

# Altamesa's Spring 2012 Journey Groups

Journey Groups are Altamesa's small groups of 15-17 people that meet together each week to grow, learn, have fun, and develop friendships.

Spring 2012 Journey Groups begin in *February* and last through *April*.

To sign up for the group of your choice, just write the Group # of the group on your Connection Card or sign up online at [www.altamesa.org/connect](http://www.altamesa.org/connect).

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## Why join a group?

- **CONNECTING WITH OTHERS**—Your Journey Groups will be a great way to meet people and build healthy relationships that can last a lifetime.
- **GROWING TOGETHER**—Through your Journey Group you can experience real spiritual, emotional, professional, and intellectual growth.
- **IMPACTING MY COMMUNITY**—In your Journey Group you'll have the opportunity to make a positive difference in the community through participating in creative service projects.
- **SERVING OTHERS**—Your Journey Group will be a rewarding place to discover/use your gifts to serve others.
- **PLAYING TOGETHER**—None of us spend enough time playing! Your group will have the opportunity to have

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## Spring 2012 Journey Group Catalog



### General Journey Groups

These groups are open to everyone and are a great way to meet different people while learning more about God's word, how that impacts your life, and having fun together.

### Couples Journey Groups

These groups are open for all married couples—a great way to meet other couples at Altamesa!

### Ministry Groups

These groups are open to everyone and are focused on ministering to people in and outside our church.

### Women's and Men's Journey Groups

These groups are gender specific.

### Parent's Journey Groups

These groups are open to those who have children and are on the journey of parenthood.

### Sports & Recreation Groups

These are interest-based groups that are open to everyone. Like to hunt, fish, camp, etc? Then one of these groups are for you!

### Young Professionals Journey Groups

These groups are open for those who are recently out of college. They are a great way to get connected with other people who are in their 20's.

### Mission Journey Groups

These groups go into the mission field once a semester and meet throughout the semester to touch the lives of those in the mission field.

### Dinner Journey Groups

These groups are open to everyone and are a great way to meet new people. They eat together once a week and focus on building friendships, sharing their journey, and growing in faith.

# SUNDAY

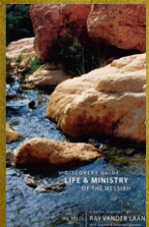
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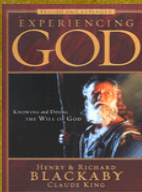
(SUN 01) "Crazy Love" Chan  
*Young Prof.* 6:00pm Altamesa Area [Johnson]  
 The God of the universe is crazy about you! His love is the most powerful thing in the world and He wants to give it to you, so you can live for Him. Join this group and let the love you have received from God impact your life like never before.



(SUN 02) "Chazown/Radical Together" Groeschel  
*Couples* 5:45pm Altamesa Church [Simonten]  
 Do you wake up every day knowing exactly why you were created? This group will discover chazown - Hebrew for "vision" - God's unique plan for your personal fulfillment. Discover your core values, realize your spiritual gifts, and learn to use past experiences to form your future.



(SUN 03) "Life & Ministry of the Messiah" Van der Lan  
*Parents* 6:00pm Altamesa Area [Browning]  
 Pack your bags. We're going on a journey. A quest to uncover Scripture and its meaning across history. You will discover why Jesus turned the world upside down with his compelling call to follow him.



(SUN 04) "Experiencing God" Blackaby  
*General* 6:00pm Carruth Home [Carruth]  
 Join this group as the journey through Experiencing God which shows believers how to know God intimately while encouraging them to step out in faith and join Him in His work with miraculous results.

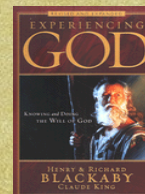
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(SUN 05) "TBD" TBD  
*General* 6:00pm Altamesa [Eden]



(SUN 06) "Radical Together" David Platt  
*General* 5:45pm Altamesa Area [Derrick]  
 In *Radical*, David Platt challenged Christians to take a hard look at their faith and ask whether they were truly following Christ or pursuing a life of comfort and material wealth as dictated by the American dream. *Radical Together* takes the next step and lays out six foundational ideas for faith communities seeking to serve and live a "Radical" lifestyle. This group Platt will help you apply the commands of Christ to your church in new, practical ways.

(SUN 07) "TBD" TBD  
*General* 6:00pm Altamesa Area [Ard]



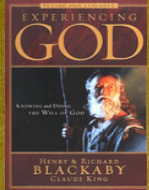
SUN 08) "Experiencing God" Blackaby  
*General* 6:00pm Altamesa Church [McDaniel]  
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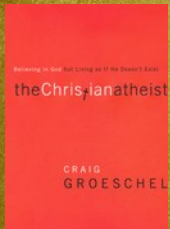
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(SUN 09)	"Experiencing God"	<u>Blackaby</u>
General	6:00pm	Altamesa Area
		[Conard]

Join this group as the journey through Experiencing God which shows believers how to know God intimately while encouraging them to step out in faith and join Him in His work with miraculous results.

(SUN 10)	"TBD"	<u>TBD</u>
General	5:45pm	Winters Home
		[Winters]



(SUN 11)	"Christian Atheist"	<u>Groeschel</u>
Parents	5:45 pm	Altamesa Church
		[Tungate/Pope]

A Christian Atheist is someone who believes in God, but lives like He doesn't exist. Discover a powerful, intimate relationship with God for yourself and you'll never be the same.

## TUESDAYS

(JG #)	"Title of Study"	Author
Type	Time	Location
		[Leader]

(TUES 01)	"Tuesday Lunch"	
Ministry	10:00am	Altamesa Area
		[McDaniel, B]

This group serves the surrounding community through serving lunch in restaurant style. This group cares for not just the hunger needs but spiritual needs as well through prayer and relationship.

(TUES 02)	"Old Testament"	
Men's	7:00am	Braum's—Hulen
		[Bowdre]

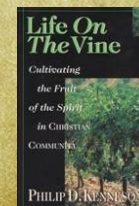
Looking for time in God's word and prayer with other men before work? Join this group as the walk through scripture and pray.

## WEDNESDAYS



(WED 01)	"Philippians"	<u>Chandler</u>
General	6:00pm	Baucum Home
		[Bartee/Baucum]

Ever wonder what a life completely transformed by the Gospel looks like? Join this group as the find their purpose, through one of Paul's most intimate letters, and discover what maturity in Christ truly looks like.



(WED 02)	"Life on the Vine"	<u>Kenneson</u>
General	7:00pm	Altamesa Church
		[Carrizal]

Life on the Vine: In this group we will explore, experience, and cultivate the fruit of the Spirit in our lives that we may shine in our world as followers of Jesus.

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# Journey Group FAQ's

## Journey Groups friendship life change

### **Since Journey Groups are just for adults, what's the plan for my kids?**

There are classes for kids and teens on Sundays starting at 5:45pm and ending at 7:15 at the church building. For more info check out the children's or teens specific link on our website.

### **What if I want more info about several groups before I sign up?**

Put the JG# of each of the groups your interested in on your Connection Card under the "your age group" box or by going online. The leader of each of those groups will contact you to answer any questions you have and sign you up.

### **Can I be involved in more than one group?**

Absolutely!! Being in a group that meets on Sunday or Tuesday as well as a Mission, Ministry or Sport & Rec group is common.

### **Can I just be in a ministry, sport & recreation, or mission Journey Group?**

Yes! We offer different types of groups so that everybody can find a place to make friends and grow in their faith.

Still have questions? Email [markcrowell@altamesa.org](mailto:markcrowell@altamesa.org) or call 817.294.1260