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Biblical Womanhood: God's Design (Ladies only)	1	2	1	2	ANY
Standing Firm in an Unbelieving World	1	2	3	4	HIGH SCHOOL
Financing for God	1	2	1	2	HIGH SCHOOL
Introduction to Systematic Theology	1	2	3	4	ANY
Sunday School Teachers: Meet Generation Alpha	1	1	X	X	ANY
How Do I Know How Much Faith I Have, if Any?	1	1	1	1	ANY
Masculinity - Men of God	X	1	1	1	ANY
How Does a Biblical Church Function?	1	2	1	2	ANY
Fast workshop to a World of Ideas	1	1	1	X	ANY
Equipping Leaders for Ministry	X	1	1	X	ANY
Apologetics	1	2	3	4	HIGH SCHOOL

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Discipleship	1	1	X	X	HIGH SCHOOL
Abide in Me: Cultivating Personal Spiritual Disciplines	X	X	1	1	ANY
Demons: What to Know and Do	1	2	1	2	ADVANCED
Dunked: Baptism Class	X	X	1	X	ANY
Eating in Church: The Lord's Supper	X	X	X	1	ANY
Putting Together a Devotion/Lesson	X	X	1	2	ANY
Spiritual Formation	1	2	1	2	ADVANCED
How to Read the Bible/Hermeneutics	1	2	1	2	HIGH SCHOOL
Leading a Small Group in a Hmong Church	X	X	X	1	ANY
The Problem of the Voluntold Church	X	1	X	X	ANY
I'm a New Youth - What Should I Expect Now?	1	X	1	X	MIDDLE SCHOOL
Friendship that Blossom vs. Friendship that Withers	1	2	1	2	MIDDLE SCHOOL



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Biblical Womanhood: God's Design (Ladies only)

N. XH Richard Vang

We live in an age characterized by error and confusion on sexuality, gender identity, and feminist ideologies. The Holy Scriptures provide the true and biblical defense of the necessity of male and female distinctions which are determined biologically in the womb and at birth. As Christ followers, we believe the Holy Scriptures are inspired by God's revelation of Himself to man, therefore, it is trustworthy and is all we need for life and godliness. We will take a systematic view beginning in Genesis 1-3 and study the characteristics of what God defines as a biblical woman. We will see the beautiful order and divine design intended in His purposes and His Glory.



Standing Firm in an Unbelieving World

XH Richard Vang

It's been well said that the Christian faith has been on a collision course with the culture around us. What do we do when the Bible comes into direct conflict with deep-rooted cultural values? It is true that the values of this world differ greatly from the values of our faith, but the Bible teaches that we hold firm the message of truth; revealed to us through His Holy Word. Jesus proclaims, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the father except through me" (John 14:6). Many are giving in to the wisdom of this world and compromising their Christian foundation for a watered-down gospel. Scripture reminds that pursuing friendship with the world puts us at odds with God (James 4:4). How do we stand firm? What can we stand firmly upon? How can we navigate from allowing unbiblical beliefs from distorting our own thinking, taking us further off the narrow path? Church, we must stand firm. Thankfully, God's Word has not been silent on the matter.



Friendships that Blossom vs Friendship that Withers

XH and N XH Tar Yeng Lee

What comes to your mind when you think of the word "Wither"? What about "Blossom"? Have there been times when you felt like this in a friendship? What was that like? As adolescents, it is imperative to develop and cultivate meaningful friendships that will help you blossom and flourish in your faith.



Introduction to Systematic Theology

Kayla Maysong Vue

Many Christians cannot communicate their beliefs to others and even struggle to understand what they believe themselves - This is where learning systematic theology is helpful.

Systematic Theology is the organized categorical study of God, His Word, and the world. In this workshop, you will systematically learn the major categories in the Bible that help inform our everyday lives. Expect to cover topics like Christology (Christ), hamartiology (sin), angelology (angels/Satan), ecclesiology (the church), eschatology (the end times), and more! You will learn the basic tenets of the Christian faith drawn from Scripture, engage with Church History, and learn how to apply these truths to your context as 21st-century Gen-Z.



Sunday School Teachers: Meet Generation Alpha

N. XH Chris Heng

If you minister to kids at church, join Mrs. Heng's class to learn how to reach, support and work with Generation Alpha. We'll be talking about the challenges that kids face today. We'll also discuss the foundational biblical stories that kids need to know and how you can help them apply the Bible to their lives.



How Do I Know How Much Faith I Have, if Any?

N. XH Vameng Pha

"Audacious Faith": We use the word "faith" so frequently in our Christian conversations that it becomes a watered-down word like the word "love". But what is a real Christian faith supposed to look like, and how much faith do I need in a Christian life? Is faith just believing, or is there more to it? Dare to walk in the audacious faith that Jesus is requesting of you today so you can move mountains?



Masculinity - Men of God

Hailouleng Lo

What is Masculinity? How does the world view Masculinity? How does scripture define and share examples of Masculinity? This workshop will go over the stigmas of the worldly perspective of Masculinity as well as how scripture wants all Men of God to aspire to. What is a Man? This is what God says...

Being a Man you should be able to provide, protect and lead (Genesis 2).

Six Virtues that Men of God should Pursue: Righteousness, Godliness, Faith, Love, Steadfastness, and Gentleness (1 Timothy 6).

Let's have a dialogue and discussion on how the world may define these attributes. After the discussion, we can dig deeper into scripture on how it is defined and share examples.



How Does a Biblical Church Function?

XH Tshiaj Pov Lis

The Bible says that the church is the body of Christ. What does that mean and what does it look like? Jesus said that "...on this rock, I will build My church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it." So how is the church that is built on Jesus as the foundation, going to look like and operate? In this workshop, you will find out from the Bible on principles to how a biblical church is to function properly. See how your own church compares and how it can improve. Let us share with one another!



Fast workshop to a World of Ideas

Mark Erikson

Six dominant worldviews influence the hearts and minds of young adults today. In this workshop, we explore how we are affected by five false worldviews, then compare those false worldviews to the Christian worldview. We also learn how to defend the Christian worldview by observing what the Apostle Paul did in Acts 17.16-17.



Discipleship

N. XH Joe Young

So I'm a Christian. Now what? Matthew 28:19-20 says, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." If you are a newly baptized Christian, discipleship is for you. If you are a Christian looking to grow in your faith, discipleship is for you. If you are a Christian looking for what to do next, discipleship is for you. All Christians are commissioned to "go and make disciples," but what does that mean and what does it look like? Let's explore what discipleship is, where to find it in our churches, and learn how to make disciples.

Abide in Me: Cultivating Personal Spiritual Disciplines

All kinds of relationships require some kind of effort to stay closely connected, including our relationship with Jesus. Jesus tells us in John 15:9 to "abide in My love," but more often than not, it's easier said than done. We know we need to spend time with God, but different things can make us feel stuck: life's distractions, other priorities, "not having enough time," or simply just not knowing how. For those who are just beginning their journey with Jesus to those who have been walking with Him for a while; for those who want to get to know Him for the first time to those who feel like they're just going through the motions: come to be encouraged and equipped to maintain your relationship with Jesus even after the week is done.



Demons: What to Know and Do

XH Roman Khoua Lee

Do you get paranormal activities? Why are these things happening? Let's learn more about demons, why they cause so much havoc around us, and what we can do about this.



Financing for God

Amerika Vang

With this workshop, we want to go over the healthy decisions to be good and faithful stewards of financing. Not only will we go over some pivotal moments in scripture that define and explain the importance of tithing. We also believe personal financing is an important and unfortunately missed conversation for transitioning youth into adulthood. (Matthew 6:19-21, Luke 12: 13-15, Luke 3:11)



Dunked: Baptism Class

XH Chris Heng

What does water have to do with my Christian faith? What does baptism mean? If you have not been baptized (or want a refresher) come learn about why the act of going under the water is so important. As Baptists, we believe this is a requirement as Jesus instructed us to be discipled and baptized. You must take this class to be baptized at Standing Stones Camp.

Eating in Church: The Lord's Supper

Does your church practice the Lord's Supper when the bread and the juice is passed around? Where did it come from and what does it mean? Should you take the Lord's Supper? We'll discover what Baptists believe about this important practice and how it differs from other Christian denominations.



Putting Together a Devotion/Lesson

XH Xai Lor

I often hear, "that's not my gifting or I am not good at it", when it comes to teaching scripture. However, I am a big believer when it comes to understanding that all and I mean ALL Christians are called to teach scripture at some level. Did Jesus not charge us all with the Great Commission? Calling all Christians to go and not only baptize but to "teach" all that He had commanded His disciples (Matt 28:19-20). This workshop will be an opportunity for those who want to learn how to formulate a devotion or a lesson to teach from scripture. With just four sessions we will be challenged to be hands-on with our learning to put together a devotion or lesson to teach in our class on the fourth session. If you are eager to learn and want to be hands-on then I encourage you to take up this challenge and grow.



Equipping Leaders for Ministry

XH Chris Vang

This class aspires to provide leaders with a fresh perspective on how to run an effective ministry. We will identify a series of challenges that ministry leaders encounter and work towards being more creative and engaging with our resources. My hope is that you will learn ways to generate a healthy and sustainable workflow that can be utilized for your own ministry.



Spiritual Formation

XH Chim Lee

Been in ministry for a while now or are you just starting to think about serving? Come to this workshop! This workshop is designed for ministry leaders and or those in the process of making disciples of Jesus (youth officers, youth workers, pastors, chaperones, etc.) to help them be able to practice and teach spiritual disciplines for life-long spiritual growth and health. This workshop hopes to help them demonstrate and understand the process of Christian spiritual formation in its individual and corporate aspects, create a specific and personal plan for continuing spiritual growth, and lead out in the multiplication of spiritual formation within the local church, specifically in the area of youth and young adults.



How to Read the Bible/Hermeneutics

XH Mone Vue

The Bible is God's word that was written for us. It is important for believers to know what it says, but many times we wish we could understand what the Bible is saying. The goal of this workshop is to give tools and tips of how to. This workshop is going to focus on how to read and study the Bible.



Apologetics

XH Sean Yang

The Bible is clear when it calls Christians to have a bold, unwavering commitment to Jesus Christ. Apologetics in its most basic sense, refers to systematic argumentative discourse. Breaking that definition down further, it means to defend the faith and teaching of Jesus Christ. Due to a lack of Christians being unable to defend their own faiths, there has been a push for all believers of Jesus Christ to start learning and developing spiritual knowledge that is deeper than the surface level base in which many Christians are currently in.

This workshop is not specifically meant for individuals to go out and become argumentative to others, but it's a course built to help Christians both new and seasoned to build up their own defenses and biblical truths against Satan and society's worldviews. This workshop will cover topics such as: How do we know the Bible is true? How do we know Christianity is the true religion? Why is Jesus the Way? Jesus' Resurrection and its importance?

We will also be learning about false doctrines and teachings, for individuals to know the difference between God's truths and worldly ideology. The learning of other religions will also be taught for individuals to strengthen themselves in true Southern Baptist doctrine.



Leading a Small Group in a Among Church

XH Ben McGowan

Many say that there is a severe lack of leadership in our churches today. I believe it is always the case that "the harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few," however I do not believe that leaders are all that rare. Often, Christians (youth and young adult especially) notice a need for Bible study or prayer groups in their Church, but also feel like they do not know how to lead or have what it takes to lead. This class is designed for those who desire to take the role of leading a small group of some kind at their Church. We will discuss specific Spiritual Disciplines that Christians leaders must practice developing maturity of faith. We will also discuss practical methods of leading small groups of all kinds. My hope is that you will realize that being a small group leader is not as hard as you think, but that it does require some degree of desire and effort.

The Problem of the Voluntold Church

The reality of few workers in a plentiful harvest causes Church elders and leaders much anxiety, especially when there seem to be many potential workers sitting in the congregation. There are two typical responses to this situation: 1.) persuade potential workers of the deep value of serving the Church and allow them to voluntarily choose to do so, or, 2.) forego persuasion and simply volun-tell (ie: somehow coercively force) potential workers to serve. Option #1 carries the risk of potential workers still saying no, and the harvest going unharvested. However, while option #2 does seem to guarantee more worker involvement, at least in the short term, coercion eventually leads to ritualism, resentment, and quick burn-out. This workshop will compare Voluntary and Voluntold Church service and will question why so few people actually - and voluntarily - take up the responsibility of serving. Why aren't people readily volunteering to serve the Church, and why is it so common that people must be volun-told in order to fill the needs of the Church?

I'm a New Youth - What Should I expect Now?

So, you've just reached that age when your church moves you up into the Youth Group; you're a Youth now. You're the young kid in a group of teenagers and young adults in their 20's. The new can be frightening, but in this Workshop, we will share and discuss what it is like to be new and how to participate in your Youth Group. Middle school youth are encouraged to share their questions and maybe even their uncertainties; older youth and young adults are also welcome, but you should expect to share your experiences and wisdom with some younger brothers and sisters. My hope is that you will leave this Workshop a little more confident about your place in your Youth Group.