



2019-2020

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Contact: Sonja Barnaal

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ACOLYTES

Contact: Cheryl Gibbons

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FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Contact: Jim McChesney

LYFE (LIVE YOUR FAITH EVERYWHERE) GROUPS

Kathryn Johnson

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

Contacts: Mary Mensheha and
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WALK TO EMMAUS

Nancy Sjoquist

Risk Taking Mission & Service

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