

coming up at zpc

Home Groups

Winter Session | the weeks of January 13 – March 17
Spring Session | the weeks of April 7 – May 19
Sign up for a ZPC Home Group in the Gathering Space this morning or visit zpc.org/home-groups.
> Scott Shelton [scotts@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1007]

Youth Inquirers starts tonight

Sundays | Jan 13 – April 14 | 6:30 – 7:30 pm | Room 205
Youth Inquirers (YI) is a membership class intended for 6th graders to explore God and focus on how to live as a disciple of Jesus. Register at zpc.org or on the churchlife app.
> Kara Crabb [karacrabb68@gmail.com; 317.371.2712]

Inquirers Class

Friday, Jan 25 | 7-9 pm and Saturday, Jan 26 | 9 am-12 pm
Learn about ZPC at the Inquirers Class. Friday includes dinner with Pastor Jerry Deck. Saturday you'll hear from ZPC staff and members. Register at zpc.org or on the churchlife app. Childcare is available through advanced registration.
> Nancy Baker [nancyb@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1001]

Scrooge: After Christmas?

Sundays in January | 9 am | Room 202
ZPC's Sunday class centered on *A Christmas Carol*, by Charles Dickens, will continue through January. Please join us!
> Stan Johnson [stanjohnson7@icloud.com]

New offering envelopes available

New offering envelopes are available at the Welcome Center.
> Lisa Price [lisap@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1013]

2019 Congregational Gathering

Sunday, Jan 27 | 5 pm | Cost: \$5 donation per person
Save the date for dinner and a congregational meeting called by ZPC Session. Dinner will be served at 5 pm. The meeting will follow dinner and we will share dessert afterward. Childcare for birth through 4th grade is available during the meeting. Visit the table in the Gathering Space this morning or register at zpc.org or through the churchlife app.
> Nancy Baker [nancyb@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1001]

Heart to Heart Discipleship

Visit the table in the Gathering Space this morning for information on how to get involved in this women's discipleship opportunity.

Soulful Spirituality

Sundays | 10:30 am | Room 201
ZPC's Spiritual Formation Class is studying *Soulful Spirituality* by David Benner. The book examines soulful and soulless spirituality, deep and shallow religion, and healthy and unhealthy relationships with God.
> Lisa Prince [gloriadei.lisa@gmail.com]

Filming for Website

Sundays, Jan 13 & 20 | ZPC
The ZPC Communications Team will be capturing video of our church the next two Sunday mornings. This will be used as we redesign the "I'm new here" page on zpc.org.
> Sally Bias [sallyb@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1018]

2019 Adult Events and Classes at ZPC

ZPC Home Groups

Home Groups meet for 3 sessions each year. Consider joining in on the primary way we connect with one another outside of Sunday morning.
> Scott Shelton [scotts@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1007]

2nd Half Adventurers

2nd Tuesday | 11:15 am-1 pm
This senior ministry offers luncheons the 2nd Tuesday of each month along with occasional special events.
> Barb Luther [barbarawluther@gmail.com; 317.669.7073]

Free Birds

Connect with Free Birds if your nest is kid-free! Join each month for a social event.
> Susan O'Dell [bodell6914@att.net; 317.370.6799]

Bible Study Fellowship for Women

Mondays | 6:45-8:45 pm
BSF provides the tools needed to grow deeper in the knowledge and understanding of God and the Bible.
> Cynthia Jesudason [cynthiajesudason1@comcast.net; 317.627.5867]

Spiritual Formation Class

Sundays | 10:30 am | Room 201
This class explores both classic and contemplative Christian literature.
> Lisa Prince [gloriadei.lisa@gmail.com; 317.809.8990]

Spring Great Banquets

Men's: Thursday, Feb 28 - Sunday, March 3
Women's: Thursday, March 14-Sunday, March 17
This on-site retreat explores God's grace and developing personal Christian discipleship in a worshipful setting. Taking reservations now!
> Clay or Karen Barnes [zionsvillegbcld@gmail.com; 317.873.8137 x 1098]

ZPCMen

Join ZPCMen for classes and times of fellowship throughout year, as we look to step out and grow in our faith together.
> Claude Burgess [cjbουργess1@att.net; 317.840.1354]

Heart to Heart Women's Discipleship

Meet with another woman one-to-one to equip one another to grow spiritually, while learning how to help other women do the same.
> Sally Eisbrenner [sallyeisbrenner@att.net]

LifeChanges

Thursdays | 9:30-11:15 am or Mondays | 7-9 pm
LifeChanges is an in-depth Bible study for women of all ages and levels of Christian knowledge.
> Thursday Contact: Leigh Ann Douglas [leighanndouglas@gmail.com; 317.873.0742]
> Monday Contact: Barb Luther [barbarawluther@gmail.com; 317.669.7073]

Thinking Biblically: A Class of Wisdom and Wit

Sundays | 9 am | Room 201
Dig into scripture and discuss practical ways to apply God's Word to everyday life. This class is studying *A Christmas Carol*, by Charles Dickens, through January.
> Stan Johnson [stanjohnson7@icloud.com; 781.883.5577]

MOPS

Fridays 2x/month | 9:15-11:30 am | Gathering Space
MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) exists to equip, encourage, develop, and nurture moms. Childcare is provided.
> Jenn McDonald [jennifer@webmacd.com; 317.833.0504]

Join the ZPC Choir

Wednesdays | 7-8:30 pm | Worship Arts Room
The ZPC Choir sings at the 9 am service on Sunday mornings and for special times such as Christmas and Easter.
> Don Nieman [donn@zpc.org; 317.873.8137x1009]

Loose Threads

Thursdays | 9:30 am-1 pm | Room 205
Please join us as we make quilts for the homeless and knitted or crocheted prayer shawls for the sick.
> Sue Armstrong [minema15@sbcglobal.net; 317.873.1625]



Welcome to ZPC!
We are glad you're here!

January 13, 2019 | 9 & 10:30 am

Called together by God to make disciples and release them for service in our broken world.

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Church office hours:
Monday-Friday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm



listen to last week's message at zpc.org/resources/sermon

Store up for yourselves treasures in heaven. **Matthew 6:20**

ZPC Stewardship Update: **[6.1.18-1.6.19]**
YTD Budget: \$ 1,648,222
YTD Offering: \$ 1,571,718

Last Sunday's Attendance: **647**

worship

Sunday, January 13, 2019

Building for God's Kingdom

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13; 1 Corinthians 15:58

Sermon Notes:

Prayer after service: If you would like someone to pray with or for you, please go to the west alcove in the Sanctuary after the service. It would be our privilege to pray on your behalf.

Assistive listening systems are available upon request. Check in with the sound booth at the back of the Sanctuary.

who we are

Our focus is to become and make life-long learners of Jesus through:

- 1. Creating a Caring Community**
- 2. Centering Our Worship and Study on Christ**
- 3. Encouraging Hands-on Missions**

Thank you for coming to ZPC! We would love to get to know you. We encourage you to record your attendance on the welcome pad at today's worship. Please provide your name, address, and contact information. Especially if this is your first time with us, we would welcome the opportunity to connect with you and even deliver a yummy treat!

Join us in the Gathering Space before and after services. Want a name tag? Sign up at the Welcome Center.

the week ahead [zpc.org for more]

2018

Sunday, January 13

Hosting our friends from IHN | 5 pm |
Youth Inquirers | 6:30 – 7:30 pm | Room 205

ZPCHSM | 6 – 7:30 pm | HSM Room [9th – 12th grades]

Monday, January 14

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day
ZPC Line Dancing | 1:30 – 2:30 pm | Gym
LifeChanges | 7 – 9 pm | Room 209

Intercessory Prayer | 9 – 10 am | Chapel
Bible Study Fellowship | 7 – 8:30 pm | Sanctuary

Tuesday, January 15

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day
Deacons Meeting | 7 – 8:30 pm | Chapel

Open Gym | 1 – 2:30 pm | Gym

Wednesday, January 16

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day
Northwest Indy eTeen | 6:45 – 8:15 pm | Gathering Space
Mission Commission | 7 – 9 pm | Room 201

Open Gym | 1 – 2:30 pm | Gym
Choir Rehearsal | 7 – 9 pm | Worship Arts Room

Thursday, January 17

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day
Loose Threads | 9:30 am – 1 pm | Room 202
Great Banquet Gathering | 7 – 8 pm |

LifeChanges Women's Bible Study | 9:30 – 11:15 am | Chapel
Food Pantry | 5 – 6 pm | Room 109

Friday, January 18

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day

Food Pantry | 12 – 2 pm | Room 109

Saturday, January 19

Hosting our friends from IHN | All Day

Sunday Mornings

Children

Nursery Care | 9 and 10:30 am | birth – age three | check in at the Children's Welcome Center
Children's Classes | 9 and 10:30 am | age four – fourth grade | check in at the Children's Welcome Center or in the Gathering Space.

Students

Middle School Ministry [ZPCMSM] | 9 am | Room 205 [5th – 8th grades]
High School Ministry [ZPCHSM] | 6 pm | HSM Room [9th – 12th grades]

Adults

The Gospel According to Scrooge | 9 am | Room 202
Christian Spiritual Formation | 10:30 am | Room 201

Home Groups | Week 1

Building for God's Kingdom | Matthew 6:9-13; 1 Corinthians 15:58

Icebreaker:

As we begin a new Home Group season, please share one thing about this year's Christmas holidays that you are most thankful for.

Please read this week's scripture and discuss the following questions:

1. What is one area of your faith journey you would like to grow in 2019?
2. The title of this series, "Building For God's Kingdom" comes from N.T. Wright. The preposition "for" reminds us that the Kingdom is God's responsibility, while still allowing we have a part to play. Do you tend to focus more on God's role or on your role in God's coming kingdom?
3. In your own life, do you focus more on being shaped like Jesus (e.g. patience, holiness, gentleness, gratitude, passion) or do you focus more on building for God's kingdom (e.g. justice, suffering, community, Sabbath, celebration)?
4. When we pray "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name," this is a phrase that is both personal; and majestic and holy. Is it easier for you to see God as Father or as Creator of the universe?
5. Jesus says, "Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven." How do you think God's kingdom will look different than the world in which we now live?
6. Do you struggle with feeling like you are not making a significant difference in building for God's kingdom? Is there one mundane thing that you do that you easily overlook that actually impacts God's kingdom?
7. What about 1 Corinthians 15:58 motivates you? Encourages you? Challenges you?

Prayer:

As you pray for one another, please pray for the following needs in our church family:

prayer requests

- > Prayers of healing for Rosie Pratt and for Kristen Dunn's mother, Nancy Bowman.
- > Prayers of comfort for Michelle Ulmer and family in the death of Michelle's mother-in-law.

[The following are from ZPC's prayer calendar, which is available at the Welcome Center or at zpc.org/prayer.]

- > Prayers for ZPC Youth Inquirers as they learn about God through focusing on how to live as a disciple of Jesus.
- > For the homeless families staying at ZPC this week. May they find comfort here.