



## **Lifebuilder Sign-Ups Begin**

### **Cliff's Notes**

*by Cliff Jenkins*

This month Lifebuilder Groups step to center stage. We have been working hard this summer planning, formulating, and creating to make this Lifebuilder semester the most effective in recent memory. As you know by now, we will all be studying our way through the book of Romans. At the same time, I will be preaching through Romans on Sunday mornings. Our groups take on a little different look this year with some new groups and facilitators added and some long time groups stepping aside. You may sign-up for your new group on Sundays and we need everyone signing up at the information table in the back of the auditorium. Here's the current list of groups and locations.

<u>DAY</u>	<u>LEADER</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Tuesday	Ryan Spears	2996 Harrier Way Springdale	Romans	6:30 PM
Tuesday	Joe Layman	RAC Conference Room 1003 Century Street Springdale	Romans	1:00 PM
Wednesday	Josh Landreth	1569 Coventry Cove Springdale	Romans	6:30 PM
Wednesday	Allan Mussler	Fun City Springdale	Romans	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Mike Pocius	1124 Concord Lowell	Romans	7:00 PM
Thursday	Les Garrett	2905 Colton Drive Springdale	Romans	6:30 PM
Sunday	Melody Jenkins Shane Harris	1868 Carley Road Springdale	Romans (College & Career)	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Carole Plemmons	2790 Par Court Fayetteville	Romans (Women Only)	6:00 PM
Thursday	Carole Plemmons	Pontiac Coffee House 515 S. Thompson Springdale	Romans (Women Only)	11:30 AM
Friday	Melissa Church	1268 Thiesse Lane Elm Springs	Romans (Women Only)	9:00 AM
Saturday (1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday Monthly)	Karen Frazier	4108 Quapaw Springdale	Romans (Women Only)	9:00 AM
Saturday (1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday Monthly)	Judy Fleming	2996 Harrier Way Springdale	Proverbs 31 (Women Only)	9:00 AM
Thursday	Shannon White Eddie Landreth	RAC Conference Room 1003 Century Street Springdale	Financial Peace (Cost-\$100.)	6:15 PM

# ***Eleven Truths about Lifestyle Worship***

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by Lewis Clark

Truth # 11:

Worship isn't merely something we do for sixty minutes in church on Sunday mornings. Worship is something we are. Worship isn't an activity. It is a lifestyle!

Worship isn't about singing or praying. Or reading the Bible. Or doing some other "religious" act. Worship is about life. And vice versa. When we finally understand that we have been created through God and for God (Colossians 1:16), when we truly grasp that God wants to receive glory in everything we do (1 Corinthians 10:31), then it begins to dawn on us that every place on earth can be a sanctuary and every act in life a sacrifice of praise. Name any responsibility, list every imaginable hobby, and that activity-no matter how mundane it may seem-can become a high and holy act. Even work. Even scrubbing the bathroom and walking the dog.

This goes against the way I learned about worship when I was younger. But I have grown to understand that we cannot divide what is real and what we bring on Sunday morning. We've got to LIVE what we SING! Now that can be revolutionary if you are listening to the words of our songs on Sunday morning!

So the question that lies out there every Sunday morning is, "Where is your heart?" Did you leave "real life" at home and are only "playing" church? At New Hope we don't want to play church. We want to be a church. We want to live a church. It's real, it's authentic, it's a lifestyle and it's the reason the outside world will truly see and believe the God we worship!

*"Worship in spirit and truth involves the total human being-spirit, mind, emotions, and body."*

*Jack Hayford*



Financial Peace University is a 13-week, biblically-based, video curriculum taught by financial expert Dave Ramsey that will teach you how to save money, live on a budget, communicate about money, eliminate debt, find bargains, and experience the joy of giving. You'll be empowered with the practical skills and confidence needed to achieve your financial goals and experience true financial peace!

A free preview is scheduled for August 20 at 6:15 PM at the RAC. The classes start on August 27 at 6:15 PM at the RAC (with childcare provided). For more info call Shannon White at 479-582-4845. Each class will begin at 6:15 PM and will be approximately two hours in length. Classes will conclude the week before Thanksgiving.

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## ***Important Events***

### ⇒ ***Terrific Thursday***

Children 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to a swimming party, August 6 at 11:00 AM-2:00 PM. Bring your towel and come to the Earp's, 149 Ireland Street, Springdale. Call 750-4673 for directions. Lunch provided.

### ⇒ ***Lifebuilder Leader Meeting***

Monday, August 10 at 6:30 PM, Lifebuilder Leader Meeting in the RAC Conference Room.

### ⇒ ***Happy Anniversary***

New Hope Fellowship celebrates 14 years on August 13.

### ⇒ ***Congratulations***

Cliff, Josh and Ann all celebrate 14 years of service at New Hope this month. Be sure to let them know how much you appreciate them.

### ⇒ ***Promotion Sunday***

August 16 is Promotion Day for our Preschool, Children, and Youth Ministries.

### ⇒ ***B.A.S.E. 101***

Sunday, August 16, we will offer B.A.S.E. 101 at the RAC from 3:30 PM-5:30 PM. This class is designed to tell you everything about our church, our beliefs and our priorities. Each participant receives a binder that serves as a church handbook. Completion of this class is required for church membership. Please sign up at the information table on Sunday morning or online at [www.newhopefellowship.com](http://www.newhopefellowship.com).

### ⇒ ***Biker Meeting***

August 16, 6:30 PM at the RAC, all bikers and anyone interested are invited to come to a planning meeting for Biker Sunday.

### ⇒ ***Free Preview***

Those interested in the Dave Ramsey Financial Peace Class are invited to come to the RAC August 20 at 6:15 PM for a free preview. Shannon White and Eddie Landreth are the leaders for this class. Financial Peace classes begin Thursday, August 27.

### ⇒ ***Women of Hope Luncheon***

Sunday, August 23, all Women of Hope are invited to lunch at the RAC, 1003 Century. This Women of Hope event is designed to introduce the plans for the year ahead.

### ⇒ ***B.A.S.E. 301***

If you have completed B.A.S.E. 101 and 201, then you are ready to advance to the next step. B.A.S.E. 301 will be offered August 23 at the RAC, 3:30 PM-5:30 PM. This class is taught by Josh Jenkins. Please sign up at the information table on Sunday morning or online at [www.newhopefellowship.com](http://www.newhopefellowship.com).