

Adult Fellowship & Education

Knitting Ministry

Mondays, 10am, Fireside Room

Come join others who knit and crochet shawls, baby blankets, hats for newborns whose siblings attend HIH, and other projects. Contact: Judy Gillow, jaqweque@aol.com.

Senior Adventures

Monthly outings in the community and beyond.

See specific posters and sign up sheets for more information

January 8—Detroit Public Library Tour.

February 5 - Movie and catered lunch at church.

March 11 - Purple Rose Theater.

Contact Dana Layman, deeb1101@gmail.com or Carol Kyburz, carol.kyburz@gmail.com.

Lunch and Learn

3rd Thursdays, 11:30am-1pm, Calvin Hall

Bring a lunch and we provide the beverages and dessert.

February 20 - Trish Hoert

Learn about The Stephen Ministry training and Christian centered care.

March 19 - Greg Kowalski will tell about the history of the community especially featuring the time of Prohibition.

See the Lunch and Learn poster/flier for more information on each discussion.

Ongoing Ministries

First Presbyterian Hand-in-Hand Early Learning Center*

Monday-Friday, September—June

The Center offers age-defined classes for children age four months through six years. Contact the director, Heidi Wilkinson, for a tour and/or questions, handinhand@everybodyschurch.org.

Stephen Ministry*

Stephen Ministry equips lay people to provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care to individuals in our congregation and community who are experiencing difficulties in their lives.

They listen and care, and most importantly, bring the stability of Jesus' love and grace into people's lives. If your life, or that of someone you know, has shifted out of balance, consider Stephen Ministry. Contact: John Crawford, jc6767@aol.com.

*See specific Ministry brochure at the Welcome Center for more information.

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Ongoing Ministries and Groups Information

Everybody's Church
First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham

The Vision of First Presbyterian Church
As Everybody's Church, we commit ourselves to serving Christ by cultivating mission, inclusion, and community.

Bible Study

Dr. John Judson's Monday Class

Weekly, 10-11am, Calvin Hall

Discuss the Old Testament after viewing videos by Dr. Amy Jill Levine. Contact: Dr. John Judson johnjudson@everybodyschurch.org.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Weekly, 8:45am, Fireside Room

Studying the book of Matthew
Contact: Mary Gholz, mgholz@aol.com

Discovering Calvin

Weekly, Saturday, 8-9am, Room 141-142

Examine the writings of John Calvin found in the four-volume work, The Institutes of the Christian Religion. Contact: Dr. John Judson, johnjudson@everybodyschurch.org.

Women's Bible Study

Monthly, 3rd Wednesdays, 9:30-10:30am, Room 141-142

Studying *Lost Women of the Bible: The Women We Thought We Knew* by Carolyn Custis James. Contact: Kim McGlynn, kimmcglynn@everybodyschurch.org.

Men's Bible & Brew

Monthly, 3rd Thursdays, 5:45pm,

\$5 for dinner. This bible study rotates among the member's homes. Contact: Stan Evans, sevens@vmddl.com.

Book Groups

Tuesday Morning Book Club

Monthly, 3rd Tuesday, 10am, Fireside Room

Book Selections:

December 17: The Radium Girls by Kate Moore

January 21: There, There by Tommy Orange

February 18: The Lost Girls of Paris by Jan Janoff

March 17: American Princess: A Novel of First Daughter Alice Roosevelt by Stephanie Thornton

Contact: Mary Gholz, mgholz@aol.com.

Book Groups

Sunday Afternoon Book Club

(formerly Tuesday Evening Book Club)

Monthly, 2nd Sunday, 2-4pm, Fireside Room

Book Selections:

January 12: The Dutch House by Ann Patchett

February 9: The World That We Knew by Alice Hoffman

March 8: The Pioneers: The Heroic Story of the Settlers Who Brought the American Ideal West by David McCullough

Contact Nancy Ellis: Nancy-ellis@comcast.net.

Children's & Youth Fellowship & Education

Worship Wonder*

This program for 3 and 4 year olds was originally created in the Montessori tradition. The repetition of the story for four weeks enables the children to really learn and respond to it in different ways. Sunday morning at 10am.

Contact Cindy Merten, cindymerten@everybodyschurch.org

CrossWalks*

In our rotation model Sunday School, K-5th graders at 10am rotate to a different room each week and learn the story through art, cooking, drama, games, science and more.

Contact Cindy Merten, cindymerten@everybodyschurch.org

Youth Fellowship*

We have Sunday School for middle schoolers on Sunday morning at 10am and Youth Fellowship groups on Sunday evenings. We also have mission opportunities, retreats, events and confirmation classes. Contact Rev. Bethany Peerbolte, bethany@everybodyschurch.org

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Choirs

Youth Choir

11:15-Noon Every Sunday

This choir is for 6th-12th grade singers of all levels. Each member commits to consistent attendance and gets free private weekly voice lessons or piano lessons. They regularly sing in worship as an ensemble and with our adult choir.

FPC Ringers Hand Bell Choir

Tuesdays, 7-8:30pm, Choir Room

An experienced group of adults that play hand bells and chimes.

Children's Choir

Wednesdays, 4:45-5:35pm, New Song Studio

Andrew Herbruck and Margaret Rees-Baker lead this choir for K-5th graders that sing in worship once a month.

Music Makers

Wednesdays, 4:45-5:15pm, Youth Room

Samantha Samuels leads this fun introduction to music for Preschoolers.

Chancel Choir

Wednesdays, 7-9pm, Sanctuary

This adult choir sings for Sunday services September-May and special services/concerts throughout the year.

FPC Trombone Choir

Thursdays, 7:30-9pm, Sanctuary

A group of low brass instrumentalists who play in worship periodically.

Questions? Contact Andrew Herbruck, andrewherbruck@everybodyschurch.org.

