

# ADULT FAITH FORMATION COURSE OFFERINGS

FALL 2008  
SAINT JOSEPH PARISH  
DOWNTOWN

## ADULT FAITH COURSE: "WHO IS SAINT PAUL?"

In this Bi-millennial year, commemorating the 2,000th anniversary of the birth of Saint Paul, come discover the world, the culture and the heritage that shaped Saint Paul into the "missionary" to the Gentiles. Over three weeks we will look at Paul's Jewish roots, his Hellenistic environment, and how his attitude toward the Roman empire all helped to shape his conversion and experience of the Risen Christ. "Saint Paul is not just a figure of the past whom we remember with veneration. He is also our teacher, an Apostle and herald of Jesus Christ for us today." - Pope Benedict XVI

Taught by Father Kean. Three Sessions: Tuesdays beginning September 16 at 7 PM in PMC Room 2 or Wednesdays beginning September 17 at 9:45 AM in HFC. Child care available for morning sessions; contact Tom Keenan to reserve a sitter.

## SCRIPTURE STUDY: ST. PAUL'S LETTERS FROM PRISON

In these letters of encouragement, correction, and instruction written from prison, Paul lovingly pastors the young communities of Asia and Macedonia. These letters inspire and challenge us to greater discipleship. Using Little Rock and Collegeville Bible materials, this course will help people read, study, and live the Word of God. \$10 cost for materials.

Led by Monsignor Lynn. New format this year: Session will begin with Priest's presentation, followed by small group sharing for those who are interested. Six Sessions: Tuesdays beginning October 7 at 7 PM in PMC, or Wednesdays beginning October 8 at 9:45 AM in PMC.

## ADULT FAITH COURSE: LIVING OUR CATHOLIC FAITH: BACK TO THE BASICS.

Is it time for you to get back to the basics? Are you looking for a shot in the arm to your faith life? This course is designed to help Catholics understand their faith a little more clearly, so that they may live it a little more eagerly. Ask yourself the question, "What does it mean to me to be a Catholic?" It is a question that all baptized Catholics need to ask at some point. The answer can mean the difference between being a nominal or practicing Catholic. All of us need renewal at some point in our lives, or at least in some aspect of our faith.

Taught by Father Kean. Three Sessions: Tuesdays beginning November 18 at 7 PM in PMC room 2, or Wednesdays beginning November 19 at 9:45 AM in HFC. Child care available for morning sessions; contact Tom Keenan to reserve a sitter.

### PLEASE NOTE

Course meeting location is indicated by "PMC" for Parish Meeting Center or "HFC" for Holy Family Center.



**And God  
is able  
to provide you  
with  
every  
blessing  
in  
abundance.**  
2 Corinthians 9:8

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