



Next Saturday is Date Night at the Marriage Party

Sat, Feb 4 | 6:00 pm | Undercroft

It's couples night next Saturday here at Truro. We're throwing a Marriage Course party, with good food and fun. We are starting a Marriage Course on the following Saturday, Feb 11, and the party is an opportunity to see what the course might be like. Whether you've been married for 50 years or are newlyweds, you're invited to the party. It's free, but please register right away to help us plan.

i Register online today at <http://bit.ly/2jIFTbU>.



Alpha Continues This Week

Evening Alpha: Fri(s) | 7:00 pm | Undercroft

Noontime Alpha: Thu(s) | 12:00 pm | Common Grounds

Alpha for Seniors: Fri(s) | 12:00 pm | Undercroft

Here at Truro, we make space for something called Alpha. It's a 10-week community where we can speak freely and ask big questions; none are too hostile or too simple. We'll eat together and hear a talk on topics from the meaning of Jesus' death to thoughts about evil. We began this past week, and hope you will consider joining us as you are still welcome this week!

i Contact Michael King with questions at mking@truroanglican.com.



"Come and See"

When Jesus engages some curious onlookers in the first chapter of John's Gospel, they realize he is the Messiah. How did Jesus convince them? He said "Come and...see." He doesn't only share facts about himself, but says, "Come with me, kick the tires, investigate for yourselves!" Have you ever felt alone? Alone in your questions, like you couldn't (or shouldn't) have questions about faith? Or simply alone in a transient and fast-moving culture? In Alpha, we make space for people to come together and investigate in a safe space, where all faith backgrounds are welcome. We here at Truro invite you onto Alpha so you can, for yourself, "come and see."

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Alpha

Alpha has just begun, and you are welcome. Find out more at truroanglican.com/alpha.

TIPS



The Bridges Class: How to Befriend Muslims

by José Garrigó

The Bridges class has its second session today in the Art Gallery. Next Saturday, Feb 4, the author of the course, Fouad Masri, will be in our area for a day-long seminar. This seminar will help reinforce those taking the class and serve as a catch up for those who have missed it. We are planning to take a group from Truro. Find information in the City or contact TIPS.

i Contact TIPS at TIPS@truroanglican.com or by phone at 703.273.1300 x510. Info is also on The City.

PARISH

Membership Lunch

Sun, Feb 12 | Common Grounds

For the past few weeks, you've been hearing about our upcoming Vestry election this spring. You may not know that in order to vote in that election, you have to be a member of Truro! If you're interested in learning more about membership, join us for a special lunch on Sunday, Feb 12, after the 11:15 am service.

i Register online at bit.ly/2jR4UAO. Note: If you are unsure of your membership status, please contact Jeremy Lamb, jlamb@truroanglican.com.

Preparing for Lent

Ash Wednesday this year is on March 1. To prepare for Lent, Truro will hold a Prayer Retreat Day on Saturday, Feb 18. We'll have a traditional Fat Tuesday pancake supper on Tues, Feb 28. As Lent progresses, there will be a teaching series around the theme of reconciliation for all to participate in. Our own Richard Tiller is preparing a study guide based on his book, *Tough Conversations with the Heart of God*, which can be used individually or in community groups. A series of Saturday morning classes will run March 4-April 1. More details on all these events coming soon.

i Watch the City and the TFN for more details.

PRAYER



Prayer Retreat: Preparing Our Hearts for God's Love

Sat, Feb 18 | 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Undercroft

Come for an event to prepare us for our Lenten study on reconciliation. Jacqueline Guy, co-founder of Forget-Me-Not Ministries, will be teaching and praying with us. Jacqueline is an international speaker whose focus is on healing, forgiveness, and God's love. She has studied and done training in healing ministry with an array of teachings from such ministries as Global Awakening, Randy Clark, the McNutts, and the Sanfords. She and her husband, Tanie, have traveled the world in a ministry of healing and restoration to missionaries, churches, and communities.

i Cost for the day is \$25 per person, which includes lunch. More information on The City, or contact Sue Hardman: shardman@truroanglican.com.

COMMUNITY GROUPS



Today: Introduction to Leading Amore Groups

Sun, Jan 29 | 12:30-3:30 pm
Common Grounds

Consider joining or hosting an Amore-style community group. Specifically designed to be a safe place for people to encounter Jesus for the first time, Amore is a great way to practice sharing your faith with others! Come to lunch today and learn more.

Save the Date

FEBRUARY

- 2 Noontime Alpha Continues
12:00 pm | Common Grounds
- 3 Winter Alpha Continues
7:00 pm | Undercroft
- 3 Alpha for Seniors Continues
12:00 pm | Undercroft
- 4 The Marriage Party
6:00 pm | Undercroft
- 5 Join the Choir for a Day
8:00 or 10:40 am | Choir Room
- 7 Missions Dinner
7:00 pm | Undercroft
- 11 Marriage Course Begins
6:00 pm | Undercroft
- 12 Membership Lunch
1:00 pm | Common Grounds
- 12 Worship Ministry Auditions
1:30 pm
- 18 Prayer Retreat Day
9:00 am - 3:00 pm | Undercroft
- 19 Newcomers' Coffee
10:30 am | Common Grounds
- 24 High School Winter Retreat
Fri - Sun | Camp Highroad
- 28 Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper
5:30 - 7:30 | Undercroft



Join Truro Online!

Visit our online community today.
For help or more info, contact Karen
Rummel, krummel@truroanglican.com.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Marriage Course helpers: Couples can serve at the course by helping with set up (3:00-5:00 pm), hosting/welcoming guests (6:00-8:00 pm) and clean up (8:00-9:00 pm) for the duration of the course. **Contact: Michelle Shalita** at mshalita@truroanglican.com.

TIPS: We need greeters for Tuesday morning classes, 9:30-10:15, on Jan 31 and Feb 7; greeters on Thursday mornings every week; volunteers to help with food preparation and serving; conversation assistants for morning and evening. We also need two teachers for the evening classes; a teacher substitute for the morning classes; and help in the office. **Contact TIPS:** TIPS@truroanglican.com or 703.273.1300 x510.

Worship + Arts: Join the choir for a day, Sun, Feb 5, at 8:00 or 10:40 in the choir room. **Contact: Andrew Cote** at acote@truroanglican.com. Instrumentalists audition on Sun, Feb 12. **Contact Jamie Brown** at jbrown@truroanglican.com.

Youth Group: Prepare Sunday night dinners. **Contact: Wes Buckley** at wbuckley@truroanglican.com.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

College Interns

Positions in Family Ministries, Video Production, and Project Management are available.

i Contact Mike Seawright:
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The Fellows Program 2017-18

Applications now being accepted. The Metro Fellows Program is a leadership program for recent college graduates who desire to start their postgraduate life well. We help young people live integrated lives in pursuit of Christ.

i You can find more info at metrofellows.com. Or you can contact Mike Seawright at mseawright@truroanglican.com.

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