XENOS CLASSES Fall 2019 2nd session

NOT SO GREAT EXPECTATIONS
a 3-week class with Christine Deken
Have you ever felt disappointment with God and other people? Has life not turned out the way you thought? Have you lost a relationship with a friend or known someone who left fellowship because of differing expectations? In this class, we will define expectations and discuss potential damage caused by unwarranted expectations. We will explore commonly held but subtle expectations of God, people and general life issues using biblical characters and their expectations as well as our own thoughts and emotions. Goals for the class are to help us more readily recognize our wrong expectations, discuss ways to rehabilitate them in accordance with God’s truth and reality and explore how we might more quickly turn to place our hope in God.

Wednesdays, 7 – 9:30 p.m.
November 6 – 20
$22/adult or $7/student (Register before 11/5)

INTIMACY
a 5-week class with Lee Campbell
Great relationships are intimate. This is soul satisfying, fruitful and delightful to experience but difficult to grow and sustain. The purpose of this course is for you to learn perspectives, skills and attitudes needed to form & maintain such relationships including: drawing what you need from God instead of others; being transparent with others; making it easier for others to be transparent with you and working through conflict. This course will involve lecture and skill building exercises.

Wednesdays, 7 – 9:30 p.m.
October 30 – December 11 (skipping 11/20 & 11/27)
$38/adult or $12/student (Register before 10/29)

SHARING YOUR FAITH WITH PARENTS
a 5-week class with Liz Sweet & Nina Hoyt
Family relationships are some of the most important in our lives; however, they can also be challenging. This class will focus on thinking through how to share our faith effectively with our parents. It will include God’s perspective on family and practical ideas about practicing Biblical love, initiating spiritual discussions, and working to identify and overcome barriers associated with reaching our parents with the love of Christ.

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$38/adult or $12/student (Register before 11/5)

RAISING SEXUALLY HEALTHY CHILDREN
a 4-week class with Bev DeLashmutt
Training your child to become sexually healthy begins at birth and continues to advance through each stage of development. In this 4-week class you will learn what your children are learning in each stage and how that will impact your children’s sexual health. You will also learn how to protect your children in each stage, how to prepare them to respond to different sexual influences, and how to give them a positive view of God’s design for sexuality.

Wednesdays, 7 – 9 p.m.
November 6 – December 4 (skipping 11/27)
$30/adult or $10/student (Register before 11/5)

THE THRILLING STUDY OF NEW TESTAMENT GRAMMAR
a 5-week class with Ryan Weingartner
Did you know when Jesus said, “Tetelestai” on the cross, He was using the perfect tense of the word telos? Telos means an end and the perfect tense refers to a past completed action with ongoing results. So by using this form Jesus issignifying that his work of redemption has now been completed with ongoing results that we enjoy. Though it can be intimidating, learning basic New Testament grammar will enrich your handling of scripture, and you don't even need to know Greek!

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LEADING PASSIVE MEN
a 4-week class with Doug O’Malley
A growing trend in our society is for men to be passive, specifically with initiating love with others. Christians are not exceptions to this. Passivity in relationships can become a puzzling hindrance to leading a marriage, leading a disciple, leading a home church, or initiating within a friendship. This class will examine how to effectively lead men struggling with passivity.

Saturdays, 9 – 11 a.m.
November 16 – December 14, (skipping 11/30)
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