

The Lutheran Way

BASIC - Winter 2012 - Course Schedule

Winter 2012: The Lutheran Way

Texts: *Baptized, We Live: Lutheranism as a Way of Life* by Dan Erlander; *The Lutheran Handbook I&II*; *Luther's Small Catechism*

- Jan. 11 A Way of Seeing: The Theology of the Cross
- Jan. 18 A Way of Hearing: Law and Gospel
- Jan. 25 A Way of Teaching: The Augsburg Confession
- Friday, Jan. 27, 7pm: Cinema at St. Paul presents *Luther* (2003)
- Feb. 1 A Way of Following: Discipleship
- Feb. 8 A Way of Worshiping: Lutheran Worship 101
- Feb. 15 Lutherans and the Christian Family Tree: Ecumenism

Lent and Holy Week 2012

During Lent and Holy Week, Feb. 22-Apr. 4, BASIC classes are not held. Catechumens are encouraged to participate in Wed. evening soup suppers, worship, and small groups with the rest of the congregation. The one scheduled BASIC event is the...

Lent BASIC Annual Retreat – March 16 – 17

Lutheran Outdoor Ministry Center, Oregon, Illinois

Theme: Receiving God's Grace in Word and Sacrament

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Spring 2012: Old Testament: Genesis

Text: The Book of Genesis, *Lutheran Study Bible*; Curriculum: *Fretheim Explores Genesis* (DVD)

- Apr. 11 The Morning of the World: Creation
- Apr. 18 Fall Up, Fall Down or Fall Apart: The Fall Into Sin
- Apr. 25 God Will Never Do That Again!: The Flood
- May 2 God's Unconditional Promises: Abraham and Sarah
- May 9 Sodom and Gomorrah: Intercession and Judgment
- May 16 Children of Abraham: Christians, Jews, and Muslims
- May 23 Wrestling in Faith: The Story of Jacob
- May 30 Women with Stories: Dinah, Tamar, and Rachel
- Jun. 6 A Family Reconciled: Joseph and the Sons of Jacob

BASIC Year Two

Fall 2012: Prayer and the Christian Life (Sept. 12 – Nov. 21)

Winter 2012-13: Intro to Christian Theology (Dec. 5, 2012 – Feb. 6, 2013)

Spring 2013: New Testament: Luke (Apr. 3 – May 15)

Pentecost Sunday, May 19, 2013: Affirmation of Vocation