

Current YIBC Sunday Morning Bible Studies

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Nursery:

Our Nursery department is here to offer a clean, quiet, and safe environment for your child. Our rooms are fully staffed to provide for the specific needs of each child. Please contact Sonja Lowe for more details.

Preschool:

Providing years of education experience and training, our teachers aim to help your child develop and meet his/her needs while giving you an opportunity to attend the worship service. Ann Oku and Julie Hoshino teach our 3-5 year olds on Sunday mornings in an environment that encourages their learning about the Bible.

Kindergarten:

Mayumi Usui trains our kindergarten age children in a variety of learning activities as they transition to this age of new discovery.

Grade 1:

Hiroe Ishihara teaches 1st graders the basics of the Bible as they learn through learning activities which are geared specifically toward your young child's interest. She has a love for children and a great desire for them to know God.

Grade 2:

Christy Reed teaches our young school-age children in a relaxed and educational environment. She brings experience and love for children in leading them to learn about Jesus.

Grades 3-4:

Ramona Garnett brings experience and a love for children and the Lord to their teaching of this class. Ever changing weekly activities spark excitement and intrigue in these children and help keep the class interesting.

Grades 5-6:

These years in a young person's life can drastically change their outlook on life and God. Pui Owada knows this and has a great desire to see the Word of God taught. She teaches with experience and has a great heart for children and a love for God.

Youth:

On Sunday mornings, Chris Thomas teaches youth how to apply the knowledge and principles of God's Word to everyday life.

College and Young Adult:

This new class is designed for those who have graduated from High School through college and young career age (18-30). Gary and Laurie Small lead studying God's Word through a discussion format and making application to the needs and concerns that face those in this time of life.

Adult Mixed Class I:

This class is open to anyone of adult age. Hiroya Abe teaches this class. They study the history, meaning and application of Scripture with a broader scope of age in mind. It meets in the main fellowship hall during the Sunday school time.

Young Marrieds Class:

This class is designed for new married couples and families with kids, bringing the Bible closer to home. Age is not a limit. Adrian Zee leads this class in discovery of how to apply biblical principles and teachings in day to day life to marriages and in raising children. It meets in the small fellowship hall.

New Believer's Class:

This class teaches the basics of Christian discipleship and is designed for the new believer, those who desire a refresher course, or people who are seeking answers to their questions concerning Christianity. It is taught by Pastor Terry each Sunday in the library.

Women:

Josephine Kimura teaches a class of women who love to share and pray for each other. The women of YIBC have long helped to hold this church together through the years. Our women's groups offer many different classes in bible study and small group activity.

Women (Taught in Japanese):

Fumiko Usami leads this class which is designed for Japanese ladies who desire a in-depth discipleship study.

Men:

Associate Pastor Ben Howard oversees this discipleship class for men who desire to be godly leaders of their family and in their areas of influence.

ESL:

Sharon Sasaki is a retired American Missionary who has lived in Japan for many years. She leads the ESL (English as a Second Language) class and is fluent in English and Japanese. This class is open to everyone.

Japanese:

This class is open to all Japanese speakers. Kiyokatsu Ohgushi leads the class with a Japanese bible. If you have any questions about Christianity, please stop in at the class. Of course it is OK to participate as a guest!

Tagalog:

Arnold and Noralyn Tiempo are the teachers of our Tagalog Bible Study group. We have a large Filipino community at YIBC and they love to eat! Stop in and join this group as they learn from God's Word and spend time in fellowship....weekly!