

Dear Friends,

Many of us are already involved in various ministries and others are looking to be involved in the body of Christ. You might be asking yourself, "Why should I make another commitment?" or "How can I connect with other folks who attend here?" or "What is the purpose of *Community* Groups and why should I be connected to one?" Those are good questions.

Christ's Church has a Senior Pastor who faithfully teaches and preaches from God's Word every Sunday. It is our individual responsibility to apply the truth to our own life thereby growing more into the image of Christ. In the book of James we are admonished to not only be a hearer of the Word but be a doer of the Word. *Community* Groups provide an avenue for becoming a growing 'doer'. They are a place to Work out in a practical way, the truth of God's word from that we have been taught.

Community Groups aim to: further the teaching process by providing a forum in which personal sanctification is a goal; provide mutual care and fellowship which flow out of connections that are made within the body of Christ; and provide the opportunity to make the most of the ministry of the Holy Spirit as believer's individual gifts are realized and utilized.

Will you be able to accomplish these biblical purposes by attending church on Sunday? Perhaps, but it will be very difficult. Besides offering accountability, *Community* Groups provide encouragement along the way through making connections that are difficult to cultivate before and after Sunday Services.

Won't you look over the list of *Community* Groups and prayerfully consider a commitment to connecting to one of them?

Pastor Ed



MISSION: The small group ministry at Christ's Church exists to:

- Promote the progressive sanctification of the saints,
- See to the mutual care of individual believers,
- Enjoy fellowship around and in the person of Jesus Christ,
- Employ the ministry of the Holy Spirit within each believer.

"...to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ."
Ephesians 4:12b-13



"For just as we have many members in one body and all the members do not have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Romans 12:4-5

Any questions contact Pastor Ed Kelley

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COMMUNITY GROUPS

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SUNDAYS 4:00—6:00 pm

Dave & Sandie Lindberg

3511 S. 291st St in Auburn

Contact: Wayne Haug (253.927.8152)

Current study: Book of Romans

In addition to studying our lesson, we share in each others concerns. We also strive to delve deeply into God's Word, apply it to our lives, and see how it can affect those we are in contact with. As a group we have fostered great friendships and would love for you to join us.

SUNDAYS 5:30—7:00 pm

Greg & Stephanie Johnson

2333 SW 350th Place in Federal Way

Contact: Greg Johnson (253-838-5601)

Current Study: Sacred Marriage

We are meeting regularly to study God's word, pray and serve together. We also enjoy fellowship with one another which is building relationships.

EVERY OTHER SUNDAY 6:30—8:30 pm

Larry & Lorri Kraft

3432 S 257th St, Kent Wa 98032

Contact: Larry Kraft (253.945.7781)

Current Study: Ephesians

We are meeting to study God's word focusing on Marriage relationships. We pray and serve together, as well as enjoy fellowship with one another while building relationships.

MONDAYS 5:30—6:30 am

Denny's Restaurant

1246 Central Ave N in Kent

Contact: Todd Curtin (253.804.0367)

Current Study: Previous Sunday Sermon Notes.

We meet at the Denny's on the 84th street exit in Kent. We are a group of men who gather each Monday morning to grow deeper from the previous Sunday sermon. You are welcome to join us for breakfast, coffee, or simply feast on the Word of God...and the parking is free.



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THURSDAYS 7:00—8:30 pm

Darin & Anna Perrollaz

3219 S 133rd St in Tukwila

Contact: Darin Perrollaz (206.244.0532)

Current study: The book of Isaiah. Our official name is "Kingfishers of Christ's Church." We have purposed for the group to be one of action as well as study. We participate in a service project/outreach activity once a month. We have come to help carry each other's burdens, share in the joys and sorrow in each of our lives, and to love serving our community alongside each other.

THURSDAYS 7:00—8:30 pm

Gene & Rhea Hunt

4711 S. 300th Place in Auburn

Contact: Gene or Rhea Hunt

(253.839.0061)

(Led by Gene Hunt)

Current Study: Previous Sunday Sermon Notes. We are a group of new and mature believers who desire a growing understanding of how the Holy Spirit, through God's Word, conforms us into the image of Jesus Christ. It doesn't matter where you are in your walk of faith, you are welcome to join us.

SATURDAYS 7:00—9:00 am

Men's Prayer

Christ's Church Modular

941 S Dash Point Road in Federal Way

Contact: Bruce Carson (253.630.1933)

The men's prayer team is a group of Christian men who offer fellowship, accountability, and prayer support for the Pastors, missionaries and the body of CCFW.



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