

BECOMING BROADWAY— This is a special class designed for new members and visitors who would like to learn more about the past, present, and future of Broadway. This 2 week course is offered in the fall and/or spring each year and is led by our Pastor, Ryon Price. The class will look at significant events in Broadway's past that has shaped its present ministry and future vision. The class will also introduce participants to the organization of the staff, and Broadway's various ministries.

Contact Jenn Nelson
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for more information about this class.



SPECIAL BOOK STUDIES — The Adult Education Committee of Broadway offers adults in the church the chance to gather in small groups for book studies that offer in depth discussion and fellowship. These book studies are seasonal and may take place in the spring, summer and/or fall. Previous studies have included the books:

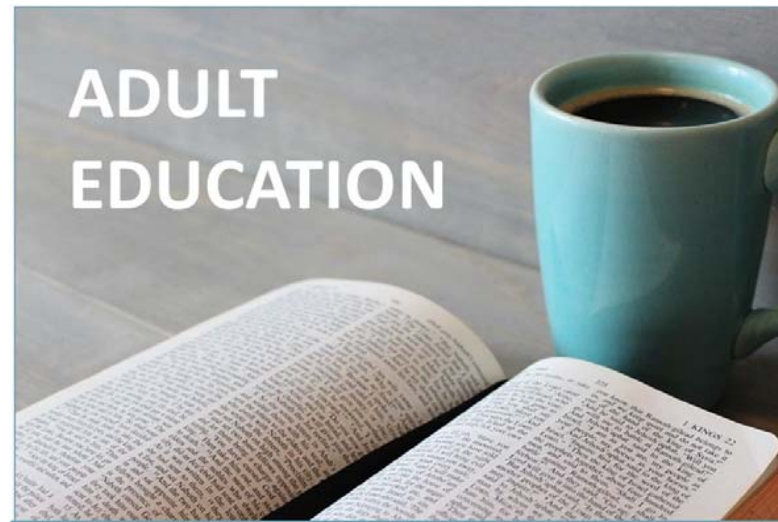
Inspired by Rachel Held Evans
How to be an Antiracist by Ibram X. Kendi
White Too Long by Robert P. Jones
Love is the Way by Bishop Michael Curry
After Evangelicalism by David Gushee

Contact Tracey McKee
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for more information about upcoming book studies.

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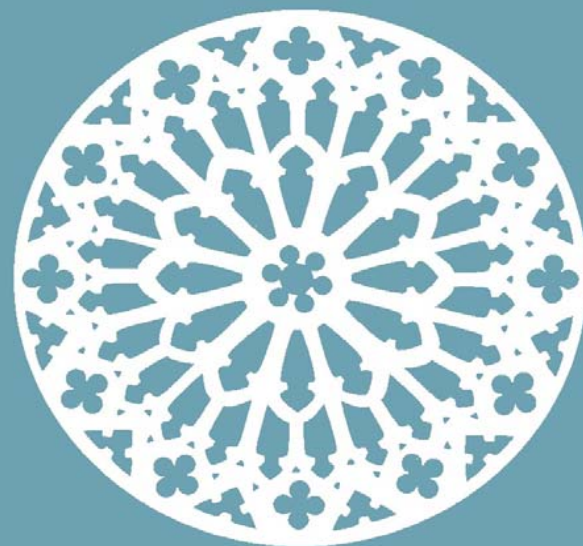
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**ADULT
EDUCATION**

Sunday School Classes, Small Groups and Special Book Studies



Over the course of more than 140 years, Broadway has become a vital and diverse community of faith, including people who come from many different backgrounds and represent many different perspectives but are united in the love and grace of Jesus Christ.

We believe the Christian journey includes being immersed in scripture, developing spiritual disciplines, and engaging the teachings of the Christian tradition, from the early church fathers and mothers to contemporary theologians. We offer a variety of adult formational experiences as vital and diverse as our congregation.

We invite you to come find your place and journey along with us.

ALL THINGS NEW – A class for parents of school-aged children (pre-school through youth) who are looking for community, support, and engagement. We strive to live life together as we study the Bible, fellowship, and seek out opportunities to serve our church and community. This class meets in 302-D on Sunday mornings at 9:30am.

Contact Brian Brisco,
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for more information about this class.



CROSSPATHS CLASS — Men and women, single and married cross paths each Sunday in this class for in-depth Bible study, fellowship, and discussion about what it means to follow Christ. We use *Formations* from Smyth & Helwys. *Formations* is an ongoing weekly Sunday school curriculum by Baptists for Baptists. Built with healthy class discussion in mind, this study provides well-rounded, biblical diet for classes of any age and size. This is a hybrid class/group which meets in room 304 at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation.

Contact Lester Meriwether
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for more information about this class.

CIRCLE OF GRACE WOMEN'S CLASS — Women of all ages are invited to this welcoming class designed to encourage prayer, bible study and friendship development. The class follows a traditional format of Bible study and topics have included, 'The Parables of Jesus,' and book studies of Old and New Testament books. This class meets in Room 305 on Sundays at 9:30am.

Contact Tracey McKee
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for more information about this class.



INBETWEENERS — In-between child-free and a full house, in-between conservative and progressive, in-between knowing and wondering, class members describe this community as funny, imaginative, safe, and critically thinking, putting kindness above agreement and hospitality over right-belief. Recent studies include the hard sayings of Jesus and book and Bible studies. Ages of participants span 20s-50s. This class meets in Room 302 on Sundays at 9:30a.m.

Contact Kristopher Schleicher
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for more information about this class.





JOURNEY4LIFE DEPARTMENT — This department consists of two different classes: The Swift Class and The Schmeltekopf Class. Both classes meet together for worship at 9:30am in Room 303 and then break into their respective classes.

Contact Jane Andrews
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 for more information about this department.

SWIFT CLASS, ROOM — This intergenerational class focus is on putting biblical stories in context to show how God has been working in the lives of his people through the ages. Members describe this class as: scholarly, smart, grounded, welcoming, encouraging, and supportive. This is a hybrid class/group which meets in room 303-A at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation.

Contact Terry Swift
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 for more information about this class.



SCHMELTEKOPF CLASS — A coed class that loves Bible Study. It is an insightful group of singles and marrieds that sees the class as a place to seek application of truths for our place in the world today. Members love engaged discussion and growing together in our faith. This class meets in Room 303-B at 9:30am on Sundays.

Contact Lilla Schmeltekopf
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 for more information about this class.

JOURNEY INWARD, JOURNEY OUTWARD — This is a covenant group of 12-14 adults of all ages, stages and places. The name reflects two aspects of our spiritual life: individual spiritual growth through scripture, books, poetry, music, silence and, most profoundly, our own life stories and the other dimension of spiritual life – social action. Leaning into the balance of these two sacred journeys and on one another is what our circle of trust is about. This is a hybrid class/group which meets in room 307-A at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation.

Contact Nancy Bean,
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 for more information about this group.



KOINONIA CLASS — A community of singles and married couples, some with no children and some with teen/young adult children, gathered for communion with God and each other. Class members range in ages from 40's to 60's. We follow the Lectionary (a list of Bible verses that follow the Christian Calendar) for our Bible Study. David Grebel is our teacher. This is a hybrid class/group meets in room 307 at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation. We also enjoy times of fellowship in homes and restaurants throughout the year.

Contact Gary Willson,
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for more information about this class.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY — This men's small group is focused on different perspectives in biblical scholarship and discusses how following Jesus informs and challenges career goals, family life, and community engagement. Members of this class describe it as a space where men can learn and grow in conversation with other men. This study is open to men of all ages and from all walks of life. This class meets in Room 302-C at 9:30am on Sundays.

Contact Peter Nelson
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 for more information about this class.



RAGAMUFFINS CLASS — This multigenerational group of self-proclaimed ragamuffins describe themselves as: eclectic, diverse, inclusive, loving, willing to tackle difficult topics and willing to accept other misfits, rejects, seekers and worshipers. Class members currently range in ages from the 30's to the 80's. Discussions are typically based on book studies and Bible study. This is a hybrid class/group which meets in room 301 at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation.

Contact Mark Petersen,
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 for more information about this class.



SOJOURNERS CLASS — This multigenerational class comprised of adults in their 40's, 50's and 60's is a group that is serious about community, fellowship and the journey of faith. The class has been described by its members as balanced, providing thoughtful discussion, accepting and caring. Unafraid of hard questions, the group seeks Bible and book studies that challenge and support our spiritual journey and practice. This is a hybrid class/group which meets in room 308 at 9:30am on Sundays and offers Zoom for remote participation.

Contact Sam Smart
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 for more information about this class.

SPECIAL FRIENDS CLASS — Designed for adults with disabilities, this class welcomes adults with cognitive/developmental disorders. It is described by members as: supportive, nurturing, thoughtful, and enriching. We enjoy singing together and sharing in a weekly missions project for the Baptist Center. Our Bible study is based on the lectionary text that will be used in that week's service. This enables us to participate more fully in worship and to learn more. This class meets at 9:30am on Sundays in Room 302-B.

Contact Jessica Dahl-Colaw
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 for more information about this class.



YOUNG ADULTS — "A generation seeking God's love and discovering our faith together." The Young Adult Ministry is an exciting group of 18-30-year old's who are establishing their life and career, while defining their faith in Christ. This class meets in Flemming Chapel at 9:30am on Sunday mornings. The class also meets after worship for lunch and fellowship at various locations in Fort Worth.

Contact De'Evin Johnson
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 to get involved with the Young Adult Ministry.