# Community Groups





Connecting People,
Transforming Lives,
Impacting Our World for Christ



#### **Grow deeper with God and others...**

One of the best ways to build a deeper relationship with God, experience significant growth in your spiritual life and feel more a part of the church family is by participating in a Community-Small Group, which is a small group of people who join together to study the Bible, pray, serve, and share life together in community. This guide provides information about the Community Groups currently available at Bridgeway Christian Church.

#### For more information...

For more information about Community Small Groups at Bridgeway and for help finding a group that's right for you, please contact one of the following leaders:

**Discipleship Ministry** – Pastor Jason Stewart jstewart@bridgewaychristian.org

#### Mixed Small Groups (Open to All)

Pastor Mark Henkel mhenkel@bridgewaychristian.org OR Pastor Jason Stewart jstewart@bridgewaychristian.org

**Couple's Groups** – Jeff and Melissa Dueck at (916) 630.1675 - dooeck@yahoo.com or mdooeck@yahoo.com

**BridgeBuilders (50+)** - Glen Cardaronella at (916) 253.7106 or cardaronella@sbcglobal.net

**Men's Groups** – Bryan Risse at (916) 717.7522 or bryanrisse@yahoo.com

**Women's Groups** – Vicki Graeff at (916) 203.1079 or vlgraeff@att.net

#### **Young Married Groups**

We have over 15 small groups that meet weekly or semi-monthly. For more information, please contact Art O'Brien - artobrien55@gmail.com

**Soul Care** – soulcare@bridgewaychristian.org

**Prayer Groups** – Teresa Bennett-Smith at teresabennet@surewest.net

**Prison Ministry** – Family support group for those with a loved one in the correctional system. Daniel Gamel on the city or prisonministry@bridgewaychristian.org

Marriage Enrichment - Chris & Lara Perrow on The City or at (916) 726.1756 or chrisandlara@surewest.net

**Parenting Classes -** Keith & Susan Richey at (916) 717.7236 or susan\_richey@comcast.net

#### **Important Tips...**

Printed information can go out of date quickly. For the latest information, please see our website

(http://www.bridgewaychristian.org).

If a group is full, don't give up! Please contact one of the leaders above and they will be glad to help you find a group...or we'll work to start a new group.



# Mixed Groups (Open to All)

#### **Monday Night Bible Study - Auburn**

When: 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, 7:00-9:00 PM Where: Rotating homes in the Auburn area.

Topic: Sermon & Text discussion with occasional book/video reviews. For more information: Dale & Jane Holmgren (925) 997-3427 or

dholmgren538@gmail.com

#### Monday Night Bible Study - Rocklin (Sept. - May)

When: Mondays, 7:00-8:30 PM

Where: The home of John Tompkins in Rocklin.

Topic: based on "Sermon on the Mount" by David Martin Lloyd Jones.

For more information: John Tompkins at (916) 412.4946 or

jtompkins1142@gmail.com

## **Wednesday Night Bible Study - Citrus Heights**

When: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 PM Where: Home of Joe & Dianne Kelley

Topic: Bible study based on Pastor Lance's sermon.

For more information: Joe & Dianne Kelley at (916) 560.8623 or dianne.kelley@gmail.com \*Space is limited. Please call first.

## Thursday Night Bible Study - Folsom - (Sept. - May)

When: 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00-8:30 PM Where: Home of Bill and Judy West in Folsom. Topic: Bible Study on a book from the Bible

For more information: Bill and Judy West at 916-337-1914 or bwest90@yahoo.com

# Bridgebuilder's (50 +) Groups



#### Tuesday Night - Lincoln & Rocklin (Sept. - May)

When: Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00 PM

Where: Rotates between homes in Lincoln Hills & Rocklin.

Topic: Bible study on 1 Corinthians.

For more information: Jay Vincent at (916) 847.1014 or jaylvincent@sbcglobal.net

\*This group has room for more people. Please call.

# **Couples Groups**

## **Thursday Night Couples - West Roseville**

When: Thursdays, 7:00-9:00 PM

Where: Home of Ron & Karen Cody in Roseville (916) 771.8154 - Call for directions.

Topic: TBD

For more information: Troy and Brandy Ferro at (916) 276.9190 or ferrofamily@comcast.net

## Friday Night Bible Study for Young Couples - Roseville (Sept. - May)

When: 2nd & 4th Friday, 7:00-9:00 PM

Where: West Roseville. Topic: The New Testament

For more information: Dick & Debbi Paulsen at (530) 305.4548 or dpaulsen1@gmail.com

## **Men's Groups**

#### **Tuesday Night Men's Ministry: FORGE**

When: Tuesdays from 6:30-8:30pm

Where: Bridgeway Christian Church (call to confirm which room)

Topic: Join the men of Bridgeway for live worship, live speaker and small group

break out sessions.

For more information: Bryan Risse on The City or at bryanrisse@yahoo.com or

(916) 717.7522.

#### **Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study - Roseville**

When: Tuesday, 7:30 AM

Where: Panera Bread 916 Pleasant Grove, Roseville

Topic: Book of Romans

For more information: Bruce LaVigne on The City or call (916) 749.8950 or

brucel@surewest.net

#### Thursday Morning Men's Bible Study - Rocklin

When: Thursdays, 6:30-8:00 AM

Where: Origin Coffee & Tea (back room), 2168 Sunset Blvd #105

Topic: The Gospel of John 6:30-7:30 AM / Accountability Session 7:30-8:00 AM

For more information: Dan Snell, dansnell@mindsync.com or

Dan Risucci, drisucci@sbcglobal.net or Ryan George, georry@gmail.com

## Friday Morning Men's Group - Rocklin

When: Fridays, 6:00-7:30 AM

Where: Origin Coffee & Tea (back room), 2168 Sunset Blvd #105

Topic: Accountability and Bible/Book study.

For more information: Rob Dirkse on The City or at (916) 532.9040 or

spu1@ymail.com



## **Young Adults**

#### **Bridgeway Young Adults** (ages 18-30)

When: Young adult small groups meet throughout the week

Where: Across the greater Sacramento area in homes, apartments, and coffee shops Info: Bridgeway Young Adults (BYA) is a ministry focused on uniting young adults (ages 18-30) and moving them closer to Christ. The main ministry meets in the main auditorium each Tuesday night at 7:00pm for worship, discussion, and teaching relevant to the challenges each young adult faces in this season of life. To facilitate deeper relationships and community small groups gather all over the area once a week in homes and coffee shops to study God's word and do life together. Groups vary by life stage, availability, and region and there is sure to be a girls group or a guys group to meet your schedule and your needs!

To get plugged in to a group, simply attend BYA this Tuesday night and stop by the connection table to pick up a form, or simply contact Ryan Haynes (Bridgeway Young Adults Pastor) and he will help get you connected to an open small group ASAP!

For more information contact: Amanda Beck - abeck@bridgewaychristian.org or Ryan Haynes - ryan@bridgewaychristian.org

# **Journeys – Singles Ministry**

**Journeys** (30s & 40s)

When: Sundays, 6:30-8:00PM

Where: Bridgeway Christian Church in the Hub Chapel

What: We exist to provide singles at Bridgeway with a Christ-centered, fun, relaxed environment where they can grow closer to Christ and experience real community with

people in their same life stage.

For more information: Brian Kiley at (916) 764.1493 or bkiley@bridgewaychristian.org

# **Young Marrieds**

When: Semester Based, 6:30-8:00PM

Where: Bridgeway Christian Church in the Hub Chapel

What: Young Marrieds Community (YMC) is a Christ centered gathering that is committed to encouraging and mentoring couples. We offer many opportunities to build community and connect with other couples who are also figuring out how to build a Christ centered marriage. Realizing that all young married couples share similar struggles, we meet to encourage each other through fellowship at seasonal events, and in community groups. We strive to lead couples to seek God in their relationship and to reach out and share God's love with others. We are a diverse group of loving, real, and transparent couples who love the Lord and each other and want to make a difference for the Kingdom by the way we love and treat our spouses and others. Come enjoy fellowship with other young married couples and see where you can get plugged in.

Check out the events section for upcoming dates. YMC is held in a roundtable format with a focus on facilitating communication between couples through a variety of activities, lessons and fellowship.

We have over 16 small groups that meet weekly or semi-monthly. For more information: Art O'Brien - artobrien55@gmail.com or 916-784-8631

## More Ways to Get Connected at Bridgeway

#### **MONTHLY PRAYER GATHERING:**

Please join us the **1st Tuesday of each month** to pray for Bridgeway's church community, pastors, staff and ministries. New people are welcome any time!

1<sup>st</sup> TUESDAY @ 7:00pm - 8:00pm In Classroom 10 (the High School Room)

Contact teresabennett@surewest.net

#### **BLUEPRINTS FOR GROWTH: A JOURNEY OF DISCIPLESHIP**

Blueprints for Growth represents a church-wide strategy for making disciples at Bridgeway. We know discipleship is not a matter of simply taking a few classes—it's a life-long process. But the classes we offer are building blocks, pieces of the much larger puzzle that is discipleship. Our desire is to bring people to maturity in Christ so that we, who are disciples of Jesus, will look more and more like Him in our inward character and outward behavior.

We offer a variety of classes to help you grow spiritually, no matter where you are on our journey of faith. Blueprints classes will be held during the service times on weekends, so if you have children, the complete Kidsway children's program will be available during each of the classes.

For class details and more information about Blueprints:

- See the Blueprints brochure in the lobby
- See the Blueprints section of the church web site at www.bridgewaychristian.org
- For more information contact Pastor Jason at jstewart@bridgewaychristian.org or Pastor Mark at mark@bridgewaychristian.org

For the most current and accurate event information, please visit "What's Happening at Bridgeway" portion of the events page of the Bridgeway Christian Church website at <a href="http://www.bridgewaychristian.org/events/">http://www.bridgewaychristian.org/events/</a>

If you aren't signed up on The City (our online community) yet, you can signup in the Lobby, before and after weekend services.



