



Together Nights

Together Nights is back starting Wednesday, September 9!

Sundays are a time to worship together, and Wednesdays are an opportunity to connect, grow, and build community. Join us for a family-friendly dinner at 5:00 p.m. outdoors in the Plaza, followed by engaging learning opportunities for adults, youth and children beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Schedule

5:00 p.m.	Dinner for everyone on the Plaza
5:50 p.m.	Check-in for Kids Programs (5 th grade and younger) at Preschool
6:00 p.m.	Presentation by speakers begin in the Sanctuary
6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.	Small group time for adults
6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Middle School Program in the Youth Center
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.	High School Program in the Corner Café

For Adults

Close to Home is a six-week series focusing on setting intentions for our lives. Whether raising a family, living a single life, or settling into a season of empty-nesting or retirement, each week addresses different ways to live out of our values and protect our homelife from the things that can intrude upon our family goals and vision.

Here's what we'll cover:

September 9 "On Purpose"	We don't drift into the home life we want — we build it. Every builder starts with a blueprint. This week we start by asking the foundational questions: What do we actually value? What kind of life are we trying to create together? Whether you're raising young kids, living solo, or in a new season of life, intentionality begins with having a vision. <i>Led by Pastor Shannon Coon</i>
September 16 "Time Tells the Truth"	Our calendars don't lie. How we spend our days is the most honest picture of what we actually value — not what we say we value. This week we look honestly at the gap between our stated priorities and our real ones, and talk about practical ways to close it. <i>Led by Pastor Manny David</i>

September 23 "Conflict Resolution"	Living closely with people means conflict — it's not a sign something is wrong, it's a sign you're in real relationship. Whether you literally live with family or not, conflict among loved ones arises in all seasons of life. This week our guest speaker helps us understand why conflict happens and how to navigate it in ways that strengthen rather than damage our closest relationships. <i>We will hear from guest Speaker Dr. Dan Borg.</i>
September 30 "The Longer Game"	Parenting — and really any significant relationship — is less about managing behavior in the moment and less about compliance than it is about shaping character over time. Drawing on principles from "Love and Logic," this week is about raising kids (and living with people) with both warmth and wisdom. <i>Led by Briana Searcy, Minister of Staff Development and Church Experience.</i>
October 7 "How to be AI-Aware"	AI and technology have moved into our homes whether we invited them or not. This week our guest helps us think clearly and practically about what responsible technology use looks like for families — and what we want to be intentional about. <i>We will hear from guest speaker Finney Premkumar, Founder and President of Truth Matters International.</i>
October 14 "Home Rhythms"	We close by putting it all together. What does your household actually stand for? This week we walk through how to build a simple family mission statement or rule of life — a shared sense of purpose that can guide decisions, resolve conflict, and keep everyone moving in the same direction. <i>Led by Briana Searcy, Minister of Staff Development and Church Experience.</i>

Join a small group:

