

Bible Study Spring 2018 Offerings

Spring Study Kickoff March 5th week! Register ONLINE at

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(1) Name of Study: Breaking Free

Authors: Beth Moore

Description: This study leads you through a study of Isaiah, a book about the captivity of God's children, the faithfulness of God, and the road to freedom in Christ. Using Scripture to help identify spiritual strongholds in your life, no matter how big or small, Beth explains that anything that hinders us from the benefits of knowing God is bondage. God intends for you to know and believe Him, glorify Him, experience His peace, and enjoy His presence.

Facilitator: Bee-Lee Yeo

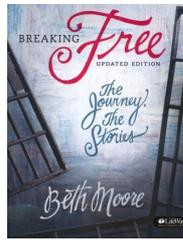
Host: Jade Cheng

Start Date: 5 March, 2018

Day and Time: Mondays – 10am -12pm

Length of Study: 12 weeks

Location: 666 Jinxiu Rd, Building #24, Unit 2601



(2) Name of Study: BI-LINGUAL STUDY-Christian to the Core

Author: Kerygma180

Description: God's desire is that you develop roots, grow strong, and experience his full power and presence in your life. Christian to the Core is a 12-session journey through the eight core values of the most effective Christians. You will be challenged as you grow deeper in your intimacy with God and discover his greater purposes for your life. The Eight Core Values are: *Intimacy with God* | *Passion for the Harvest* | *A Visionary Life* | *Relevant Evangelism* | *Multiplication of Disciples* | *Family Priority* | *Faithful Stewardship* | *Integrity*

Facilitator: Ye Tong, Lei, Ding Fang, Dawn

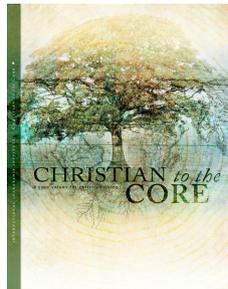
Host: Dawn Yang

Start Date: 8 March 2018

Day and Time: Thursdays, 10:00-12:00 noon

Length of Study: 14 Weeks

Location: Thomson Golf Villas C1-501



(3) Name of Study: Gideon

Author: Priscilla Shirer

Description: When we hear the name Gideon, we remember his 300 soldiers or a fleece spread beneath the evening sky. But Gideon's story is so much bigger than that. This is a story about God and His people—His love for them, as well as His strength operating in spite of, even through, their weakness. This study will encourage you to recognize your weakness as the key that the Lord gives you to unlock the full experience of His strength in your life.

Facilitator(s): Marguerite Sdrigotti

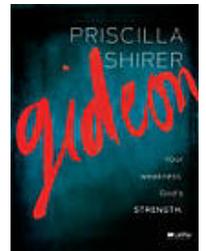
Host: Amanda Zhou

Start Date: 8 March 2018

Day and Time: Thursdays 10am-12pm

Length of Study: 7 Weeks

Location: 800 Jinxiu Road, Suite 1801, Unit 33 (Lianyang area)



(4) Name of Study: Having a Mary heart in a Martha's World

Author: Joanna Weaver

Description: The life of a woman today isn't really all that different from that of Mary and Martha in the New Testament. Like Mary, you long to sit at the Lord's feet, but the daily busy demands just won't leave you alone. Like Martha, you love Jesus and really want to serve Him, yet you struggle with weariness, resentment, and feelings of inadequacy. In this study, Jesus invites you to choose *the better part*—a joyful life of "living-room" intimacy with Him that flows naturally into "kitchen service" for Him. Learn how to deepen our devotion and strengthen our service with less stress and greater joy.

Facilitator: Karin Green & Audrey Lan

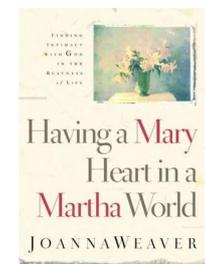
Host: Ruby Lopez-Vito

Start Date: 5 March 2018

Day and Time: Mondays, 10am ~12pm

Length of Study: 12 weeks

Location: Green Court 1, 777 Biyun Road (Bldg 11, Room 401).



(5) Name of Study: Unglued

Author: Lysa Terkeurst

Description: God gave us emotions to experience life, not destroy it! This six-session study will equip you to: (1) Know with confidence how to resolve conflict in your important relationships. (2)

Find peace in your most difficult relationships as you learn to be honest but kind when offended. (3) Identify what type of reactor you are and how to significantly improve your communication. (4) Respond with no regrets by managing your tendencies to stuff, explode, or react somewhere in between. Gain a deep sense of calm by responding to situations out of your control without acting out of control.

Facilitator: Tracy Li

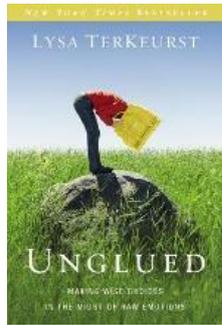
Host: Laura Staubli-Li

Start Date: March 21 – April 25, 2018

Day and Time: Wednesdays, 10am ~12pm

Length of Study: 6 weeks

Location: House 166, Green Court 2, Jinqiao



(6) Name of Study: Prayer:

Does it Make Any Difference? BI LINGUAL STUDY

Author: Philip Yancey

Description: This study probes the very heartbeat--the most fundamental, challenging, perplexing, and deeply rewarding aspect--of our relationship with God: prayer. Yancey explores such questions as: -Is God listening? -Why should God care about me? -If God knows everything, what's the point of prayer? -Why do answers to prayer seem so inconsistent and capricious? -Why does God seem sometimes close and sometimes far away? -How can I make prayer more satisfying?

Facilitator: Daphne Lim

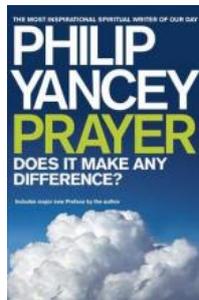
Host: TBD

Start Date: March 7, 2018

Day and Time: Wednesdays 10am-12pm

Length of Study: 8-10 weeks

Location: #1, Beverly Hills, 1118 Mingyue Lu



Want to know more about Tuesday evening study for WORKING WOMEN? (foreign passport holders only). Email Kellyjo.larson@concordiashanghai.org

(7) Name of Study: When Mothers Pray - Bringing God's Power and Blessing to your Children's Lives

Author: Cheri Fuller

Description: As a mom, you can't always be there as your children stroll the hallways at school, head for the college campus, or occupy a seat in the corporate boardroom. Yet a part of you goes with them when you pray...preparing a highway for the release of God's protection and power in their lives...guiding them toward God's best.

Come learn how to activate God's power through prayer, to release His irresistible force that changes kids, situations, families, schools...and entire communities! Discover how this power multiplies as mothers "join together and pray."

Facilitator: Maria Reich

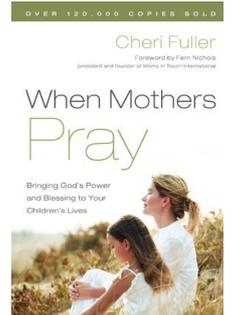
Host: Judy Brantingham

Start Date: March 12, 2018

Day and Time: Mondays 10am-12pm

Length of Study: 8-10 weeks (TBC)

Location: #7, Beverly Hills, 1118 Mingyue Lu



(8) EVENING STUDY SPECIAL INVITE: CALLING ALL FEMALE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS, YOUNG PROFESSIONALS & RECENT GRADUATES

Name of Study: Stuck

Authors: Jennie Allen

Description: So many of us live stuck. Stuck in trying to seem perfect. Stuck in sadness. Stuck feeling numb. Stuck pursuing more stuff to make us happy. Stuck in something we can't even name. We've been trying to fix this feeling with everything but...God. This study shows us that God has a plan to restore it, to restore us. Through this study, we realize that our stuck places are the very places that make us ache for God, we find Him waiting there for you with hope and freedom. GET UNSTUCK!

Facilitator: Martha Kajara & Manga Makungwe

Host: Martha Kajara

Start Date: March 15, 2018

Day and Time: Thursdays EVENING 7-9pm

Length of Study: 8 weeks

Location: 2250, Dongjing Road, Building 24, Apartment 302 (near Jing Gao Road). Closest metro station: Jinjing Road Line 12. Bus 995/181 from Jinqiao

