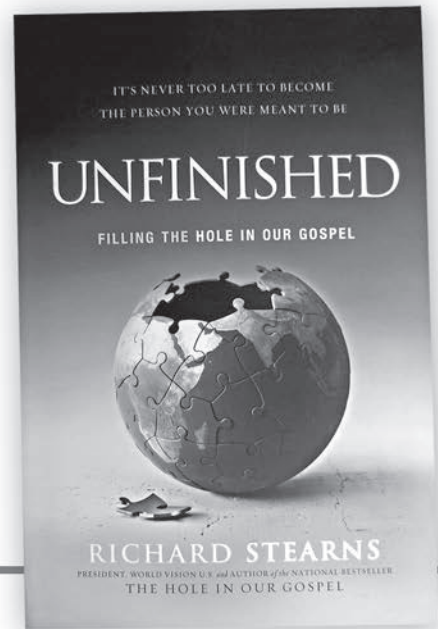




# small GROUPS

## Fall 2014 catalog

### Beginning Sept. 28



### *Unfinished: Filling the Hole in Our Gospel*

by Richard Stearns

Simply stated, the message of this book is that God has invited you to join him in this world-changing mission. And if you are not personally participating in God's great endeavor, you could be missing the very thing he created you to do. Best-selling author Rich Stearns invites you not just to stand on the sidelines but to get into the game. That is when the adventure begins. Choose from the following groups, each of which will study this insightful and inspirational book.

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Room 116
- ▶ Catherine Baker

#### **SENIOR HIGH STUDENTS**

- ▶ Sunday, 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 226 (Youth Room)
- ▶ Jim Mountain

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Sunday, 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Library
- ▶ Kathy Piccoli

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Sunday, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Library
- ▶ Kerri Acierno

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Sunday every other week, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Auxiliary Narthex
- ▶ Lois Rippin

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Monday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109 (Gracious Space)
- ▶ Mark Gulden

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Monday, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Library
- ▶ Robin Macon

#### **COUPLES**

- ▶ Monday, 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.
- ▶ Kelly Home
- ▶ Diane Kelly

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Roberts Home
- ▶ Bart & Pam Roberts

#### **WOMEN**

- ▶ Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109 (Gracious Space)
- ▶ Sue Garvey

#### **WOMEN**

- ▶ Wednesday, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109 (Gracious Space)
- ▶ Darlene Brideweser

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Conference Room
- ▶ Tom Kendig

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Room 116
- ▶ Chub Dietz

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Music Room
- ▶ Dianne Glave / Kevin Sweeney

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Thursday, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109 (Gracious Space)
- ▶ David Streets

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Thursday, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Gibson Home
- ▶ Russ Gibson

#### **OPEN TO ALL**

- ▶ Thursday, 7:00 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Pietrzyk Home
- ▶ Jami Pietrzyk

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## MEN

### Developing Christian Character for Men

A popular message our culture sends to men today is one of compromise. Men are encouraged to abandon their integrity if it means that social, personal, or financial advancement may be achieved. But if the principles of God's Word are set aside for these ends, all such gain will amount to nothing. In this series, Dr. R.C. Sproul addresses men concerning the qualities of character demanded of them by God. With biblical insight, Dr. Sproul examines the importance of integrity and calls men to be godly leaders in the home, church, and the world.

- ▶ Sunday, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Library
- ▶ Dale Hayden

## OPEN TO ALL

### Contemporary Issues

TBD

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 124B
- ▶ Scott Branvold / Lynda Davidson

## MEN

### Sermon scripture

Join this group to discuss and go deeper into the weekly sermon scripture.

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 125A
- ▶ Rolen Burnette

## OPEN TO ALL

### The Beatitudes

Amid the persecution and sorrow that we can expect as Christ's followers, this enriching series prods us to continue following Him faithfully. The Beatitudes can help strengthen you in your Christian journey with the confidence of your promised future blessing of basking in the very presence of God.

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, 125 B
- ▶ Dale Hayden

## WOMEN

### Serendipity Bible study

Join this group to discuss and go deeper into the weekly sermon scripture.

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Room 114
- ▶ Jan Lamm

## OPEN TO ALL

### *Making Sense of the Bible*

by Adam Hamilton

Adam Hamilton invites us into an honest conversation about the Bible. The book begins with foundational questions such as, how and when was the Bible written? Who decided which books made it into the scriptures and why? How literally must we read it? And, is the Bible ever wrong? From there, Hamilton considers the real questions people frequently ask that continue to divide Christians and denominations.

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Room 218
- ▶ Tom Kendig

## ADULTS

### Adult United Methodist Series

Hope – Sustaining Hope (Jeremiah, Habakkuk, Psalm 86, Job, Ezekiel, Isaiah 52)

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Conference Room
- ▶ Lois Rippin

## OPEN TO ALL

### *An Altar in the World: A Geography of Faith*

by Barbara Brown Taylor

Taylor shares how she learned to find God beyond the church walls by embracing the sacred as a natural part of everyday life. In *An Altar in the World*, Taylor shows us how to discover altars everywhere we go and in nearly everything we do as we learn to live with purpose, pay attention, slow down, and revere the world we live in.

- ▶ Sunday, 10:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Library
- ▶ Kim Gibson

## MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS

### Ruth and Boaz

Ruth, a woman of excellent character, is the perfect match for the honorable Boaz. Ruth displays her selfless devotion to Naomi while Boaz shows his spotless honor and faithfulness as he welcomes Ruth into the family of God. The study highlights God's sovereign desire for all believers to be included in His Kingdom.

- ▶ Sunday, 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109 (Gracious Space)
- ▶ Sherree Funk / Laurie Hollenbeck

## **OPEN TO ALL**

### **Disciple I**

The study gives the Old and New Testaments equal time, emphasizing the wholeness of the Bible as a revelation of God. DISCIPLE draws upon the work of scholars, the personal Bible reading and study of the participant, and dynamic group discussion to aid understanding of the Bible. A 34-week overview of the entire Bible.

- ▶ Sunday, 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, 125 A-B
- ▶ Carl Wiker

## **ARTHRITIS SUFFERERS**

### **Arthritis Foundation Exercise Group**

This wellness ministry outreach class is an on-going, year-round small group following the recommendations of the Arthritis Foundation for gentle, joint-safe exercises developed specifically to relieve the stiffness of arthritic joints, decrease arthritis pain and improve balance. Leaders are Ingomar church members who have been trained through the Arthritis Foundation.

- ▶ Monday/ Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 124A
- ▶ Ginny Haiges / Sue Beard

## **OPEN TO ALL**

### **Cards and Games**

Do you like to play "mildly competitive" card and board games? Consider joining this group on the last Monday of each month. We break at noon to enjoy a brown bag lunch.

- ▶ Monday, 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 124A
- ▶ Ginny Haiges

## **SENIOR HIGH STUDENTS**

### **Leadership Launch**

Students are not merely the leaders of tomorrow; God wants to use them today. God uses leaders to change the world, and students can have a measurable impact on the Kingdom right now. Leadership Launch prepares students to be leaders now. During the eight week session we will touch on five categories and how we live them out as Christians in a Biblical Context; Leadership Basics, What Leaders Believe, How Leaders Lead, Who Leaders Are, and What Leaders Do.

- ▶ Tuesday, 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 226 (Youth Room)
- ▶ Megan DelGrosso

## **INDIVIDUALS CARING FOR LOVED ONES**

### **Caregiver Survival 101**

Video / discussion on strategies to manage problematic behaviors when dealing with aging loved ones with memory issues.

- ▶ Tuesday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109
- ▶ Margie Martinelli

## **ADULTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED DISCIPLE I**

### **Disciple III**

The driving idea in this study is the connection between memory and identity as the people of God. The word You in the title is meant to be heard both in its singular form (the individual) and its plural form (the community). We are a community of memory. Participants in this 32-week study will read the major and minor Old Testament prophets, with the exception of Daniel, and will read the thirteen Letters traditionally attributed to Paul. To establish the historical context in which the prophets spoke for God, daily reading assignments draw also on the books of Deuteronomy through Chronicles.

- ▶ Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, 125A
- ▶ Dan Madia / Janet Ruckel

## **WOMENS GROUP**

### ***Jonah Navigating a Life Interrupted***

by Priscilla Shirer

What do we do when God interrupts our lives? Many times, like Jonah, we run! In this 7-session Bible study, Priscilla redefines interruption and shows that interruption is actually God's invitation to do something beyond our wildest dreams. When Jonah was willing to allow God to interrupt his life, the result was revival in an entire city.

- ▶ Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 226 (Youth Room)
- ▶ Kathy Ochs

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## OPEN TO ALL

### *Upside Living in a Downside Economy*

by Mike Slaughter

Mike Slaughter offers insight into seeking God's perspective in our daily money concerns. With clarity and a servant's heart, Slaughter addresses vital topics such as financial and spiritual investments, personal motivation and God's will, money and marriage, and determining priorities.

- ▶ Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 107/108 (Café)
- ▶ Tom Kendig

## ADULTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED DISCIPLE I

### Disciple IV

The study concentrates on the Writings (Old Testament books not in the Torah or the Prophets), the Gospel of John, and Revelation.

- ▶ Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- ▶ Worship & Education Center, Prayer Room
- ▶ Shirley Shipley / Joan Burnette

## OPEN TO ALL

### Knitters

Experienced and beginner knitters and crocheters are welcome. The group does some charity work by knitting prayer shawls, baby blankets or chemo caps.

- ▶ Thursday, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- ▶ Community Life Center, Room 109  
(Gracious Space)
- ▶ Heather Boyd

## WOMEN

### *The Life and Ministry of the Messiah*

by Ray Vander Laan

This eight-session small group Bible study DVD, *Life and Ministry of the Messiah*, from noted teacher and historian, Ray Vander Laan, is volume three of the 12-part Faith Lessons series. In it, Vander Laan illustrates how Jesus' call to follow him turned the world upside down.

- ▶ Thursday, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ Various Member's homes
- ▶ Gwen Schwartz

## WORKING WOMEN

### Daily Devotions

Start the day with breakfast and the little extra inspiration needed to make it a great day

- ▶ Friday, 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
- ▶ King's Restaurant Rte.910 in Wexford
- ▶ Laurie Barcaskey / Johnna Chicots

## OPEN TO ALL

### TBD by group

It's always something interesting!

- ▶ Every 3rd Saturday, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- ▶ Burnette's Home
- ▶ Rolen & Joan Burnette



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