

What People are saying about **LifeGroups** . . .

"This is a great way to meet and get to know each other."

"I would recommend being part of a LifeGroup to anyone because it has taken my walk with Christ to deeper and richer levels."

"My small group saved my life!"

"It is a great experience - a great way to extend the grace of Christ to neighbors and fellow church friends."

"We had a really great group - sharing, growing and being there for one another. Just a good time "doing life together."

Join a LifeGroup today!
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PECKVILLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

2010 SPRINTER SEMESTER **LifeGroup** CATALOG

LifeGroups . . . where we "do life together."



Sign up for a LifeGroup today! It's easy!

- Browse the catalog to find a group of interest to you.
- Sign up by writing: "LifeGroup # " on the comment section of your Get Connected Card **or**
- Sign up at the LifeGroup tables during church times.

Sprinter Semester Dates: January 25, 2010 - April 3, 2010

LifeGroups are Peckville Assembly of God’s small group ministry of 8-15 people that meet together each week in convenient locations around the area to study God’s word, grow, have fun and build healthy new relationships.

LifeGroup Sprinter Sign up dates: January 10 through January 24.

WHY JOIN A LifeGroup?

- **Connecting with others:** LG’s are a great way to meet new people & build healthy relationships that can last for a lifetime.
- **Growing together:** through your LifeGroup you can experience real spiritual, emotional, and intellectual growth.
- **Serving others:** Your LG will be a rewarding place to discover your specific gifts and to use them in ministry to others.

TYPES OF GROUPS:

GENERAL / MIXED GROUPS: These groups are open to everyone (men, women, singles & married couples) and are a great way to meet a diversity of people while growing in your faith and having fun together. Most Life-Groups are general groups.

WOMEN’S & MEN’S GROUPS:

These groups are a great way to connect and share in a gender specific environment. Sorry guys . . . you can’t join the women’s group.

COLLEGE / YOUNG ADULT GROUPS:

These groups are opened to all older teens and college-aged individuals and are a great way to meet other students.

WORSHIP ARTS GROUPS:

These groups are for those involved in, or who would like to be involved in, worship arts and who desire to learn how to use their gifts to serve God.

EPIC GROUPS: (Engaging People In Community Service)

EPIC Groups are General LifeGroups with a community service twist! These groups are open to everyone who enjoys community service & wants to make a difference in our area.

COUPLES GROUPS:

These groups are opened to all married couples and are a great way to meet other couples in the area.

PARENTS GROUPS:

These groups specifically address the needs of parents.



(GROUP #) Group Type	"Title of Study" Time	Location	Author (Leader)
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(SAT 01) Parenting/Mixed	"Shepherding a Child’s Heart" 6:00 PM	Jermyn	Dr. Tedd Tripp (C & S Anuszewski)
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This masterful study teaches you how to speak to the heart of your child. This is a refreshingly clear, practical and truly Biblical guide to Christian parenting. This book teaches you what your goals should be and how to pursue these ends practically. If you are looking for the right perspective and practical Biblical help for parenting, you won’t find a more excellent guide.
Materials Needed: Bible. Book & Handbook Pack (\$19) @ christianbook.com

(SAT 02) Couples	"Fathers and Mothers" Series 6:30 PM	Mt. Cobb/Lake Ariel	John & Staci Eldredge (G & J Perry)
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This study will delve into the day to day balance of marriage and parenting.
Materials Needed: Bible. Study materials TBA.

(SAT 03) General/Mixed	"Designed for Fulfillment" 7:00 PM	Mt. Cobb/Moscow	Charles R. Wale, Jr/Arthur Burk (P & C Mallery)
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"Designed for Fulfillment" is a study of the seven Redemptive Gifts found in Romans 12. These gifts are your "hard wiring" from God...your personal design. It’s more than a personality profile or understanding your strengths and weaknesses, but all that and more. Understanding the redemptive gifts will give you a greater understanding of the potential that you have as well as the difficulties that you face. To the degree that we understand our design and use our calling and talents according to this design, we will live fulfilled.
Materials Needed: Bible. Manuals can be purchased from leader.

(SAT 04) General/Mixed	"Inside the Revolution" 7:00 PM	Peckville	Joel Rosenberg (Wayne Scritchfield)
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This study offers an up-close look at the winner-take-all battle for the hearts, minds and souls of the people of the middle east! It offers incisive analysis of the radicals (followers of Jihad), the reformers (followers of Jefferson) and the revivalists (followers of Jesus), explaining the implications of each leader and movement. This is important information for understanding current events and the unfolding of the End Times.
Materials Needed: Bible. Study guide (\$6.50) available from leader or Gifts From Above Book Store.



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(FRI 01) General/Mixed	"Bible Questions and Answers" 6:30 PM	Montdale	<u>Various</u> (Zablocky/Kosydar)
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This group will begin their study with a DVD on the End Times and continue into various topics that are of interest to the group members.
Materials Needed: Your Bible, a notebook, your questions.

(FRI 02) General/Mixed	"The Gospel of Mark" 7:00 PM	Carbondale	Open Bible Study (B & C Susman)
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In this study you will gain confidence in your ability to read, study, and interpret the Bible through this brief study of the Book of Mark.
Materials Needed: Your Bible and a notebook.

(FRI 03) Women	"Matters of the Heart" 7:00 PM	Scranton	<u>Juanita Bynum</u> (Beverly Harris)
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God wants to give you a new heart. Are you ready? Find out how the desire for "spiritual perfection" has kept you in and the Savior out. Uncover areas where your old heart deceives and learn why it can't be fixed. Learn keys to effective service—and be prepared for a permanent change in your life.
Materials Needed: Bible. Book & study guide pack (\$12.99) @ christianbook.com

(FRI 04) General/Mixed	"The Gifts of the Holy Spirit" 7:00 PM	Dickson City	<u>Joyce Meyer</u> (McIntyre/Jayne)
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Are you baptized in the Holy Spirit? Don't know what that means? Come to this DVD based study and find out about the amazing gifts of the Holy Spirit, what they are and how to avail yourself of the Holy Spirit's power.
Materials needed: Your Bible and a notebook.

(FRI 05) General/Mixed	"God as He Longs for You to See Him" 7:00 PM	Scott Township	<u>Chip Ingram</u> (G & J Keen)
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This is a DVD based study of the seven attributes of God. As you begin to see God for who He really is and what His true desires for your life are, it will change the way you pray, the way you live and the way you think about the world around you.
Materials Needed: Bible. Book and study guide info TBA.

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(SUN 01) Women	"Fight Like a Girl: The Power of Being a Woman" 9-10:45 AM	PAG/Rt 6/	<u>Lisa Bevere</u> (B. Konyves)
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Since when has being feminine been taboo? In this DVD study learn what the true value of being a woman is through discussing topics such as God's unique design for women, sexual power, parenting roles, submission, a woman's unique strength, and finding fulfillment.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Book & Study guide available at christianbook.com

MONDAY LIFEGROUPS

(MON 01) Young Adult	"The Life and Ministry of the Messiah" 6:30 PM	Dickson City	<u>Ray Vander Lann</u> (Wiseman/Molner)
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This DVD study will use history, culture & geography to illuminate the gospels. The insights you gain will transform your reading of the gospels and inspire deeper faith.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Study guides can be purchased from group leader.

(MON 02) General/Mixed	"The Purpose Driven Life" 7:00 PM	Jessup	<u>Rick Warren</u> (J & D Rogan)
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This DVD study will help you understand why you are alive and God's amazing plan for you—both here and now, and for eternity. This 40 day spiritual journey will transform your answer to life's most important question: What on earth am I here for? Knowing God's purposes for creating you will reduce your stress, focus your energy, simplify your decisions, give meaning to your life & prepare you for eternity.
Materials Needed: Bible. Study guides (\$7) can be purchased @ christianbook.com

TUESDAY LIFEGROUPS

(TUE 01) Women	"Shattering Your Strongholds: Freedom From Your Struggles" 10:00 AM	West Scranton	<u>Liberty Savard</u> (B. White)
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Are you enslaved by harmful attitudes or mindsets? Break free from the chains that bind you and embrace the abundant life God promised! This study offers a practical, hands-on approach that will help you throw off hurtful thought patterns so you can reach new heights of spiritual and psychological maturity.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Book & Study Guide \$19 @ christianbook.com

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(TUE 02) Mixed/Couples	"The Marriage Covenant" 6:00	Carbondale	<u>Derek Prince</u> (A & C Manarchuck)
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Is there a secret to a successful marriage? Discover a love most people only dream about. This study unravels the mysteries of marriage and shows you God's plans and purposes for it through covenant. It's not too late... you can have a happy and mutually fulfilling marriage.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Book (\$7) can be purchased at christianbook.com.

(TUE 03) General	"The Power & Fruit of the Holy Spirit" 6:30 PM	Peckville	<u>Bruce Williams</u> (F & C Yurkanin)
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People of God have access to amazing power through the Holy Spirit to be transformed and to bear fruit for God. How we access this power to grow in our spiritual lives is the focus of this study.

Materials Needed: Your Bible and a notebook.

(TUE 04) General	"Surrendering Your Life for God's Pleasure" 6:30 PM	Carbondale	<u>Brett Eastman & Others</u> (D. Pope)
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What does it mean to surrender to God? This DVD study will help you experience the transforming power of a surrendered life. As you learn to worship Jesus Christ throughout your daily life, you will come to trust Him with the experiences of your past, the precious things in your present, and your hopes for the future. What are you holding on to? Discover the peace of laying it at God's feet.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Study Guides available from leader.

(TUE 05) Couples	"The Heart of Marriage" 7:00 PM	Scott Twp.	<u>Dow Pursley & Gordon Puls</u> (R & T Cure)
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Building a marriage requires a foundation which can stand firm in the storms of life. Join us to learn how God's principles build great marriages.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Study Guides can be purchased from the leader.

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(WED 01) General	"Breakfast With Anne" 8:30 AM	Scranton	God's Word (Rev. Anne Trozzolillo)
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In this unique Bible study you will explore the wonders of God's word from the questions that you bring over a pancake breakfast prepared by the leader.

Materials Needed: Your Bible, your appetite and your questions.

(WED 02) Worship Arts	"Worship Matters" 4-5:30 PM	PAG/Rt 6	<u>Bob Kauflin & Paul Baloche</u> (Brandon Berg)
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Worship Matters: How to lead others to encounter the greatness of God. This study for worship leaders will explore both the practical and theological sides to leading worship in today's modern generation.

Materials Needed: Your Bible. Book can be purchased @ amazon.com

THURSDAY LIFEGROUPS

(THURS 01) Women/20's	"Captivating" 6:30 PM	Scott Twp.	<u>Stasi & John Eldredge</u> Tiffany Case
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In this DVD women's study you will discover how the secret longings of your feminine heart tell of the life God created you to live. How He now offers to come as the Hero of your story, to rescue your heart and release you to live as a fully alive and feminine woman.

Materials Needed: Bible. Book (\$12) & Study Guide (8) @ christianbook.com

(THURS 02) General	"Over Comer's Outreach" 7:00 PM	PAG/Keystone Ave.	<u>12 Step Recovery Program</u> Jim Rutledge
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Do you have hurts, hang-ups and habits that you just cannot overcome? This 12 step recovery, discussion oriented group is safe place of emotional and spiritual support designed to help anyone gain victory and overcome addictions and hurts that may have taken hold of your life.

Materials Needed: A yielded, teachable spirit.

(THURS 03) General	"Experiencing God" 7:00 PM	East Scranton	<u>Henry & Richard Blackaby</u> (Janet Wentum)
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The essence of this foundational study is for you to come to know God and Jesus Christ in a real and intimate way. Real Christianity is not religion but a relationship. Join us and move into the kind of relationship with God through which you will experience eternal life to the fullest degree possible today and every day for eternity.

Materials Needed: Bible. Book & workbook available at christianbook.com and amazon.com.