



NEW MILESTONES CLASSES ARE STARTING

Milestones is a framework for how Houston's First's programs and ministries can take the Bible's principles of spiritual development and apply them to landmark events in your life. New classes are starting soon this week and next! Go online to learn more and register:

Love & Respect

Every Wed, Mar 21-Apr 18 @ 6-8p

Water Well 101 - Missions

Every Wed, Mar 21-Apr 11 @ 6:30-7:30p

Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts

Every Wed, Mar 21-Apr 18 @ 6:30-8p

Nehemiah Initiative (Men)

Every Wed, Mar 21-May 9 @ 6:30-8p

Visionary Parenting (Single Parents)

Every Wed, Mar 21-May 9 @ 6:30-8p

Your Work Matters to God (Men)

Every Wed, Mar 21-May 9 @ 6:30-8p

Roles of a Man (Men)

Every Wed, Mar 21-May 9 @ 6:30-8p

Sisters In Support

Every Wed, Mar 21-May 9 @ 6-8p

Frazzled Female (Women)

Every Wed, Mar 28-May 2 @ 6-7:30p

Extreme Grandparenting

Every Wed, Mar 28-May 2 @ 6-8p

HoustonFirst.org/Milestones

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LIFE BIBLE STUDIES

Visit the Welcome Center for help finding a Life Bible Study, or visit HoustonFirst.org/BibleStudies. Here are some to consider:

- **Joy** @ 8:20a, Reception Rm, adults ages 70+
- **Chairos** @ 9:30a, Rm 270, single adults with children
- **Covenant** @ 9:30a, Rm 253, adults ages 36-44
- **Living Stones** @ 4:15p, Rm 405, couples married 5-10 years



HIGHPOINT BIBLE STUDY

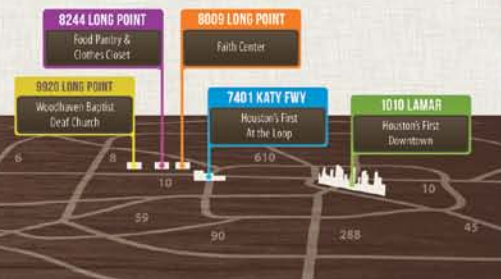
Wed, Mar 21 @ 11:30a – 1010 Lamar (tunnel level)

Executive Pastor David Self speaks at this week's Downtown Bible study at the location of our Downtown Campus. Lunch begins at 11:30a for \$8, and Bible study takes place from 12:10-12:40p.

HoustonFirst.org/Highpoint

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TIMES, LOCATIONS & CONNECTIONS

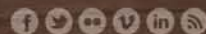


SUNDAYS AT THE LOOP

Worship 9:30a • 11a • 5:30p
 Life Bible Study 8:20a • 9:30a • 10:45a • 4:15p • 6:45p
 Kids' Worship 9:30a • 11a • 5:30p

SUNDAYS DOWNTOWN

Worship 11a
 Life Bible Study 9:30a



FIRST THOUGHT

WITH PASTOR GREGG



MAR 18 2012

In our Journey to The Garden message series, we have finally arrived in the garden as Jesus' journey to the Cross continues. His final week is filled with tender moments and shocking scenes, all leading up to His ultimate sacrifice. Here in the garden, we encounter what may be one of the most difficult passages for a Christ-follower to comprehend: Judas' betrayal. How could he turn on the Son of God after all he had seen and heard firsthand? It's hard to imagine. When we think of all Christ has done in our lives, are we remaining completely loyal to Him? He deserves our full devotion – our heart, mind and soul.

In Him,

Pastor Gregg

COMING

NEW SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

Beginning Apr 15, a new Sunday morning schedule goes into effect At the Loop. The 9:30a service moves to 9:15a and the 8:20a and 9:30a Life Bible Studies move to 8a and 9:15a. The evening schedule At the Loop and the schedule at the Downtown Campus are not impacted. Go online to learn more.

HoustonFirst.org/NewSchedule



CHURCHWIDE

IMPACTED BY CANCER?

Mon, Mar 19 @ 6:45p – Reception Rm

CanHope, ministering to families touched by cancer, will meet for fellowship, prayer, testimonies, and a word from Joe Assad and Mary Katherine & Gary Smith. Entrée provided; please bring a side dish to share.

-  HoustonsFirst.org/CareSupport
-  Linda.Askin@HoustonsFirst.org

SPRING LOADED

Sun, Mar 25 @ 11:30a-3p – FBA Warrior Field

Enjoy a spring day loaded with fun! Have lunch in the gym At the Loop then take the *Spring Loaded Express* shuttle from the Marq*E to the field for egg hunts, inflatables, and more! Admission is free. No parking at the field.

-  HoustonsFirst.org/SpringLoaded
-  Jan.Butterfras@HoustonsFirst.org

AID SUDAN 5K RUN/WALK

Sat, Apr 7 – Bear Creek Park (Pavilion 6)

Raise funds for Aid Sudan's ministry with a Kids' 1K @ 7:45a and a 5K Run/Walk @ 8a. Support schools, medical clinics, and help provide clean water to Sudanese communities. Register online or in the Main Foyer today.

-  HoustonsFirst.org/AidSudan
-  Debbie.Brown@HoustonsFirst.org

MISSION TRIPS

Jun 2012 – Worldwide

Houston's first offers many ways to *give your life away* including mission trips around the world! Sign up now for June mission trips to Granada and Valencia, Spain, Jordan, Cambodia, and Hawaii and share the love of Christ!

-  HoustonsFirst.org/Missions
-  Rochelle.Tucker@HoustonsFirst.org

COLLEGE

COLLEGE STUDENT GATHERING

Wed, Mar 21 @ 8-10p – Chapel

Kardia is a citywide college gathering every other Wed with music, prayer, and fellowship. Bring a friend, make new ones, and enjoy great conversation, plus free coffee and dessert!

-  KardiaHouston.com
-  Nate.Stewart@HoustonsFirst.org

SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES

SATURDAY NIGHT OUT

Sat, Mar 24 @ 5-7p – Clay's Restaurant

Single parent families will gather at Clay's Restaurant (17717 Clay Rd) for a Saturday night of fun including playing in the sandbox, feeding the animals, pony rides, and enjoying dinner together!

-  HoustonsFirst.org/SingleParentFamilies
-  Amber.Willet@HoustonsFirst.org

SENIOR ADULTS

SENIOR ADULT BUS TRIP

Sat, Mar 31 @ 1p – Beaumont, TX

Adults age 50+ will take a day trip to Beaumont for the South Texas Fair & Rodeo. Enjoy a livestock show, rodeo, exhibits, carnival, and live music! Call 713.957.7661 to register. Cost is \$5 for admission.

-  HoustonsFirst.org/Adults60Plus
-  Tracie.Bowman@HoustonsFirst.org

UPCOMING

APR 13 **Parents' Night Out**
6-10p – At the Loop
HoustonsFirst.org/ParentsNightOut

APR 14 **Men: Serve**
Serving the widows of Houston's First
HoustonsFirst.org/Men

APR 22 **Life Bible Study Leadership Lunch**
For current & prospective leaders
11:30a-1:45p – Gym

MAY 20 **Make it Your Church Orientation**
12:30p or 4p
HoustonsFirst.org/NewMember

JUN 07-10 **Camp Intersect**
3rd-6th grades
Carolina Creek Christian Camp

JUN 25-29 **Vacation Bible School**
Kindergarten – 5th grade
9a-12:30p – At the Loop

JUL 16-20 **Summer Week of Choir**
Kindergarten – 5th grade
9a-3p – At the Loop

JUL 21-28 **Rush Week – Ozark Mountains**
7th-12th grades
HoustonsFirst.org/RushWeek

FOUNDATION OF *prayer*

Remember to pray for the thousands of names written on the foundations of the Worship Center and children's building.

IMAGO ART SHOW

AMPLIFY: SEE THE ART OF WORSHIP
MAR 25-APR 8

MEET THE ARTIST RECEPTION
WED, MAR 28 @ 6-8P – MAIN FOYER



BROKEN FOR YOU

THU, APR 5 @ 7P – WORSHIP CENTER
STUART ROTHBERG, SPEAKER
THE LORD'S SUPPER WILL BE OBSERVED



EASTER WORSHIP SERVICES

SUN, APR 8
AT THE LOOP @ 8A, 9:30A, 11A & 5:30P
DOWNTOWN @ 9:30A & 11A
LIFE BIBLE STUDIES WILL NOT GATHER

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