

MVCU SPRING CLASSES 2008

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED: INFO CENTRAL OR EMAIL SHARI SMITH AT SHARISMITH@MRIS.COM
CHILD CARE AVAILABLE FOR ALL CLASSES (CHILD CARE MUST BE REQUESTED IN ADVANCE)**

Class: GAB – Morning (Girls and Bibles)

Description: Bible Study for Women

When: January 24 – March 13, 8 weeks

Time: 7:00 – 8:30pm

Instructor: Nancy Fay nmfay@comcast.net or 301-865-9790

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: GAB – Evening (Girls and Bible)

Description: This study will equip believers to know the freedom of a life filled with peace, joy, gentleness, and other positive characteristics (Gal. 5:22-23). You are welcome to join even if you did not participate in the fall session.

When: January 17 – April 10, 12 weeks

Time: 7:00 – 8:30pm

Lead Instructor: Kristy Merical kristy_merical@hcpss.org or 301-865-8582

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: Financial Beginnings

Description: Ever wished you could do things differently with your financial patterns and choices if given a chance? Have you found that bringing two households into one is more challenging than you thought? Take a fresh look at money habits and practices. Topics for this class will include Living Simply, Building a Foundation for Making Financial Decisions, Back to Basics in Budgeting and Investments, and Debt Reduction/Prevention.

When: Jan 24 – Feb 14, 4 weeks

Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Instructors: Christian Leaders with financial expertise and practical life experience

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: Inside Track

Description: Seminar topics include the vision and values of Monocacy Valley Church an introduction to the MVC ministries and their leaders.

A required class for becoming a Partner in Ministry (Church Members *Are* Partners in Ministry)

When: Winter Session: Jan 27, Feb 3, Feb 10 Spring Session: April 27, May 4, May 11

Time: 9:00-10:30am

Instructors: SG.L Servant Leaders, elders, deacons

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: Following Jesus – Act 2

Description: In this study we will enter into the life of Paul, his decision to follow Jesus, his travels through the Middle East, and his ability to speak to Jewish people and Gentiles alike. While this class is open to anyone, it is especially designed for those who are exploring faith, young in faith, or bored in faith. Familiarity with the Bible is not a prerequisite. All that’s need is an open and teachable heart.

When: January 17 – March 13, 9 weeks

Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Instructors: Mark Vander Meer and Kristine Nelson
pastor@mvcnow.org and tines4hawks@yahoo.com

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: “I’VE ALWAYS WANTED TO TRY THAT”: Preparing for a Short Term Mission

Description: Are you an individual who'd like to join a **mission trip**? Or a leader who'd like to form a **mission team**? Start here, with your questions about mission both within and outside the US borders. Topics include Assessing Interests and Skills; Significance of a Short-Term Mission; Myth Busters on Poverty; Being Safe In a Risky World; On Site: Physical Needs, Attitudes, Personal Care; Preparing for the Spiritual Journey; Building Bridges Between People and Culture; Preparing with Language Skills

When: Feb 21 – March 27 **Time:** 7:00-8:30pm

Instructors: Shared Instruction: Carole Southam, Lead Instructor csoutham@comcast.net

Child Care Available: Yes

Class: THE GIFT THAT KEEPS ON FORGIVING

Description: Explore what forgiveness is and how our heart can be more Jesus’ heart as we struggle to practice forgiveness in our lives. The journey together will strengthen your personal relationships and lead to freedom from the bitterness of our experiences.

When: January 24 – March 13, 8 weeks

Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Instructors: Cathy, Ramon, and Robin Santiago towdah4ever@gmail.com

Child Care Available: Yes
