



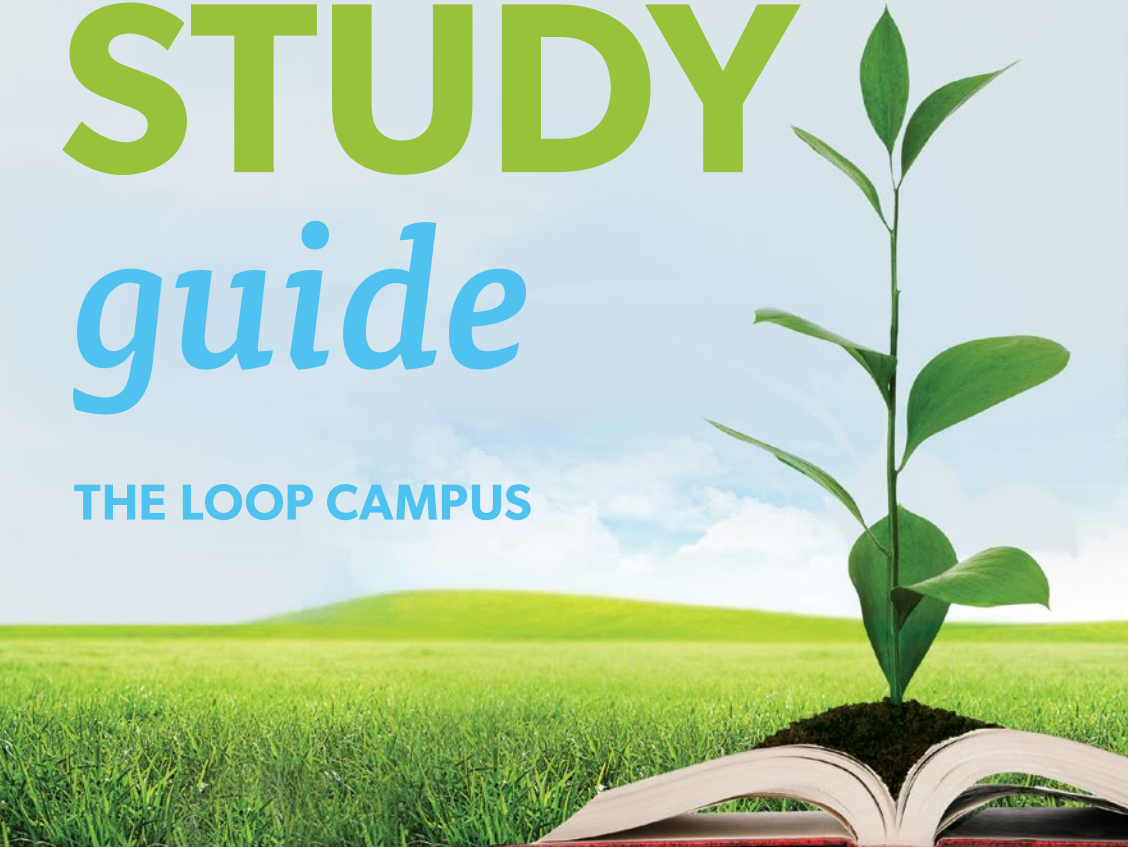
HOUSTON'S FIRST
BAPTIST CHURCH

SEP-OCT 2021

LIFE BIBLE STUDY

guide

THE LOOP CAMPUS



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Our Invitation

Welcome!

You may be wondering what LBS or Life Bible Study is and why it would be a value to you, your marriage, your friendships, and family life. LBS is our place for you to be known, to study God's Word, and a place for you to grow in your relationship with Christ. We believe your relationship with Christ will affect everything else in your life. Traditionally LBS was known as Sunday School, but the truth is our LBS classes are much more.

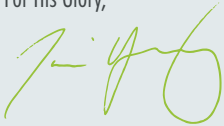
We encourage everyone to find community in an LBS and to gather with others in similar life stages, walk through challenges together, and pursue the Great Commission. Within LBS, you will have the opportunity to foster lifetime relationships, develop spiritual gifts, and do life with others.

We also believe, as our Life Bible Study purpose statement says, that our LBS ministry is the church organized to gather people, grow people, and to give ministry away to others in and through your class.

Feel free to look over this guide, visit one or more LBS's and find the right one for you. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us on the email listed below.

On pages 9-11 of this guide there is a map to help you navigate the building. Our Welcome team in the Main Foyer will take you where you need to go and answer any questions.

For His Glory,



Tim Young

Adult Education Minister

Tim.Young@HoustonsFirst.org

Our Purpose

Life Bible Study is the church organized and dedicated to **Gathering** the unchurched and those who haven't discovered Christ while **Growing** believers through life changing Bible Study to become Great Commission Christians, reflecting His love through **Giving** ministry to others.





SUNDAYS @ 8A

ADULT 2 (AGES 56-72)

COMPELLED BY LOVE

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 262

D Paul Simon **T** Wade Watkins

DAWNBREAKERS (7:45a)

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 404

D Rachel Guidry **T** Bob Black

ADULT 3 (AGES 73+)

MORNING STAR

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 143

D James & Shirley Goode **T** Bob Christian

WOMEN

A NEW JOURNEY

FOR Widows ages 40+ **R** 179 (Harbor Rm)

D Janice Whalen **T** Gloria McCauley and Carol Pierce



SUNDAYS @ 9:15a

PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

First Friends

FOR Ages 0-K

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

Preschool Suite Lobby on Level 1

CHILDREN

FIRST KIDS

FOR 1st-5th Graders

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

White Desk outside The Loft (Rm 301)

STUDENTS

The HUB Student Ministry

FOR 6th-12th Grades

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HUB Café (Smoothie Bar on Level 3)

YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS

Summit Ministries

DEVOTED

FOR Single adults ages 22-26 **R** 179 (Harbor Rm)

D Michael Wang **T** Marc & Leigh Kohler

PETROS

FOR Single adults ages 24-32 **R** 170 (East Gym)

D Tyson Gaspard **T** David Gober

HEBREWS 10:24

FOR Single adults ages 24-32 **R** 170 (SW Gym)

D Cody Blain **T** Tuck Hendley and Patricia Herrera

PURSUIT

FOR Single adults Ages 24-29 **R** 274 (University Rm)

D Chris Langworthy and Lindsey Akridge

T Craig & Shannon Bloodworth and Lisa Calvert

RENEWED

FOR Single adults ages 25-35 **R** 180 (Oasis Rm)

D Aimon Allouache **T** Justin Seale

VOYAGE

FOR Single adults ages 24-32 **R** 170 (NW Gym)

D Paige Sullivan **T** Andrea Kim

SINGLE ADULTS

Impact Ministries

QUEST

FOR Single adults ages late 30s-early 50s
R 270B (2nd Floor FRC)

D Brian Wilson and Victoria Lyons T Troy Hollister

INTERSECTION

FOR Single adults ages late 40s-50s R 176 (Bowling Alley)
D Mark Nevels and Robin Smith T Mark Nevels and Joseph Glover

SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES

Single Parent Family Ministry

ANCHOR

FOR Single parents in their 20s-early 40s R 292 (FBA)

D Matt Woods T Lee Stahl

FORTIFIED

FOR Single parents with children ages 0-18 R 290 (FBA)

D Roger Steinsiek T Sonia Delgadillo, Steve Diserens, Jairo Henao,
and Suzan Mayoli

MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS (TO LATE 30s)

NEWLYWED OR CLOSE 9:15

FOR Couples engaged/married 1 year or less
R Rehearsal Hall (230)

D Jim & Patrice Swanson T Darrell Taylor

THE ROCK

FOR Couples married 1-3 R 143

D Tyler & Dana Duvall T T Bob Redweik and Vicki Melton

REALITY

FOR Couples married 1-5 years R 405

D Julian & Catherine Martinez T Paul Duncan and Tom Owen

ABIDE

FOR Couples married 1-5 years R 407

D Colin & Sarah Brown T Patrick Hoercher

THE WELL

FOR Couples married 1-5 years R 504

D Chase & Jordan Kurtin T Robert & Kim Schwartz

REDEEMED

FOR Couples married 3-7 years R 505

D Tyler & Lizzie Bradshaw T Anthony Brown

UNITED

FOR Couples married 6-10 years R 507

D Blake & Susie Jenkins T Eric Reed and Harvey Brown

COMMUNITAS

FOR Couples married 5-10+ years R 404

D Ben & Katie Williams T Jared McCurley and Taylor Scott

JOURNEY

FOR Couples married 5-10+ years R 401/402

D Chase & Katie Gentry T Ryan Bishop

RELENTLESS

FOR Couples married 3-7 years R 408

D RJ & Abby Harris

BLUEPRINTS

FOR Couples married 5-10+ years R 508

D Chad & Lauren Greenfield T Steven Knudsen and David Kindt

ADULT 1 (AGES LATE 30s-55)

LOGOS

FOR Adults ages 36-51 R 602

D Joseph & Tiffanie Young T Bruce Wilkin

THE BRIDGE

FOR Adults ages 37-55 R 258

D Doug & Shelley Brough T Mike LeJeune

AS ONE

FOR Adults ages 40+ R 132 (Reception Rm)

D David & Bertha Rials

FOLLOWERS OF THE WAY

FOR Adults 40+ R 249

D Chuck & Tammy Frey T Darren Barlow

REUNION

FOR Adults ages 40+ R 501/502

D/T Brett & Kimberly Williams

ALL THINGS NEW

FOR Blended Families R 252

D David & Meredith Young T Torrance & Alisha Wilson

THE CLIMB

FOR Adults ages 33-54 R 253

D Chett & Tricia Heitman T Mike Buckles

ADULT 2 (AGES 56-72)

KINGDOM SERVICE

FOR Adults ages 56-72 R 262

D Mark Roach and Bruce Wildey T John Harrington

THIRD QUARTER (STARTS SUN, SEP 12)

FOR Adults ages 56-72 R 190 (FBA Library)

D David & Julie Miller T Robert Schwartz

ADULTS ALL AGES

CHRIST IN YOU

FOR Adults of all ages R 257

D Janet Farren T Martin Dixon

LEGACY

FOR Adults with hearts for orphaned,
adopted or foster children R 503

D/T Bill Rademacher

SAFE HARBOR

FOR Adults of all ages R 251

D Dan McCleary T Clarence Callis

ROOF BUILDERS

FOR Special Needs Parents of all ages R 330

D/T Kyle Franklin

WOMEN

WHOLEHEARTED

FOR Women of all ages R 263

D Grace Muñoz T Kim Huff

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SUNDAYS @ 10:45a

PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

First Friends

FOR Ages 0-K

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YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS

Summit Ministries

IGNITE

FOR Single adults ages 20s-30s **R** 179 (Harbor Rm)

D Brian Beck **T** Nita DeBorde

SINGLE ADULTS

Impact Ministries

BRIDGING THE GAP

FOR Single adults ages 40+ **R** 334B

D Richard Aliperti and Richard Fedorchik **T** Chris & Kari Heitman

MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS (TO LATE 30s)

EMBERS

FOR Couples engaged/married 5 years or less **R** 404

D Houston & Kim Baumgartner **T** Andre Cantrell
and Brandon Elam

CATALYST

FOR Couples married 2-10+ years **R** 401/402

D Jake & Kim Wood **T** Nate Zachary

ADULT 1 (AGES LATE 30s-55)

SAVED 2 SERVE

FOR Adults ages 33-48 **R** 504

D/T José & Julie Contreras

JOINT VENTURE

FOR Adults ages 40-55 **R** 501/502

D Louis & Denise Fox **T** David Taylor

ADULT 2 (AGES 56-72)

THE LIVING WORD

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 254

D Micah & Ester Valeria **T** Gary Stieber

IN THE BEGINNING

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 262

D Russell & Imogen Gantos **T** Adam Mason

BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 190 (FBA Library)

D Butch Butcher **T** Chris Martin

THE DIFFERENCE

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 336

D Harris & Carolyn Arthur **T** Sam Torn

HIS GLORY

FOR Adults ages 56-72 **R** 253

D Roberto Tepichin **T** Dan Miller

ADULT 3 (AGES 73+)

THE CHALLENGERS

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 602A/B

D Bill Seele

T Margo Seele and Steve Fullbright

CATACOMBS

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 143

D Larry Morgan **T** Michael Lewis

TRUTH SEEKERS

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 258

D Bob & Judy Gaddis **T** Dick Davis, Martha Rogers,
Judi Bott, and Sybil Grebe

THE REFINERS

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 249

D Ken & Sara Lowrimore **T** Jerry Ivie, Bob Stewart,
Diane Colston, Linda Black, TW Kirkpatrick, and Emanuel Adame

VICTORY CORNER / CROWN

FOR Adults ages 73+ **R** 132 (Reception Rm)

D Bob & Martha Simpson, Carolyn Barr

T Hunter Carr and Larry Taber

ADULTS ALL AGES

HIS LIKENESS

FOR Adults of all ages **R** 180 (Oasis Rm)

D Johnny & Marty Harper **T** David Self

INTERNATIONALS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

FOR Adults of international origin, association, or interest

R 257 **D** Joe McClintock **T** Velva Fallin

REVOLUTION WITHIN

FOR Adults of all ages **R** 274 (University Room)

D Rob Jensen and Stan Gore **T** Dwight Edwards

WOMEN

DAYSRING

FOR Women of all ages **R** 158 (Garden Rm)

D Carolyn O'Neal **T** Valerie Norris and Carole Lewis

SUNDAYS @ 6:30P

PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN (5p & 6:30p)

First Friends

FOR Ages 0-K

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

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CHILDREN (1ST-5TH)

First Kids

FOR 1st-5th Graders

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STUDENTS

The HUB Student Ministry

FOR 6th-12th Graders **R** 366

D Tony Bianco

COLLEGE AGE STUDENTS

COLLEGE COMMUNITY PM

FOR College age adults 18-23 **R** 270

D Jarret Garber **T** Emily Butler

YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS

Summit Ministries

- **LIGHTHOUSE**

FOR Single adults ages 21-26 **R** 253

D Tim Paul Rawls **T** Josh & Laurie Landrum and Jeremy & Cassidy Staggars

KALEO (KUH-LAY-OH)

FOR Single adults ages 25-32 **R** 179 (Harbor Rm)

D Lee Beauchamp **T** Dan Miller

- **FORGE**

FOR Single adults ages 28-30s **R** 258

D Ken Washington **T** Paul Lewis

- **REVIVAL**

FOR Single adults ages 24-29 **R** 180 (Oasis Rm)

D DJ Hicks **T** Jeff & Shirley Ralston and Chris Langworthy

SINGLE ADULTS

Impact Ministries

B.A.S.I.C.S.

FOR Single adults Late 30s, 40s, and 50s **R** 257

D Becky Green and Kim Shelby

T Kim Shelby

HEARTFIRE

FOR Single and married women of all ages **R** 249

D/T Elizabeth Iliev

MARRIED YOUNG ADULTS (TO LATE 30s)

NEWLYWED OR CLOSE 6:30

FOR Couples engaged/married 1 year or less **R** 504/505

D John & Erin Griffin

T Troy & Aimee Hammerstrom and Gary & Shanda Austin

MERGE

FOR Couples married 1-5 years **R** 501/502

D Randy & Dorrial Giveans

LIVING STONES

FOR Couples married 2-8 years **R** 404/405

T Ric Lorilla

REDWOODS

FOR Couples married 2-8 years **R** 407

D Keith & Catherine Hernandez **T** Clark Saunders

HIGH ALTITUDE

FOR Couples married 5-10+ years **R** 401/402

D Jeremy & Heather Spell

T Ryan Volkmer and Paul Meyer

ADULTS ALL AGES

29:11

FOR Adults of all ages **R** 143

D Bill Neighbors **T** Karl Mangrum

WALKING IN HIS LIGHT

FOR Married couples navigating mid-life **R** 252

D Carlos Garza **T** Carlos & Mary Jo Garza

THE SHELTER

FOR Adults of all ages **R** 132 (Reception Rm)

D/T Nathaniel Jones

WOMEN

HEARTFIRE

FOR Single and married women of all ages **R** 249

D/T Elizabeth Iliev



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SUNDAY HEARTLAND

9:15a & 11a

PRE-K HEARTLAND WORSHIP

FOR PK4 **R** 207

KINDERGARTEN HEARTLAND WORSHIP

FOR Kindergarten **R** Heartland (201)

5p

HEARTLAND WORSHIP

FOR PK4-Kindergarten **R** Heartland (201)



SUNDAY KIDS' CLUBHOUSE

9:15a & 11a

1st & 2nd grades

FOR 1st & 2nd Graders **R** The Clubhouse (303)

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

White Desk outside The Loft (Rm 301)

5p

1st & 2nd grades

FOR 1st-2nd Graders **R** The Clubhouse (303)



SPECIAL NEEDS

9:15a & 10:45a

COVE

FOR For preschool and medically fragile **R** 329J

MEADOW

FOR Girls ages 5-19 **R** 329H

BROOK

FOR Boys ages 5-10 **R** 329G

REEF

FOR Boys ages 11-19 **R** 322

9:15a

CLIFF

FOR Teens ages 11-22 **R** 332

10:45a

GROVE

FOR Adults of all ages with special needs **R** 334A

11a

RAISE THE ROOF WORSHIP

FOR Teens ages 11-19 **R** 332

5p & 6:30p

RIVER

FOR Birth-Elementary **R** 329

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

R 329 (Thru The Roof Suite on Level 3)

EN ESPAÑOL

Houston's First en Español gathers for worship @ 11a in the Chapel.

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FOR Ages 0-Kindergarten

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CHILDREN (GRADES 1ST-5TH)

First Kids

FOR 1st-5th grades

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SUNDAYS @ 9:15a

STUDENTS

The HUB Student Ministry

FOR 6th-12th graders **R** Area 366 (Gaming Area)

D Victor & Karina Bazaldua

FIRST TIME GUEST CHECK-IN

HUB Café (Smoothie Bar on Level 3)

ADULTS

TRANSFORMANDO MI VIDA

FOR Full nesters, adults with children at home and young couples

R 261 **T** Jorge Lopez

DUNAMIS

FOR Empty nesters, adults with children no longer at home

R 270A **T** Martin & Leticia Castro

Sunday Planning Guide

8a		LIFE BIBLE STUDIES		
9:15a	WORSHIP SERVICE Worship Center Choir & Orchestra	LIFE BIBLE STUDIES	HEARTLAND WORSHIP PK 4 Rm 207 Kindergarten Rm 201	CLUBHOUSE WORSHIP 1st & 2nd Graders The Clubhouse (303)
10:45a		LIFE BIBLE STUDIES	HEARTLAND WORSHIP PK 4 Rm 207 Kindergarten Rm 201	CLUBHOUSE WORSHIP 1st & 2nd Graders The Clubhouse (303)
11a	WORSHIP SERVICE Worship Center Bands & Singers Chapel En Español			
5p	WORSHIP SERVICE Worship Center Band		HEARTLAND WORSHIP PK 4-Kindergarten Rm 201	CLUBHOUSE WORSHIP 1st & 2nd Graders The Clubhouse (303)
6:30p		LIFE BIBLE STUDIES		<p>Each Life Bible Study is designed to help you grow in your spiritual walk with Jesus Christ. We encourage you to get connected to a small group in our church. We believe these groups help you establish lifelong relationships while building your faith and trust in God. For more information on Life Bible Studies visit us online at HoustonFirst.org or call 713.681.8000.</p>

Baptism

CHILDREN

Email Rae.Edwards@HoustonFirst.org or call the Children's Ministry office to sign up at 713.957.7622.

STUDENTS

Email Linda.Sproule@HoustonFirst.org or call the Student Ministry office at 713.957.7631.

ADULTS

Email Kevin.Spivey@HoustonFirst.org, call 713.957.5865 or visit the Connection Center.

EN ESPAÑOL

Email Douglas.Hernandez@HoustonFirst.org or call the en Español office at 713.957.6772.

LEVELS 1-2

LEVELS 3-6

LEVEL 1

-  Restrooms
-  Elevators
-  Stairs
-  Phone

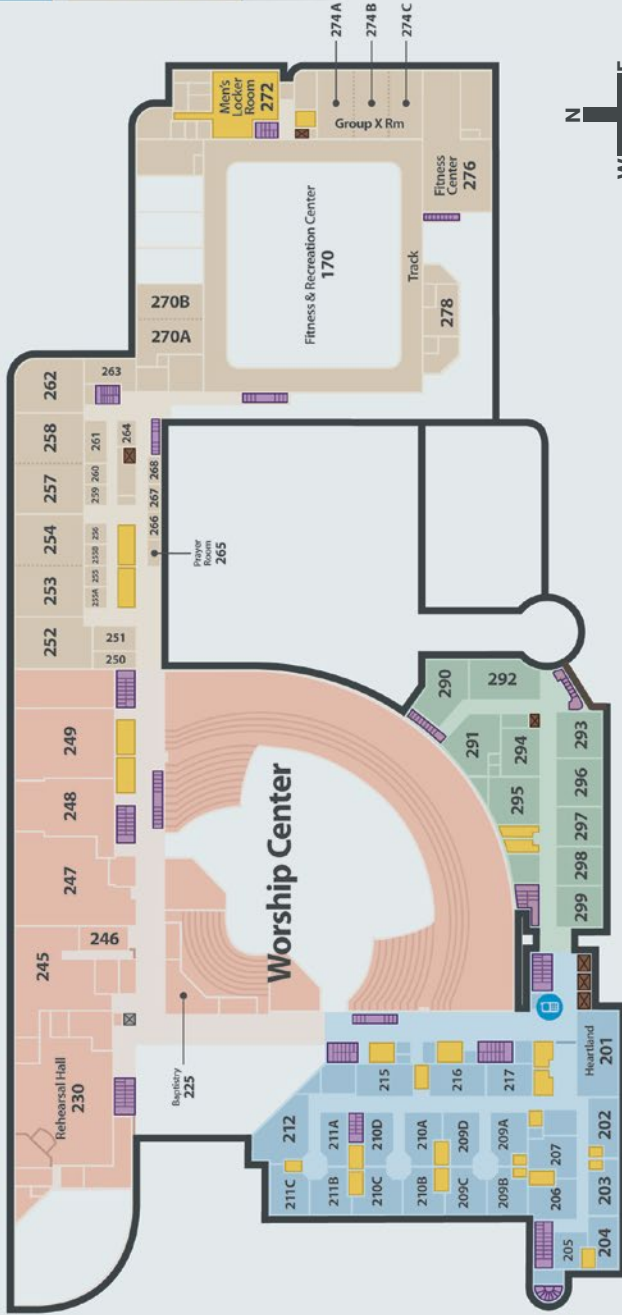


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LEVELS 3-6

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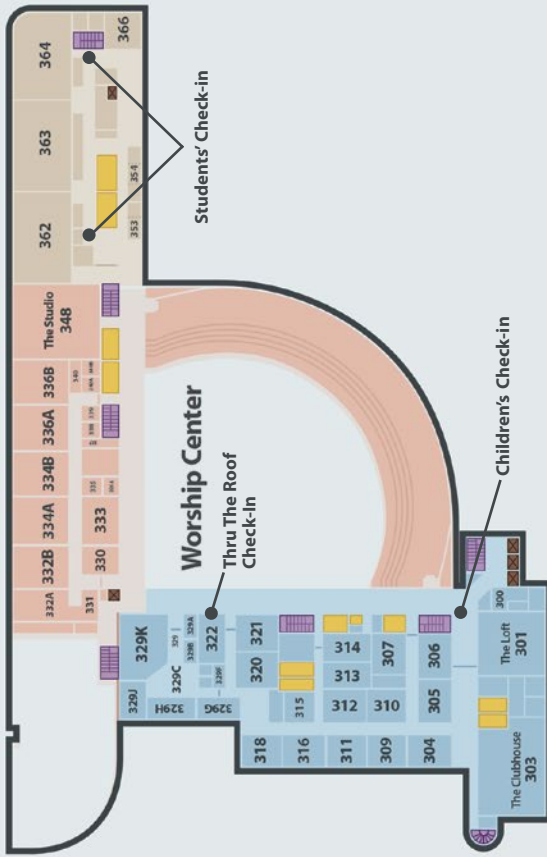
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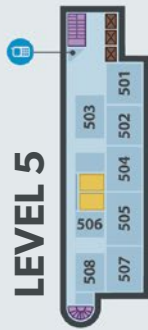
LEVEL 3



LEVEL 4



LEVEL 5



LEVEL 6



meet the GROW TEAM



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Sundays at Houston's First

The Loop Campus

Worship 9:15a • 11a • 5p | en Español 11a
(All offered on campus and online. Visit HoustonFirst.org for details.)

Life Bible Studies 8a • 9:15a • 10:45a • 6:30p
en Español 9:15a

Visit HoustonFirst.org or text **FIRST** to 81411 for Sunday schedules
for our Cypress, Downtown, and Sienna campuses.