

BIBLE STUDY and STUDIES IN THE FAITH CLASSES

begin the week of September 9

Bible Study(A.M.): Selections from the Scriptures, with an emphasis on how the coming of Christ into the world as recorded in the Gospels and Epistles, shows the writings of the Law and the Prophets to be a preparation for the Christ, His Gospel and for the Church.

This class meets on **Tuesdays, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** We meet both in the Contos Library and digitally through the following zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/992525207>

Studies in the Faith: A look at what the Orthodox Church is and how our own lives can be better understood by a life of faith and enhanced by formally participating in the life of the Orthodox Church.

This class meets on **Wednesdays, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** We meet both in the Contos Library and digitally through the following zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/438824988>

Enhanced Studies: A more detailed study that looks to highlight the fabric of the Church, the historical road it has travelled, and where it finds itself today. We begin by looking at the lives of some prominent hymnographers and how the core Christian truths find their place in the hymnology and services of the Church. We begin by reading the Confession of Faith of Saint Sophronios of Jerusalem and continue with the Hymns of Saint Symeon the New Theologian.

This class meets on **Thursdays, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** We meet both in the Contos Library and digitally through the following zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82461509031>

Bible Study(P.M.): A closer look at the relationship between Scripture, Church, and Sacrament, including but not limited to the connections between Scriptural interpretation, Ecumenical Councils, and Church as the robe of Christ.

This class meets **digitally on the first and third Monday of each month, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** Here is the zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86255302411>