

Small Groups

January 2020



firstfree

www.firstfree.com

Small groups are a vital part of Christ-centered community at First Free Church, which **cultivates spiritual growth** for individuals, **fosters unity** in our congregation, **undergirds the Biblical teaching** in our worship services, and establishes a point of engagement and **connection for new visitors**.

For more information Del Shimandle, Pastor of Evangelism & Christian Education, at smallgroups@firstfree.com or 773-561-4175, x104.

Women's Groups

Women's Study in Edgewater

A group for women desiring to go deeper with God and one another.

Mondays, bi-weekly at 7:30 pm in the Edgewater neighborhood

Jenny Haas & Jennifer Bishop: women@firstfree.com

Monday Night Women's Study

Join us as we gather weekly and study Philippians together.

Mondays, 7 pm in various neighborhoods close to First Free.

Sue Gamble: women@firstfree.com

Tuesday Night Women's Study

Bible study, fellowship, and prayer. We are studying Philippians together.

Tuesdays, 7pm in the West Ridge neighborhood

Sylvia Lauener: women@firstfree.com

Men's Groups

Friday Morning Men's Bible Study & Prayer

Discipleship through Bible study, intentional prayer, and friendship. We study the passages from our current sermon series.

Fridays, 7 am - 8:30 am at First Free, Fellowship Hall

Del Shimandle: dshimandle@firstfree.com

Men Who Pray and Read the Bible

Bible study, focused prayer, and building relationships with one another

Sundays, 7 – 9 pm at First Free, Room 120

Manuel Avila: manuelleonardo56@gmail.com

General Groups

Living Life Together

A co-ed group that includes families and singles, for those who desire to grow closer to God through living in community with one another, praying for each other and studying God's word together.

Tuesdays, at 7pm at home in Rogers Park

Daniel & Natalia Leonard: liaaria26@gmail.com

Healing Care Prayer Group

Healing Prayer consists of being truly present with the Lord so that He can reveal to us the things that don't allow us to live in freedom.

NOTE: 16 week commitment and a \$100 curriculum fee.

Scott & Norma Halver: scotthalver@gmail.com

Friday Night Small Group

Several families and lots of kids. Topic of discussion is jointly determined at the beginning of each year or semester.

Fridays, bi-monthly, 7pm, in members' homes

Jonathan & Erin Lim: lim.jonathan@gmail.com or

lim.erin@gmail.com

Parents of First Free Youth/Teens

We begin our monthly Youth Night (Jr High and Sr High youth group) with a meal together, teens and parents together. Then, while the youth continue with a study and fun time, parents engage in study and discussion.

Last Sunday of each month, 6pm at First Free

Ruth Shimandle: ruthdel@gmail.com

For a list of recovery groups (dealing with things like alcohol, narcotics and other 12-step programs) that meet independently but at First Free throughout the week, visit: firstfree.com/recovery.