

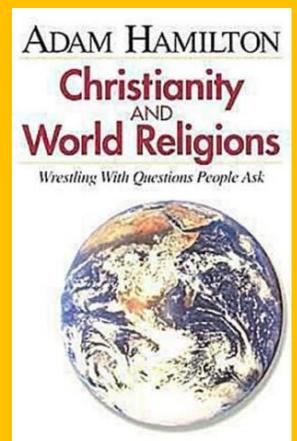
Fall Adult Formation

'Christianity and World Religions'

A course by Adam Hamilton

Wednesday mornings at 11 am beginning on September 21

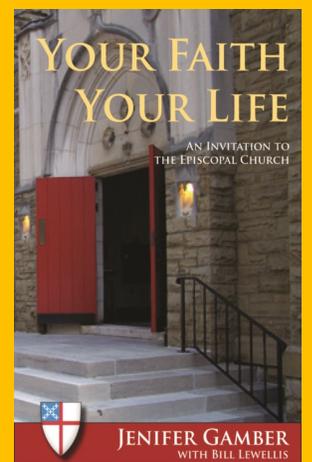
This course, using DVD presentations by Adam Hamilton and others, accompanied by a book, will look at the main faith traditions of Hinduism, Buddhism, Islam and Judaism and compare/contrast them to what Christians believe. We will also spend the latter part of this course looking at some non-mainline Christian traditions such as The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Mormons), Jehovah's Witnesses, Christian Scientists, and other faith expressions. Please sign up if planning to attend so we order enough books, or contact Mother Debbie.



Foundations

Monday evenings at 7 pm in the Parish Hall beginning September 19

This approximately ten-session course, using a book called *'Your Faith, Your Life'* will explore the foundations of what Episcopalians believe, covering topics such as baptism, scripture, sacraments, prayer, and church history as well as other topics. Whether you are new to the Episcopal Church or have been coming for a while and still have questions, this course is for you. It is also a course designed for adults (or those 16 and up) considering being confirmed or received by the Bishop in the Episcopal Church. Please sign up if planning to attend so we order enough books, or contact Mother Debbie.



Youth Confirmation Program

Ninth grade or third year of program

For the past two years, our middle school age youth have been meeting about two Sundays per month covering both the Old and/or New Testament. Five of our youth confirmands are now entering their third year of the program and will start meeting once per month, covering things like the Book of Common Prayer, the sacraments, church history, ethics, etc.

Seventh/eighth grade or first or second year of program

For those in the second year of this three year program, we will continue our scripture study, focusing on the Old Testament this year (last year we studied the New Testament). Those who are entering the seventh grade this school year are welcome to join us; please contact Mother Debbie if interested. Our approximately twice monthly sessions will begin on September 18th; full schedules have been or will be sent out soon.