

# Living Your Faith

## Adult Formation Fall Offerings at STM

Your Adult Faith Formation Team (AFF) has planned several exciting programs for this fall to assist you in living your Catholic faith to the fullest!

**3** new programs will commence in early September. Your first opportunity to sign up for them will be on fall sign-up Sunday next weekend (August 20-21) in the Narthex after each of the Masses.

**Learn more on Signup Sunday:** More information will be available to you by coming to a “Taste and See” program in More Hall on **Sunday, August 21**, after the 7:30am and 9:30am Masses. Representatives of these programs will also be available after all the Masses next week to answer any questions or to assist you in signing up.

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### The Programs

**1** The Men of STM will continue their highly successful Friday morning programs by this year presenting the **ALPHA** program which has received world wide acclaim. It is an exciting way to “jump-start” your faith. The ten-week session will kick-off on Friday, September 9, at 6am. Contact parishioner Ed VanBuskirk at 816/215-1483 for more information and/or see [www.stmkc.com](http://www.stmkc.com) (search keyword “Alpha”) where you can also register online.

**2** **A QUICK JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE TIMELINE** will allow you to discover more about your favorite Bible story and put it in historical context. The eight sessions will be offered on Monday evenings at 7pm, starting on September 12. Discussion will be followed by Jeff Cavins videos. Parishioners Kathy Thomas and Mike Kleinman will be the facilitators. Cost of materials will be \$25.

**3** Ever wonder what **THE BOOK OF REVELATION** is really trying to tell us? This year the two Wednesday study groups will embark on a ten week apocalyptic adventure! Starting September 7, the morning group will gather at 9:30am with Melinda Smith and Mike Kleinman. The Wednesday evening group will also start on September 7 at 7pm with Kathy Thomas. Cost of materials will be \$25.

All three offerings are in More Hall.

### More info:

See “Signup Sunday” above. Also see the current issue of More News. (If you can’t find your copy, go to [www.stmkc.com](http://www.stmkc.com) and search “More News.”)

### Coming programs

For the balance of the year, several more offerings are being considered. They include Movie Nights, the “Catholicism Series” of videos, a repeat of Called and Gifted, an examination of the Liturgical Year and Vatican II—50 years later. If you have any topics you would like to be considered, contact any member of the AFF Team—Dick Shaw, Mike Kleinman, Melinda Smith, Sue Fahey, Kim Brown, Sister Audrey Doetzel, Joe Smith or David Butel.

### RCIA News

If you would like to explore the possibility of becoming a Catholic, RCIA classes begin after Labor Day. For more information, contact Mary Kay Whitacre at [marykay@stmkc.com](mailto:marykay@stmkc.com) or 913/645-5382.

### A Spiritual Spa for Women

Saturday, October 9, 9am–noon in More Hall. For more information, call Mary Kay Whitacre at 942-2492 x215.