

WEDNESDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP brings students together to fellowship around truth and relationships. Middle school and high school students study God's Word, sing, enjoy activities, and fellowship in small groups. We are currently studying the book of Galatians.

Wednesdays | 6:30-8:30 pm | Room 130

YOUTH CLASSES meet at 9 am. Middle School (6th-8th grade) will study New Testament Survey in Room 151 and High School (9th-12th grade) will study Systematic Theology in Room 150. Parents are encouraged to attend with their students!

Sundays | 9 am | Room 151 and 150

For more information, email jerodjarvis@spokanevbc.org

SUNDAY SCHOOL

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COURAGEOUS CONQUERORS is a class for individuals with special needs who could benefit from a class adapted for varied learning styles welcomes students ages middle school through adult. This class meets at 9 am in Room 152. Please contact Stephanie in the church office at (509) 928-5161 to register or to serve in this ministry.

ADULT CLASSES

- **Answering Questions About the Bible:** Co-taught by Mike Powell and Randy Brigoli. Do you or someone you know have questions about the reliability of the Bible? This class will address many of the questions that are being raised today. A few of the topics we will address include: How do we know that the Bible is from God? Hasn't the Bible been changed over time? Who decided what writing should be included in the Bible and which left out? Hasn't science disproven the Bible? How can the Bible truly be from God when it seems so cruel, sexist, and homophobic? Come prepared to ask whatever questions you might have.

Sept. 13-Dec. 13 | 9 am | Room 130

- **What Did You Expect? Redeeming The Realities Of Marriage:** Co-taught by Kris & Jen Morton and Jordan & Kyah Jarvis. Somehow, someday, every marriage becomes a struggle. Everyone's marriage morphs into something they didn't intend it to be. At some point you need something sturdier than romance. You need something deeper than shared interests and mutual attraction. You need changed expectations, you need radical commitments, and, most importantly, you need grace.

Sept. 13-Dec. 13 | 10:45 am | Room 150

- **Ephesians: Living Who You Are in Christ:** Co-taught by Ben Orchard and Nathan Snook. How do God's grace and glory shape our daily lives "in Christ"? As we study Ephesians, we'll explore Paul's rich doctrinal foundation, which establishes our calling and identity in Christ. We'll discover the practical outworking of that theology, learning how to live out our faith in light of who we are in Jesus Christ. Join us for this deep yet practical journey into our identity and calling in Christ.

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- **Prospective Members Class:** The elders will teach a class on VBC's mission and beliefs for those who have decided to call VBC their church home and would like to pursue formal membership. Register at spokanevbc.org/events.

Oct. 4-Oct. 25 | 10:45 am | Room 151

FALL KICK-OFF

— Ministry Guide —

LIFE GROUPS

LIFE GROUPS are home fellowships made up of 8-12 adults who regularly attend VBC and commit to meeting weekly to study God's Word, pray, invest in and support one another, and seek opportunities to serve the community. The goal is for each group to be a place to share, grow, and see the Gospel brought to bear in everyday life! To join a group, visit the sign-up table after today's service or email caleb@spokanevbc.org.

spokanevbc.org/life-groups
Begins the week of Sept. 13

ADULT MINISTRIES

GLOBAL OUTREACH TEAM VBC supports 16 global outreach partners (and their families) serving in over ten countries spanning four continents. The goal of the GO Team is to maintain personal relationships with these partners, encourage them, and support their ministries. To learn more, contact Caleb Klontz at caleb@spokanevbc.org.

spokanevbc.org/global-outreach

IGNITE provides fellowship and opportunity for Christian growth for college/career-age adults (ages 18-28). Monday evening Bible study begins Sept. 21 at 6:30 pm.

spokanevbc.org/ignite

PRAYER TEAM gathers weekly on Sunday mornings to pray for the worship services, staff, volunteers, and other specific requests.

Sundays | 8:30 am | Room 124
prayer@spokanevbc.org

VALLEY BIBLICAL COUNSELING CENTER provides Biblical counseling, rooted in Scripture, to our church and our community. Email jerodjarvis@spokanevbc.org or go to spokanevbc.org/counseling to start the counseling process.

VBC SINGLES aims to equip single adults (ages 21 and older) with opportunities to connect, serve, and grow in faith through short devotionals, fellowship activities, and community outreach. For more information, email singles@spokanevbc.org.

Next meeting is Sept. 12 | 5:30 pm | Room 150
Register at spokanevbc.org/events

VBC MEN

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MEN'S BREAKFAST is the second Saturday of every month for men high school age and older.

2nd Saturday of each month | 8 am | 130

MEN'S LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE fosters men's Christian leadership in the home, church, workplace, and community. "Fire Teams" are groups of about 5 men that meet regularly for study, accountability, and prayer. For more information, or to join a Fire Team, contact the Men's Leadership Team at randy.peterman@gmail.com.

VBC KIDS

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NURSERY is available for infants and children up to 3 years old during both services.

VBC KIDS SUNDAY SCHOOL Classes are divided by grade level (preschool through 5th grade) and study the Old and New Testaments using curriculum from the Gospel Project and Answers in Genesis.

Sundays | 9 & 10:45 am | VBC Kids Wing
jennifer@spokanevbc.org

VBC WOMEN

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BIBLE/BOOK STUDIES begin Sept. 23. Class sizes are limited to 12-15 ladies. Limited childcare is available during the Wednesday morning and evening sessions (separate sign-up required). Physical books are available for \$10 each (scholarships are available), and digital copies are also available for most of the studies.

Wednesday mornings, 9:30-11 am:

- "Flourishing in Motherhood" led by Linda Doehle and Beth Burright (ends Oct. 28)
- "Chosen: A Study on the Book of Ephesians" led by Laurie Montang and Melissa Wolff (ends Nov. 11)
- "Jesus Through the Eyes of Women" led by Sandy Jones, Gayle Jaqueth, and Phyllis Andrizzi (2 groups of 15 people each; ends Nov. 11)

Wednesday evenings, 6:15-8:15 pm:

- "Fundamentals of the Faith: 13 Lessons to Grow in the Grace & Knowledge of Jesus Christ" led by Stephanie Painter (will extend into the spring session)
- "Ruth: Fields of Grace" led by Latonja Piland and Julliette Morton (ends Oct. 21)
- "The Lord's Prayer: A Study in Matthew Chapter 6" led by Julliette Morton and Latonja Piland (Oct. 28-Dec. 2, no meeting Nov. 25)

Saturday mornings, 10:30-11:30 am, Sept. 26-Oct. 31:

- "Busy Season Bible Study: Jude and 2 Peter" led by Jennifer Morton

*Sign-ups open 9/13 in person and 9/14 at spokanevbc.org/women
womensministry@spokanevbc.org*

BLANKET MAKERS make quilts to give to those who need comfort and support in the church, the Spokane area, and our global outreach partners. Contact Robin Turnbull (turnbird@comcast.net) or Becky Keck, (keck608@comcast.net) for more information.

First Saturday and third Thursday of each month, 9 am-2 pm | 130

TITUS 2 WOMEN'S MENTORING offers mentorship training and networking for women who want to nurture, equip, and encourage younger women at VBC in their pursuit to become godly women.

titus2@spokanevbc.org

WOMEN'S BREAKFAST/EVENTS Did you know that all Christian women—regardless of age, marital status, or season of life—are called to be spiritual mothers? We'll be exploring this wonderful calling this year at our gatherings, and we'd love to have you join us! Ladies high school and older are invited to meet September-May on the third Saturday of each month for Women's Breakfast at 9 am in Room 130. A few exceptions to this schedule are: Nov. 20 (Friday Game Night), Dec. 5 (Christmas Party), and April 23-25 (Women's Retreat at Ross Point Camp and Conference Center).

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