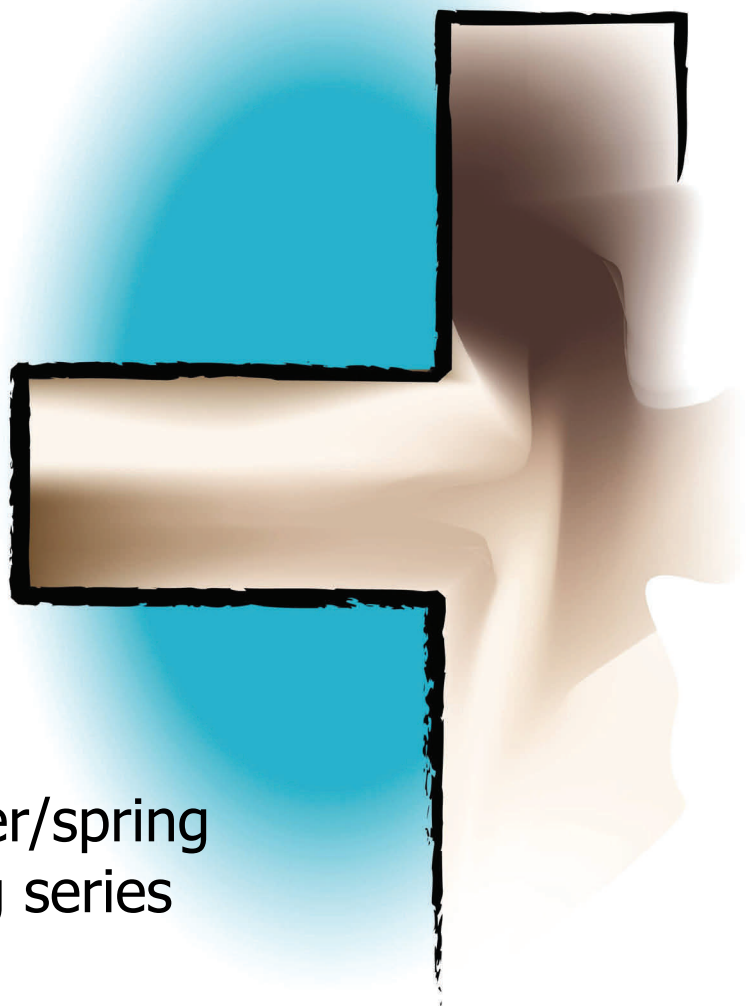




# GRACE FOR THE SEASON



St. Mark's 2012 winter/spring  
Wednesday evening series

**GRACE FOR THE SEASON** is St. Mark's winter/spring Wednesday evening series beginning January 25, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Open to adults and senior high students, each Wednesday, St. Mark's is offering two opportunities for experiencing God's grace through spiritual growth, learning and fellowship. To pre-register for any of these classes, call 561.622.0956 or email churchoffice@stmarkspb.org.

**THE GOSPEL OF LUKE**, our first Wednesday evening series, January 25 through May 9 (no classes February 22, April 4 and April 11) will be led by *the Rev. James B. Cook*. This Bible study will provide interpretation, historical and contextual commentary on the third gospel of the New Testament. No previous 'Bible experience' required. Participants are asked to make a commitment to be regular in attendance. Bring your Bible, any version. If you need a Bible, stop by the church or church office to pick up a complementary one.

How can you cope with stress? Rebound from failure? Defeat depression? Have peace of mind?

**ANSWERS FROM THE BIBLE** can change your outlook and your life. This four week series, Wednesdays, January 25 to February 15, takes us to the Bible for answers to some of life's toughest questions. Step inside the Scriptures with *the Rev. Holly Ostlund* as we draw from the examples of different biblical characters who faced similar issues people of today face. *Answers from the Bible* will offer concise, practical, and easy to understand insights applicable in moving past hardships and experiencing a life of purpose and significance. Commitment to attending each session is essential. A study guide is available for purchase, \$8, at the church office.

**LOVE UNKNOWN**, written by the Carmelite bestselling author, Ruth Burrows, has been commissioned by the Archbishop of Canterbury for reading and study in the Anglican Communion during Lent 2012. Join *the Rev. Dr. Lisa Barrowclough*, Wednesdays, February 29 to March 28, as we explore the author's belief "that many people, even regular churchgoers, miss the true meaning and joy of Christianity."

*Love Unknown* is not difficult to read, but is rich in material for reflection, drawing readers towards an encounter with God revealed in their own life. The book may be purchased, \$10, in the church office.

We've all been hurt by other people, we've hurt ourselves, and we've hurt others. As a result, we all end up with some sort of hurt, hang-up or habit. The question, then, is *Where do we go from here?* Led by *the Rev. Holly Ostlund*,

**LIFE'S HEALING CHOICES** (Wednesdays April 18 through May 23) offers freedom from our hurts, hang-ups, and habits through healing choices that promise true happiness and life transformation. Using the Beatitudes of Jesus as a foundation, this series, explores God's pathway to wholeness, growth, spiritual maturity, happiness, and healing. Real answers, real hope, a real future -- one healing choice at a time. Participants are asked to commit to regular attendance. The book *Life's Healing Choices*, encouraged but not required, is available at the church office, \$8, for purchase.