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G2 Catalog

G2 Life

by

COC Metro



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G2 Vision

Community is a part of life! We all were created for relationships and to exist apart from them is unnatural and cannot happen! The purpose of G2 is to build relationships and reach out to the community by creating non-threatening, inviting environments where anyone is welcome! We accomplish this through Life Application Studies, and basic principles that can easily be applied to one's life! G2 is more than just a meeting. This is a chance for people to do life as well as grow together in fellowship united by Christ.

Right now, the Church of Celebration Metro, is growing rapidly. As we continue to grow larger numerically we must continue to grow smaller in community. G2 gives us the opportunity to do just that. Therefore, every person in our church is encouraged to join a G2 Group!

I invite you to join us on this journey of community as well as on a journey with God. May He richly bless you through the ministry of G2!

Pastor Brad

What is G2?

G2 groups consist of people who meet regularly to talk, support and pray for each other!

Community is a vibrant part of Christian growth! G2 is the perfect example of **celebrating** that Community with the entire Body of Christ!

We have G2 groups that meet in various homes on the 380 Corridor and they are a great opportunity to develop our faith as well as new friendships.

How Do They Work?

At the start of each school semester we will have an open enrollment period for G2 groups. **Anyone** who would like to sign up — **can!** G2 groups will meet on either a weekly or bi-weekly basis. We desire you meet together in a consistent basis to develop better unity and growth within your group! If you miss out at the start of the year — **no worries!** Even though new G2 classes start up only in January & September we always offer G2 groups that you can join at any time during the semesters.

If you would like to become a part of a G2 Life Group today or desire to be considered for a G2 Group Leader — please contact us: info@cocmetro.com.

What Will We Do?

G2 Life Groups will take you for a R.I.D.E. Which means...

- Build quality **Relationships**
- Be **Inspired** through fellowship with friends & neighbors
- Become grounded in Biblical **Doctrine**
- **Experience** God's life transforming power



Financial Peace University

by Dave Ramsey

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Sunday, January 8th

Every Sunday 6:00-8:00 P.M.

Class size can accommodate 10 people.

Materials and Childcare

Material should be ordered in advance and will cost \$93. They can be ordered directly through the Financial Peace University website, or through COC.

Childcare for birth - 5th grade is available for \$5 per family. Middle school kids are welcome to attend with a parent. High school kids are welcome to attend with or without a parent.

Study Summary

Financial Peace University is a 13 week program designed to change the way you manage your finances. It helps you manage your finances and stops them from managing you. This program is broken down into 6 steps that appear simple but take hard work and dedication to make it all the way through. If you follow the steps and “live like no one else, you will be rewarded with the ability to live like no one else.”

Facilitator’s Bio

John and Lisa Barger live in Providence Village, Texas. They relocated here from California in 2011 after being inspired by Dave Ramsey and the Financial Peace principles. John and Lisa live with their three children (Matthew 14, Elianna 4, and Lily 3), two dogs (Sweet Pea and Popeye) and two mice (Love and Sally). Lisa is a licensed CPA that operates her own accounting services company and is an adjunct business college instructor. John is an Executive at Bank of America Corporation and has a background in accounting and information systems.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

John & Lisa Barger

Johnandlisabarger@yahoo.co



B90X

Meeting Date and Time

Begin Saturday, January 28th
Every Saturday 5:00-7:00 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

All you need is your Bible!

Childcare will be \$5/family per meeting for up to 3 kids.

Study Summary

Do you want to have a more healthy, “B”alanced life? Then join Brian and Amy Holt on this 90 day journey to discover God’s purpose for the physical, spiritual, mental and emotional aspects of your health through B90X. Included in your Health Bible study are member book with daily study, weekly meals plans with grocery lists, recipes, Scripture memory cards, a scripture memory CD and free exercise options for only \$20/person. B90X will help you put Christ in first place in this results driven Christ-centered healthy living program. The results? Weight loss and total health from the inside out?

Facilitator’s Bio

Brian and Amy Holt have been married for almost 14 years and have a total of 6 children, 4 human and 2 furry ones (who think they are human)! Ashlyn is 21, CJ is 11, Lily is 9 going on 19 and Pierce is extremely 3 and Snaps their sweet old puppy. Brian works full-time for Fellowship Technologies, a church management software company and part-time as the Children’s Minister for COC. Amy runs a freelance graphic design business and leads our Little City and Outreach Ministries at COC.

Facilitator Contact Information and Meeting Location

Brian and Amy Holt
1001 Haley Ct., Savannah, Texas
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Revolutionary Parenting

by George Barna

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Sunday, January 29th
Every Sunday 5:30-7:30 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

Please purchase your workbooks at www.cocmetro.com. It is recommended that you get both the Revolutionary Parenting Workbook (\$10) and book (\$11.) The workbook is required.

Childcare for birth-5th grade available for \$5 per family per week

Study Summary

As parents our deepest desire is to raise children who succeed in life. This is also our greatest challenge. How can we foster traits such as honesty, compassion and dedication in young minds? How can we raise children who will love and serve God as adults? How can we develop future spiritual champions? This study will help you create a plan for your family to do just that. Drawn from a landmark study of Christian twenty somethings and the parents who raised them, these resources are designed to help you build a solid foundation of faith in your child. This study is most beneficial to parents with kids who are age 10 and under.

Facilitator's Bio

Jason and Ashley Boyd have been married for 8 years and have been active members of COC Metro for the past 3 years. Jason works for Blockbuster Corporate, serves as an elder in the church, and is one of the sound technicians. Ashley teaches Middle School Theatre at Prestonwood Christian Academy, sings with the worship band, and is starting the adventure of home schooling their two children Titus, 6, and Noelle, 2.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Jason and Ashley Boyd
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Crossroads, TX 76227
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Crazy Love

By Francis Chan

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Tuesday, January 31st
Every Tuesday 6:30-8:30 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

Book Needed Crazy Love Paperback is \$8/Audio book is \$14.

Childcare available \$5 per family

Study Summary

Imagine how different your outlook on life would be if you had absolute confidence that God was with you. Imagine how differently you would respond to difficulties, temptations, and even good things if you knew with certainty that God was in all of it and was planning to leverage it for good.

Facilitator's Bio

Aaron and Ashley have been married for 9 years. They have two children; Alivia age 6 and Austin age 4. They have been active members of COC since June 2009 and serve in the children's ministry and on Impact Teams.

Aaron works for MultiView in sales and Ashley is a part-time Youth Librarian Assistant at the Frisco Library. They are excited about hosting Crazy Love this spring and look forward to getting to know more COC families.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Aaron and Ashley Allen
1736 Kittyhawk Drive
Little Elm, TX 75068
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214-505-4418



Life Apps

by Andy Stanley & Jeff Henderson

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Tuesday, January 31st
Every Tuesday 6:30-8:00 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

No materials are required.

Childcare will be provided for birth-5th grade \$5.00 per family.

Study Summary

Come join Life Apps with us where we can build better relationships with each other and our God, but learn about the spiritual apps we all need in our lives.

Facilitator's Bio

The Mika's have been married 14 years & blessed with 4 wonderful children. We enjoy any & all the family time we can get.

Finding COC in June 2009 & making the decision to get involved was the best thing that ever happened to our family. We thank God everyday for COC! For us, this is where our walk with Christ really began. We love nothing more than being involved with our God & COC family by serving however we can in all areas of our children's ministry.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Keith & Shannah Mika
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His Needs, Her Needs: Building an Affair-Proof Marriage

By: Willard F. Harley Jr.

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Wednesday, February 1st
Every Wednesday 6:30-8:30 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

Printed Book: His Needs, Her Needs \$11/Audio Book: \$20

Childcare will be provided. Depending on the number of kids and other factors there could be a small weekly fee. This will be reviewed during the first session. The class and content are intended for adults married or soon to be. So please no one under the age of 18 in the class.

Study Summary

Marriage works only when each spouse takes the time to consider the other's needs and strives to meet them. In His Needs, Her Needs, Willard Harley identifies the ten most vital needs of men and women and shows husbands and wives how to satisfy those needs in their spouses. He provides guidance for becoming irresistible to your spouse and for loving more creatively and sensitively, thereby eliminating the problems that often lead to extramarital affairs.

Facilitator's Bio

Jerry and Rhonda Brawner have been married for 16 years. They have four children Kelsey, Jacob, Stacey and JJ. Their family has the privilege to service COC Metro in several areas. Jerry is employed by an aerospace company, enjoys sports and is a student of leadership and personal development. Rhonda is an insurance agent for Horse Insurance Specialist and owns her own nutritional business.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Jerry and Rhonda Brawner
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Uprising

by Erwin Raphael McManus

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Wednesday, February 1st
Every Wednesday 7:00-8:30 P.M.
Class size can accommodate 10 people.

Materials and Childcare

The book, Uprising: A Revolution of the Soul, and study guide can be bought on Amazon.com.

Childcare will be \$5/family per meeting for up to 3 kids.

Study Summary

This study will provide Biblical and practical teaching that will challenge you to allow God to transform your character to be more like His. He illuminates the desperate heart cry of every human being - "I want to live" - and then serves as a guide on a quest to answer that cry.

Facilitator's Bio

Jeff and his wife, Kim, stay busy with their six children (ages 2, 4, 10, 12, 15, 17). Jeff has taught various Bible studies for several years and runs a part-time ministry called Learn Bible Prophecy Ministries.

www.learnbibleprophecy.com

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Meet at Paloma Creek Elementary School Teacher's Lounge
Jeff Camino
2380 Ranchview Dr.
Little Elm, TX 75068 (Near Wal-Mart)
jeffcamino@yahoo.com



What's the Difference?

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Thursday, February 2nd
Every Saturday 6:30-8:30 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

No purchase of materials is required.

Childcare for birth - 5th grade is available for \$5 per family. Middle school kids are welcome to attend with a parent. High schools kids are welcome to attend with or without a parent.

Study Summary

This study will examine many popular cults and religions. We will look at what other religions believe, why they are popular, and how their beliefs compare with the Bible.

Facilitator's Bio

Jon and Amy Abbott have been married for 16 years and live in Providence with their two children. Amy home schools both their 12-year-old daughter and 11-year-old son. They enjoy board games, love reading, and are part of the 2% of Americans that don't own a TV. They share their home with a retired Greyhound, an aloof Afghan hound, and a very shy guinea pig.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

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Elevation ~ Next Step Class

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Sunday February 5th
Every Sunday 9:30-10:40 A.M.

Materials and Childcare

COC Metro will provide all materials to you. Please bring your Bible to every class meeting.

Childcare is available at the church for free.

Study Summary

This study will examine the necessary DNA items that should be a part of every new believer in Christ. This class is a back to the basics study not only for new followers of Christ, but also for those followers who have never been grounded in any basic discipleship teaching. This class is step two in COC Metro's philosophy of ministry process.

CORE 4 Church Orientation/Membership class is suggested as a prerequisite to this class but it is not mandatory.

Facilitator's Bio

Jeff and his wife, Kim, stay busy with their six children (ages 1, 3, 10, 12, 14, 16). Jeff has studied Bible prophecy for several years and is listed in Who's Who of Bible Prophecy.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Meets at Navo Middle School
Jeff Camino
2380 Ranchview Dr.
Little Elm, TX 75068
jeff@learnbibleprophecy.com

Every Man's Battle: Winning the War on Sexual Temptation

By Stephen Arterburn, Fred Stoeker

Meeting Date and Time

Begin Thursday, February 12th
Every Thursday 8:00-9:30 P.M.

Materials and Childcare

Please purchase the Book at www.cocmetro.com. We will be watching the corresponding 8 week video series as we go through the book.

Childcare will not be provided. This time was chosen to minimize your time away from family. Enjoy dinner and the evening with them, and then join us as your family winds down for the night.

Study Summary

From movies and television, to print media and the Internet, men are constantly faced with the assault of sensual images. It is impossible to avoid such temptations... but, thankfully, not impossible to confront them and gain victory over them!

Every Man's Battle is a phenomenal resource that shares the stories of dozens who have escaped the trap of sexual immorality and presents a practical, detailed plan for any man who desires sexual integrity.

Facilitator's Bio

James Dalrymple has been married to his wife Carla for 13 years. They have two children; Emily age 12 and Aiden age 11. James works as an RN and serves as the Director of Assimilation at COC. In his spare time he enjoys playing games with the kids, reading, and shooting when the opportunity arises.

Facilitator Contact Information and Meeting Location

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Made for Ministry

Meeting Dates and Time

Begin Sunday February 19th
Every Sunday 11:00-12:15 A.M.

Materials and Childcare

The workbook for this study will be provided by COC. A pen, a notebook, and a Bible may prove handy.

Childcare will be available in the form of the children's ministries offered every Sunday at COC.

Study Summary

We are each a unique composition of Spiritual Gifts, Heart (Passions), Abilities, Personality traits, and Experiences (S.H.A.P.E.). God formed each us in this unique S.H.A.P.E. so that we could fill a special place in the body of Christ. By joining with other believers to grow in discipleship, we maximize our potential to reach people that do not know Christ. Come spend 6 weeks with us to gain more insight into your S.H.A.P.E. and explore the many possible points of impact that exist for you at COC Metro and the world beyond.

Facilitator's Bio

James and Carla Dalrymple have been married for 13 years. They have two children; Emily age 12 and Aiden age 11. James works as a RN and Carla as a Compliance Officer. They share the responsibilities of Directors of Assimilation at COC. In their spare time they enjoy reading and playing board games and Wii with their kids.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

Navo Middle School Ensemble Room (Ask directions at the Children's Check-in desk)

James and Carla Dalrymple

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It's a Girl Thing Ladies' Ministries

Sarah Wilkerson

Meeting Dates and Time

Throughout the year Ladies' Bible Studies are offered at times for those who are stay at home moms and for those ladies who work outside the home.

Meeting Locations

Meeting locations can vary from season to season and from study to study.

Materials and Childcare

Materials can be purchased for various studies we go through at our online COC Metro store. Some studies require no study material purchase. Of course, bring your Bible every week as well.

Get your husband watch the kids!

Facilitator's Bio

The, It's a Girl Thing, ladies' ministry of COC Metro is led by our Ladies Minister, Sarah Wilkerson. Sarah is the wife of COC Metro's Lead Pastor, Brad Wilkerson. She and Brad have been married for just shy of 20 years. She is also the mother of Haley (17) and Ryder (12). She loves hanging out with her family, crafts and baking. She is assisted by several of the ladies who are involved in the group.

Special Events

Throughout the year the It's a Girl Thing ministry takes in many of the great women's conferences in the DFW area. Two examples would be the, Women of Faith Conference at the American Airlines Center as well as Flavour at Fellowship Church in Grapevine. Information about each event will be publicized weeks in advance of the event. They also do fun stuff like going to see Himprov and frequent trips to the local frozen yogurt shops!



Iron Men Men Ministries

Brad Wilkerson

Meeting Dates and Time

Bi monthly Friday morning prayer & Bible Study

6:30 -7:30 A.M. (Don't worry...hot coffee is always ready as well as an occasional kolache)

Materials and Childcare

Materials can be purchased for various studies we go through at our online COC Metro store. Some studies require no study material purchase. Of course, bring your Bible every week as well.

Childcare: Are you kidding? None offered. Most are still in bed at that time!

Facilitator's Bio

The Iron Men men's ministry of COC Metro is led by our Lead Pastor, Brad Wilkerson. He is assisted by several of the men who are involved in the group.

Facilitator Contact Information & Meeting Location

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Special Event

Men's Conference at Prestonwood Baptist Church in Plano.

March 2nd – 3rd

More details coming soon!