

growth groups



At St Andrew's many people find Growth Groups are essential. Its possible in a large church to come along on a Sunday and feel lonely and lost. That's not good! Church is important because we were never meant to live the Christian life on our own. God's people are meant to serve each other and to help one another in the ups and downs of life to keep trusting in and following Jesus. We need each other!

Which is why we encourage people to join Growth Groups. These groups of between 10-15 meet weekly in people's homes and are our chief way of looking out for each other. Its here we can ask questions, share struggles, pray for each other and learn how to apply the Bible and live for Jesus.

If you don't belong to a Growth Group, get in touch with the Church Office and we'll talk with you about finding a Group that suits you (01772 622964).

This Spring, in our Growth Groups we'll be looking at different parts of the Bible.

Those who are part of the Prayer Book Congregation will join those who belong to St Andrew's @ 11 in learning from the Old Testament prophet Hosea. A heartbreaking story about a husband who is cheated on, but who will not stop loving his wife.

Those who belong to St Andrew's @ 9 will be following the letter of Paul to the young church leader Titus - full of instruction on how a church family is supposed to operate.

Those who are part of St Andrew's @ 6.30 will be looking at the real Jesus from Luke's account.

It promises to be a great term of studying God's word!



St Andrew's Leyland

Spring 2012

Midweek Meetings

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FIRST PRIORITY

St Andrew's gathering to pray throughout the day

Praying together is a great way of building relationship together with God, and of together showing that we depend utterly upon God and not on ourselves for everything. Please join us this term as we seek to make praying together as a church family our first priority. Come at 7-7.30am or 7.30-8.30pm or 9.15-9.45pm in church on these Thursdays:

- January 12th - February 2nd - March 1st - April 5th

Growth Groups are our small groups. A great means of support, encouragement, prayer and nurture. This term we will be meeting on these dates:

Jan 16-19 (Session 1)

Jan 23-26 (Session 2)

Feb 06-09 (Session 3)



**Feb 13-16 - HALF TERM
NO MIDWEEK MEETINGS**

Feb 20-23 (Session 4)

Mar 05-08 (Session 5)

Mar 12-15 (Session 6)

Mar 19-22 (Session 7)

Mar 26-29 (Session 8)

