neighbors, co-workers, friends, and people you encounter.
- 2. LOVE your neighbors with words and deeds.
- 3. BUILD bridges of grace that will sustain the weight of gospel truth.

INVITE SOMEONE TO A SUNDAY SERVICE

We plan each service with your neighboring efforts in mind, and strive to provide you with an opportunity to practice multiplication every week as you share the gospel with your neighbors and then invite them to come and see the gospel being lived out in the body of Christ.

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

As you do the work of reaching out to the people around you, we want to provide spaces for them to engage with the gospel. To help that effort, we have a number of events and activities throughout the year designed for you to intentionally invite your neighbors. Things like Summer Fest, our annual Christmas concert, our annual Easter services, and Women's Gatherings are great events to which you can invite people.

OTHER MINISTRIES

COMPASSION

LEGACY BUILDERS

Legacy Builders is a community for those age 55 and over, focused on spiritual encouragement and service. The group is made up of retired or semi-retired, singles, couples, and those who have been widowed. There are events throughout the year focused on building community, encouraging one another, and serving others.

QUESTIONS? Karen Davis | legacybuilders@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/legacybuilders

DEAF CHURCH MINISTRY

Christian Life Church of the Deaf (CLCD) uses American Sign Language (ASL) to present the gospel to the Indianapolis area Deaf Community. Presenting the gospel in ASL allows for a natural first-language experience for the under-reached Deaf Community.

WHEN Sundays at 9:45 & 11:30 a.m. | Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

WHERE College Park Ministry Center

QUESTIONS? Tony Myers | deafchurch@yourchurch.com

LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/deafchurch

ADULT SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY

This vibrant ministry provides Bible study, transportation, friendship, and community to those in our church body with physical limitations.

WHEN Sundays at 9:45 a.m. | Mondays during the school year at 7 p.m. QUESTIONS? Jeff Alexovich | adultspecialneeds@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/adultspecialneeds

WIDOWS MINISTRY

Our Widows Ministry exists to help widows find purpose in the journey of grief. The ladies meet monthly to provide community, offer support and resources, foster hope in the face of grief, and encourage the fulfillment of God's plan for this unique phase of life.

WHEN Second Tuesdays, Noon - 2 p.m. | Commons and Prayer Room B Third Sundays, 3:30 - 4 p.m. | Off-site location

QUESTIONS? Alma Walker | widowsministry@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/widows

OTHER MINISTRIES

WORSHIP ARTS

CHOIR

The 80+ voices of the Spirit & Truth Choir lead our congregation in worship through a variety of choral music styles. In addition to singing a couple of times a month in Sunday morning worship services, the choir presents seasonal worship events throughout the year with our orchestra, dance ministry, drama ministry, and other Worship Arts Ministries.

QUESTIONS? Tracie Pletcher | tpletcher@yourchurch.com

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The New Creation Choir is a ministry for children age 6 through 6th grade with a mission to ignite children's passion to use their gifts in worship. It offers great opportunities for children to memorize Scripture through song, and learn about worship as they participate in services throughout the year.

QUESTIONS? Nancy Awabdy | newcreationchoir@yourchurch.com

DANCE

In Step, the dance ministry of College Park Church, is for females age five to adult, who use their creative gifts during various corporate worship services, musicals, and other worship venues. The dance ministry consists of dancers, teachers, choreographers, costume designers, and seamstresses.

QUESTIONS? Bethany Gee | danceministry@yourchurch.com

ORCHESTRA

The College Park Church Orchestra is a group of individuals gifted in playing musical instruments with a desire is to come together as a Spirit-led group to skillfully worship the Lord with instrumental music. The orchestra helps lead all of the assembled believers into deeper worship of Jesus Christ.

QUESTIONS? Tracie Pletcher | tpletcher@yourchurch.com

PRAISE BAND

The Praise Band regularly leads Sunday morning worship and other special events throughout the year. The group consists of some variation of guitars, bass, drums, keyboards, piano, auxiliary percussion, and various solo instruments.

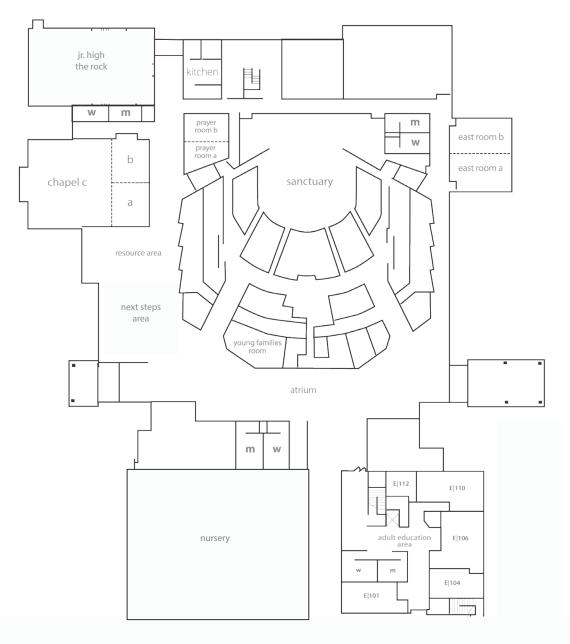
QUESTIONS? Tracie Pletcher | tpletcher@yourchurch.com

TECH SERVE

We strive for excellence in the use of production arts to glorify God and to insure that people see and hear the components that reinforce the message being deilivered. From sound and lighting to video production and computer graphics, this crew works hard behind the scene to keep everything running smoothly. Opportunities to serve include: Video Switcher, Camera Operators, Computer Graphics, Audio, and Staging & Setup.

QUESTIONS? Chris Skinner | cskinner@yourchurch.com LEARN MORE yourchurch.com/techserve

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