



Christ Church Episcopal Parish

Christian Formation For Adults

30 Good Minutes

Sundays after the 10 am service. All are invited to Cummins Hall for presentations and discussions that affect and inform our lives as Christian people. We begin at 11:30 am and conclude at noon. The Sunday bulletins describe current series, topics, and speakers.

Women In Spirituality

Mondays in the Guild Room from noon to 1:30 pm. This program serves as a portal for women to join together for study, reflection, prayer, building community and a deepening of spirituality and faith. Women of all ages are invited. You will find a rich variety of presenters, topics and discussions. Marilyn Depew is the coordinating contact person and can be reached via email at tmdepew@easystreet.net or by phone at 503-697-5586. This program breaks for the summer months.

Spiritual Journey

Fridays in the Conference Room from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm. This program provides participants with an opportunity for in depth study devoted to the quest for spiritual knowledge and exploration of God, our faith, and life and how they intertwine. The discussion group helps each participant in their personal spiritual journey wherever it is and wherever it is leading. Terry Crawford is the coordinator of this program and can be contacted via email at tpcrawfords@comcast.net. This program breaks for the summer months.

Education For Ministry

Education for Ministry (EfM) is a unique four-year distance learning certificate program in theological education based upon small-group study and practice. Since its founding in 1975, this international program has assisted more than 80,000 participants in discovering and nurturing their call to Christian service. EfM helps the faithful encounter the breadth and depth of the Christian tradition and bring it into conversation with their experiences of the world as they study, worship, and engage in theological reflection together. This small group meets every Thursday evening for 2-1/2 hours to read, study, share, and discuss our questions, our spiritual lives, our spiritual journeys, our sense of mission, and our Christian faith all in a spirit of community. The nine-month year begins in early September and ends the last week of May. Each September, we welcome new members. If you are interested in learning more about EfM, please contact Julia Simpson via email at juliasimpson.pdx@gmail.com or Maureen Hagen at deacon@ccparish.org. This program breaks for the summer.