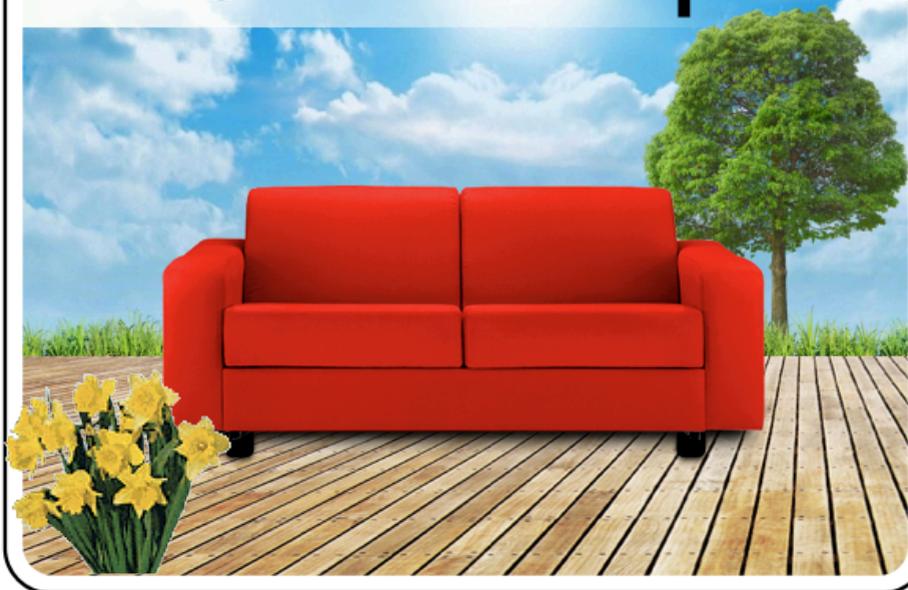


Life Groups



Spring 2015

Sign up today or at www.coventryvineyard.org/life-groups

Dear Friend

We would like to invite you to join us for one of our Spring 2015 Life Groups.

If you have never been a part of one of Coventry Vineyard's Life Groups, then you are in for a great experience.

Life Groups are Coventry Vineyard's Groups of around 10-15 people that meet together each week in Coventry and the surrounding area to learn about the Bible, to grow and to have fun meeting new people!

There are four great reasons to join a group:

1. To look at the Bible in a practical way that will help you grow in your faith
2. Prayer from others that helps you get through the tough times
3. Meet new friends
4. Having fun with other people going through the same things you are

Our Spring Life Groups begin the week of Jan 12th and finish the week commencing March 23rd. It's just enough time to learn something new and make some new friends without feeling like you are signing your life away.

There are so many different kinds of groups to choose from. We are sure that there is one just right for you. We hope you decide to get plugged in!

Nick & Vicki Sutton

Types of Groups

Group Type: General

These groups are open to everyone and are a great way to meet new people, have fun & learn more about following Jesus.

Group Type: Women/Men

These groups are gender specific. Sorry guys- You can't come to the women's group!

Group Type: Age/Life Stage Specific

These groups are open to those in a specific age or life stage, so they can meet others who are similar. You do not have to join this group if you are in this age or life stage though as other groups are also open to you.

For more details and to sign up for a group visit our website at www.coventryvineyard.org/life-groups.

Alternatively you can sign up at our Sunday Morning Gathering from 10:30am at Sidney Stringer Academy, Primrose Hill St, CV1 5LY

MONDAY M01 - Younger YOUTH Life Group

Location: 1 Mill Street

Leader: Jim & Ros Ginn

7-8:30pm

Are you in School Years 7-9? Come along to our life group where we have fun and tackle some of the Big Questions about God. Together this term we will be challenging you to examine what you believe and to think realistically about how God influences our everyday lives.

MONDAY M02 - Older YOUTH Life Group

Location: 1 Mill Street

Leader: Alex Harbour & Abi Sutton

7-8:30pm

A place for young people in years 10-13 to chat, make friends and learn more about Jesus. It is the perfect opportunity to ask any questions you might have about faith, as well as learning from and discussing the views that other people your age might have.

TUESDAY T01 - Powerhouse A

Location: 1 Mill street

Leader: Rich Taylor & Nadine Biggs

7:30-9:30pm

The first half of this term we are going to be digging deep into scripture, specifically the Gospels and Acts. The second half we will then challenge ourselves to live this out together in our everyday lives. There will be worship, community projects, prayer for the persecuted church and an open week for a chosen topic. In doing this we are hoping to discover what it means to follow Jesus and live our lives the way Jesus lived.

TUESDAY T02 - Parenting Teens Course

Location: 1 Mill Street

Leaders: Nick & Vicki Sutton

7:30-9:30pm

This course is for any parent with children aged between 11 and 18 years, and for those with younger children who wish to prepare for the teenage years. The course, while based on Christian principles, is relevant and helpful for any parent with or without a Christian faith or church background. For a promo clip, visit <http://vimeo.com/24559640>.

WEDNESDAY W01 - WOMEN'S GROUP A

Location: 1 Mill Street

(Alternate weeks: 9:45-11:45am)

Leaders: Jo Thatcher & Angela McKay

Starts 7th January

Life Declutter: When most of us think of removing clutter, we often think of physical junk. But God desires to declutter all areas of our lives so that we can enjoy his freedom. Join us as we explore ways of decluttering our time, money, minds, relationships and of course our homes!

WEDNESDAY W02 - WOMEN'S GROUP B

Location: 1 Mill Street

(Alternate weeks: 9:45-11:45am)

Leaders: Catherine Norrish & Cheryl Simon

Starts 14th January

This group will explore how the mysterious presence of Jesus haunts the whole story of the book of Acts. Using Tom Wright's Acts for Everyone study guide we will see how the way Jesus acted through the apostles informs and empowers our acts today, as we seek to understand the Bible in fresh ways under the guidance of one of the world's leading New Testament scholars.

WEDNESDAY W03 - Knowing the God Jesus knew

Location: Earlsdon

Leaders: Chris & Jess Troy, Sam Oakes

7:00pm

What do you think about when you think about 'God'? We all tell stories about our lives, so how does knowing the true nature of God change the narrative of ourselves and our communities. Our focus will be learning about and meeting with God through community and discipleship.

WEDNESDAY W04 - Powerhouse B

Location: 1 Mill Street, CV1 4DF

Leaders: Sophie Percival & Aidan Cross

7:30-9:30pm

The first half of this term we are going to be digging deep into scripture, specifically the Gospels and Acts. The second half we will then challenge ourselves to live this out together in our everyday lives. There will be worship, community projects, prayer for the persecuted church and an open week for a chosen topic. In doing this we are hoping to discover what it means to follow Jesus and live our lives the way Jesus lived.

WEDNESDAY W05 - Singing in the Rain (Lent Course)

Location: Binley

Leader: Nick & Chris Darlington

7:30pm

We compare life to weather for good reasons- bad and violent weather makes us feel as bad as when life's emotional storms and nasty surprises hit. That's when we need the weather-proofing of our faith as followers of Jesus. The sessions take us through the Gospel of Mark to learn, from Jesus' example, to 'sing in the rain' in the midst of our own challenges, disappointments and hurts.

THURSDAY TH01 - Nuneaton Group

Location: Nuneaton

Leader: Heather Miller

7:30pm

We are a new and developing group that meets to talk about how we can best follow Jesus in our everyday lives and how we can help lead others towards having faith in him too. We believe everyone's life is better with Jesus at the centre of it. Because of this we run regular social gatherings where those who are not following Jesus can mix with those who do. Come along and be part of this new and exciting challenge!

THURSDAY TH02 - Life on the Frontline

Location: Binley

Leader: Andy and Jen Houston

7:30pm

As Christians we all have a frontline. It is the place where we spend much of our time, the place God has called us to, where we meet people who don't know Jesus. How might He use us and how might we grow? How might we see work as a positive rather than negative aspect of our life?

THURSDAY TH03 - Stepping out in Faith

Location: Stoke

Leader: Nathan and Zia Lee

7:30pm

Do you long to experience more of the power and presence of God? Using John Ortberg's book, 'If you want to walk on water, you've got to get out of the boat' we will be encouraged to leave our comfort zone, conquer our fears and meet Jesus on the risky waters of faith.

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