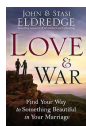


Course Selections Winter /Spring 2017



LOVE & WAR – John & Stasi Eldredge

Facilitators : Steven & Debra Twiss with Marriage Ministry Team

In this video teaching John & Stasi Eldredge openly discuss their own marriage and the breakthroughs they have won from the challenges they've faced, providing a great balance between male and female perspectives. Love and War begins with an obvious confession "Marriage is *fabulously hard*"!. But beneath and behind the inevitable tensions a man and woman "locked in the same submarine" are going to have the real battle against the work of the Enemy, who plots and schemes to tear love apart. The Eldredges show how couples can win "by fighting FOR each other instead of AGAINST each other. As they say "we live in a great love story, set in the midst of war" Join this journey with the Maranatha Marriage Ministry Team and labor to move your marriage to far deeper joy.



BASIC SIGNING

Facilitators – Chris & Sandra Carleton with Ann Vandenberg

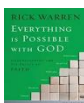
Deaf members are a significant part of our Maranatha family and so it is increasingly important that those of us who can hear, attempt to learn some sign language in order to draw the deaf more fully into the life of the community. To that end we are again offering this course to learn Basic Signing. This will be a review of what has been covered in previous classes as well as some new content. Open to new and returning participants but course size will be limited.



RUMORS OF GOD – Darren Whitehead

Facilitator – Julie Koekman

Where is the life God promised us? Life is busy, we live like slaves to our past paced, suffocating schedules. We spend our energy and time in triviality, relegating God to the background. He seems distant to us and we resist the idea that God wants to give, say and show us more; we dismiss it as rumor. But Jesus calls us to a better way, another dream, an unimagined future. Close the gap between the rumor & the experience.



EVERYTHING IS POSSIBLE WITH GOD – Rick Warren

Facilitators – Pam Dawson & Penny Slimmon

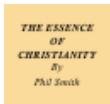
This six-week video study asks us to take a look at our faith. Is it strong or weak? Is it steady or stretched? Most important would you like your faith to be stronger? Your faith is like a muscle that needs to be exercised and developed. Rick Warren says "God uses a predictable pattern and process to build up your faith" Identifying and developing these six phases of faith will help you work with God in the process of strengthening your faith and building your character.



THE BOOK OF NEHEMIAH – MATT CHANDLER

Facilitators – Frank & Barb Brink

This DVD study of The Book of Nehemiah centers on the Lord's providential protection of His people and the expected response of obedience and faithfulness in prayer and praise. This series explores the importance of God's Word, the reality of opposition, God's power to restore broken lives and the need for prayer.



THE ESSENCE OF CHRISTIANITY – CHAPTER ONE

Teacher & Facilitator – Phil Smith

This is a spiritual foundations course using a model that Phil has developed to provide a consistent and coherent understanding of the intentions of biblical theology. The purpose of this teaching is to provide those who wish to follow Jesus with a confident grasp of His will for their lives individually and corporately. Some of the questions that Phil hopes to answer in this course are : What is Christianity? What is its nature? What are its values? What makes it different from other worldviews? What makes our God different from the gods of other religions? Why did He create us? What is He doing? How are we to respond? Join Phil for a time of teaching and discussion as you grow in your relationship with God and each other.

GRIEF SHARE – A grief recovery support group where you can find help and healing for the hurt of losing a loved one. This group will also be taking place on Thursday nights and if you are interested in more information or to register for this group, please call Mary Kaldeway at 613-962-8220.

Start Date – Thursday February 9th, 2017

Supper : 6:30pm

Courses – 7:30pm – 9:00pm

For more information or to register please call Valerie at 613-962-2062 Ext.215