

Adult Faith Formation at St Pius X Parish

Did you know?

As a result of our parish survey, parish council established a focus on adult education and faith enrichment in response to requests from the parish.

In the past three years there have been many new programs including bible studies on the Gospels (one each year), Catholicism by Bishop Barron, Alpha series, and speaker series on interest topics such as funeral preparation and other issues.

Did you know?

The new testament is deeply framed and shaped by the writings of the Old Testament.. one of the people in bible study learned that the two Testaments are not separate but weave together. Did you know some of the most influential people in the Church were young women, like St Teresa that we met in Catholicism. Did you know that the Holy Spirit is alive and well in the Church and there to transform our lives if we are open.. Alpha sure showed us that.

Did you know?

This year we have plans to continue many of these activities, depending on what you ask for. Some of the events that are already planned include a bible study of the book of Revelations, a weekend retreat for men in Cochrane in November, a short Advent or Lenten series of talks and other programs.

Other programs may include another Bishop Barron program, a book study and themed presentations on relevant issues.

Did you know?

Each program takes the leaders many hours of preparation, organizing locations, dates, times, materials and resources. These groups are led by generous volunteers giving their time, talents and yes even treasures to make these programs successful.

Did you know?

For these to succeed we need you, we need people to lead small groups and host larger groups, we need people to share what they might want to learn more about, give us topics and suggestions. We need people to commit, just as the leaders do, usually just a little time to participate in these programs and be open to the prompting of the Spirit to grow outside of our comfort zones.

If you have any topics of interest or areas that you would like to learn more about, please contact Deacon Dan Deck (daniel_deck@live.ca). If one of you is thinking about something so too probably are others.