

The Shape of Salvation

Lent 2020

Nassau Church



Small Groups

February 23 - April 2

Salvation, in Luke, is not just about eternal life
but abundant life.

Salvation, in Luke, is a promise God fulfills
in ways we experience, taste, and feel.

Salvation, in Luke, is not deferred. It is now.

Be linked in for Lent.

LENTEN SMALL GROUPS WILL FOCUS ON STORIES FROM THE GOSPEL OF LUKE encouraging participants to reflect and wrestle with them. Our hope for this study is that you bring your full self and community with you as you read Luke. Bring your stories, your hopes, your questions and your fears. Through small group fellowship find a vision of salvation wide enough, graceful enough, and merciful enough to carry you through challenging days.

Groups meet weekly between

Sunday, February 23 and Thursday, April 2.

Sign up during Fellowship or on My Nassau.

Sundays 5:00–6:00PM

Conference Room, Nassau Church
Madison Roberts, leader

Originally from Atlanta, GA, Madison is now a second-year student at Princeton Theological Seminary. In the context of spiritual nourishment, if prayer and worship are Madison's main course, then fellowship and Bible study within a small group would be Madison's dessert!

Mondays 12:00–1:00PM

Berg Home, Princeton
Corrie Berg, leader
Soup & Bread provided

Corrie is Nassau Church's Director of Educational Ministries. She counts hosting the "Soup Group" on Mondays a highlight of each Lenten season. Come join this lively group of fellow Lenten pilgrims as, together, we discern the shape of salvation in our own lives.

Mondays 4:15–5:00PM

Conference Room, Nassau Church
Corrie Berg & Carol Wehrheim, leaders

NEW THIS YEAR - A Small Group for 4th, 5th and 6th graders. This small group is geared especially for 9-12 year olds and a great way for your child to make friends, gain some basic Bible knowledge and begin to learn more about faith. Snacks provided.

First-timers and friends warmly welcomed!

Mondays 7:30–9:00PM

Wehrheim Home, Stonebridge
Carol Wehrheim, leader

Carol, a writer and Christian Education consultant, finds that Lenten small groups deepen her own prayer life and her connection to her church community.



*We confess Jesus saves.
But how does Jesus save us?
What does Jesus save us from?
What does Jesus save us to?*

Tuesdays 7:00–8:30PM

Tazelaar Home, Princeton
John Parker, leader

John is a medical writer by trade and a long-time member of Nassau Church. He is a former Ruling Elder who currently serves as a Deacon, and teaches in the 3rd and 4th grade Church School class.

Tuesdays 7:00–8:30PM

VanWart-Thornton home, Kingston
Kate Torrey & Tim Flood, leaders

Kate and Tim started coming to Nassau Church in 2018 and were quickly impressed by a faith community that is warm, welcoming, thoughtful, and passionate. Join them in their first small group to make new friends, challenge old assumptions, and explore what it means to prepare our hearts for Easter.

Wednesdays 11:00–12:30AM

Sakenfeld Home, Stonebridge
Kathie Sakenfeld, leader

Kathie retired from Princeton Seminary in 2013 after teaching Old Testament there for 43 years. An ordained PCUSA clergywoman, she has participated in the life of Nassau Church since 1970 and has served the denomination at Presbytery, national, and international levels.

Wednesdays, 6:00 - 7:00PM

Dolley Madison Room, The Windrows
Liz & Kim Beasley, leaders

Liz and Kim were married in the Nassau sanctuary in 2010. Liz has served as an elder and on the membership and adult education committees. She was ordained as a deacon in November, 2019. Kim has served on the property committee since 2016. They are very much looking forward to leading a group for the The Windrows community.

THE SACRED ART OF PHOTOGRAPHY

Thursdays 7:30–9:00PM

Conference Room, Nassau Church
Ned Walthall, leader

The Sacred Art of Photography returns with an exploration of Luke through the making of photographs that explore our own personal responses to that Gospel. There will be six, possibly seven sessions including an optional field trip to New York to visit *Dorothea Lange, Words & Pictures* at MOMA.

No special equipment or skill is required: only imagination and a willingness to have some fun.

Ned has been a member of Nassau Church since 1987. He is a Deacon and has led these small groups on the Sacred Art of Photography since 2016.



CONNECTING WITH SUNDAY MORNINGS

Sundays 9:30–10:15AM

March 1 - April 5, Assembly Room

Eric Barreto, leader

Come explore the *Shape of Salvation in the Gospel of Luke* this Lent. In Luke's narrative, Jesus preaches salvation for all who believe in him. But what does salvation mean? Is it only a future hope or possibly a present reality? What are Jesus' followers saved from? And what are they (and we) saved to?

Join us each Sunday morning as Eric Barreto leads us through the Gospel of Luke, examining not only the Biblical and historical context of Luke's narrative of Jesus' life and ministry but also its timely and timeless impact on our lives today.

Be linked in for Lent: each week small groups will study the same texts from a more personal and contemplative point of view, and Pastor Davis will preach them in Worship.

Eric Barreto is Weyerhaeuser Associate Professor of New Testament at Princeton Theological Seminary, an ordained Baptist minister, and a Nassau parent. He earned a BA in religion from Oklahoma Baptist University, an MDiv from Princeton Seminary, and a PhD in New Testament from Emory University. Prior to coming to Princeton Seminary, he served as associate professor of New Testament at Luther Seminary, and also taught as an adjunct professor at the Candler School of Theology and McAfee School of Theology.

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