



Discovering Christ

A seven-week experience that invites guests to hear the Good News and personally encounter Jesus Christ.

Discovering Christ is for anyone and everyone, from the baptized in the pews to the unbaptized person who has never entered a church. Discovering Christ helps participants enter into, or renew, a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, experience the love of God the Father, and be empowered by the Holy Spirit to live as God's

children. It also gives participants the relational support necessary to begin living for Christ within the parish or group that offers the course. There is no fee to attend and all are welcome!

Overview

Discovering Christ consists of seven sessions and a retreat day. The weekly sessions include four components: a meal, prayer time, a video presentation, and small group discussion. Also included in the experience is a 1-day retreat. Each component is vital to the evangelizing process of Discovering Christ.

Meal

The catered dinner is a time to grow together socially. It is not intended as a time to discuss the course topics; Instead, it is time to foster relationships and grow in friendship.

Prayer

The prayer time consists of singing together a couple of songs that help the group become comfortable praying together.

Video Presentation

The video talks proclaim, with beauty and simplicity, the core Gospel message, and invite participants to make a personal response to Jesus Christ. Each teaching builds upon the one before it.

Small Group Discussion

Small groups are safe places to freely discuss what was heard in the presentation. This is a time to facilitate communication and encourage people to share their thoughts and feelings.

Session Dates & Topics

Thursday, October 6	<i>What Is the Meaning of Life?</i>
Thursday, October 13	<i>Why Does Jesus Matter?</i>
Thursday, October 20	<i>What Does Jesus Want Us To Know?</i>
Thursday, October 27	<i>Why Do We Need a Savior?</i>
Thursday, November 3	<i>Why Is the Resurrection Important?</i>
Saturday, November 5	RETREAT: <i>Who Is the Holy Spirit? / The Holy Spirit and You!</i>
Thursday, November 10	<i>New Life in the Spirit</i>
Thursday, November 17	<i>Our Need for the Church</i>

Time & Location

Each Thursday session will meet from 6:30-8:45pm. The Retreat day is 9:00am-3:00pm.

All sessions and the retreat day will be at the Meehan Center @ SS Simon and Jude, 8 Cavanaugh Court, West Chester, PA 19832.

Information & Registration

For more information, visit <https://www.phillyevang.org/christlife/> or contact us at ChristLifePhilly@gmail.com

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