

Growth Groups

What are Growth Groups?

A small group of people who meet regularly to study the Bible, do community, and reach out together with the gospel.

Why should I join a Growth Group?

Good question. Here's the bottom-line: *we want to help you grow spiritually.*

The most important reason you should join a Growth Group is so that you can become more like Jesus Christ (II Cor. 3:18, Gal. 4:19).

Another reason: Growth Groups uniquely pull together several pieces of Christian discipleship (Matt. 28:19-20).

- Study Scripture together.
- Persevere with other Christians.
- Serve others.
- Pray with others.
- Make disciples.

SSBC is a larger church and it can be difficult to get to know people. Maybe you feel that already. Growth Groups will help you connect with other Christians.

Do you have a group that is near my home?

Probably. Check out the list on the inner pages. I'm sure you can find a group in your town or a neighboring town. If you can't find one near enough, perhaps you can start your own!

What about child care?

Our leadership team (see back page) can help you think through different strategies for making your growth group family-friendly. If necessary, we will work with you to provide childcare. Please contact Pastor Steve if you need assistance getting plugged into a group that can meet your childcare needs.

What is a "sermon based" group?

Our staff pastors work on study guides each week that are focused on the sermon text for the upcoming Sunday. Sermon based groups use these study guides for their material for study and discussion. You can find these study guides in the lower lobby or posted on our website: southshorebaptist.com

What if I'm really busy?

It's worth it! Joining other Christians in community and Bible study is essential for spiritual health and stability. Can you rearrange life just a bit to make some time?

On a practical note, some of our groups meet every-other-week. Jump into one of those if a weekly commitment is too much.

Ok, I'm in. How do I join?

Take a look at the list on the inner pages. Do you see a group that fits your interests & availability?

- If you feel comfortable, contact the leader of the group and share your interest.
or
- Contact Pastor Steve or someone from the leadership team (see back page for contact info)
or
- Sign-up at www.southshorebaptist.com/smallgroups.php

If you have any questions contact our leadership team:

Linda Childs
Janet & Tim Ells
Steve Grissom

Start your own group:

If you are interested in starting, leading, or hosting an SSBC growth group Bible study, please contact Pastor Steve.



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Growing Together in Christ

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TYPE	DAY & TIME	FOCUS	LOCATION	CONTACT INFO.
MONDAYS				
Women	Monday 7:00 PM	Genesis 12-50 Jen Wilkin	North Weymouth	Cindy Lyle
TUESDAYS				
Mixed	1 st & 3 rd Tuesdays 7-9 PM	Sermon Based	Hingham	Aaron Knight & Herb Hess
WEDNESDAYS				
Men	Wednesday 6:00 AM	Bible Study	SSBC Library	Matt Melvin
Mixed	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays 7:00 PM	Sermon Based	Hanover	Gerry Bennett
Mixed	Saturday 7:30-9:00 PM	Sermon Based	Norwell	Mike & Roberta Leavitt
THURSDAYS				
Women	Thursday 9:15-11:30 AM	Heart to Heart <i>Bible Study and Prayer</i> Genesis 12-50 Jen Wilkin	SSBC Children's Wing	Kay Paff & Becky Knight
Women	Thursday 7:00-8:30 PM	Heart to Heart <i>Evening Group</i> Genesis 12-50 Jen Wilkin	SSBC Room 21	Suzanne Weston
Mixed	1 st & 3 rd Thursdays 7:00 PM	Sermon Based	Weymouth	Eldon Abbott
Mixed	Thursday 7:30 PM	Old Testament Book	Weymouth	Rick & Cheryl Coughlin
Men	Thursday 7:00 PM	Bible Study	SSBC Library	Jim Kleberg
Mixed	Thursday 7:00 PM	Sermon Based	Hingham	Tim & Janet Ells

FRIDAYS				
Mixed	Every other Friday 7:00- 9:00 PM	Sermon Based	Hull	Bill & Rebecca Haeck:
Mixed	Every other Friday 7:30 PM	Sermon Based	Marshfield	Ben Spruill
Mixed	2 nd & 4 th Fridays 7:00 PM	Sermon Based	Weymouth	Bob Ells
Couples	Every other Friday	Sermon Based	Norwell	Bill & Marguerite Patzer
Mixed	1 st & 3 rd Fridays 7:00 PM	Sermon Based	North Weymouth	Steve Grissom
SATURDAYS				
Men	Saturday 7:00-8:30 AM	Book of the Bible	SSBC Room 21	Adrian Hanley
Couples	1 st & 3 rd Saturdays 6:30 PM	Sermon Based	Pembroke	Paul Sousa
Mixed	2nd Saturdays 5:00 PM	Sermon Based	Hingham	Alan & Vanessa Hsu
Couples	2 nd & 4 th Saturdays 7:15 PM	Sermon Based	Hanover	Dan & Amanda Light

Groups with a Unique Focus

TYPE	DAY & TIME	FOCUS	LOCATION	CONTACT INFO.
Men	Monday 7:30-9:00 PM	Brothers for Life: Purity in Christ	SSBC	Stephen Lyle
Mixed	Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM	Bible Study	Leisure Woods	Jerry Kelley
Mixed	Wednesday 10:00 AM	Bible Study	Linden Ponds	Larry Kanter
Mixed	Wednesday 7:00-8:30 PM	Addictions Bible Study	SSBC Library	Mike Sharkey
Mixed	Wednesday 7:00-8:00 PM	Prayer Group	SSBC Lower Lobby	Elliott Lyons
Couples	1 st Fridays 7:00-8:30 PM	Marriage Enrichment	Hanover	Jim & Debbie Kleberg
Women	Friday (Monthly) 11:30 AM	Prayer & Fellowship Lunch	Hingham	Ann Berley
Mixed	Saturday 9:00-11:00 AM	Grief Share griefshare.org	SSBC	Ann Berley