



RENEW

2008

Church of the Nativity
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Treasures Uncovered The Parables of Jesus

Make this the year you try Nativity's short-term faith-sharing program. Join a group of eight to ten fellow parishioners for six weeks during Lent. Sessions last about 1½ hours in private homes or other locations of your choice. This year's program is a scripture guide that will help you explore the surprising and often challenging dimensions of six of Jesus' parables. Each chapter includes the full scripture text of the parable, a short commentary and questions that will help you to reflect on its meaning for your own life today. The *In the Spotlight* sections supplement the commentary with fascinating historical details, explanations of the Greek root words used in the original Gospels, and quotations from church fathers, saints, and contemporary Catholic writers.

RENEW offers an opportunity to develop a deeper relationship with God through interaction within a small Christian community. The RENEW committee will assemble groups based on daytime/evening and day-of-week preferences or . . . if you are an active member in a ministry here at Nativity, you may want to consider forming your own RENEW group with other members of that ministry.

Kindly complete and return the form by **Wednesday, January 23, 2008** to the Church or the Rectory. You may put your form in the collection basket or in the box marked RENEW. You will receive a call confirming the details of your group the week of January 28, 2008.

If you have any questions or would like to register by phone, you may call the RENEW Ministry Leaders:
Rhonda Salge - 201.447.5996
Helen Demers - 201.447.4440

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NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Please indicate your 1st and 2nd choices for meeting days, times and type of group. We will try our best to accommodate your requests.

▶ Monday___ Tuesday___ Wednesday___ Thursday___ Friday___ Saturday___ Sunday___

▶ Morning___ Afternoon___ Evening___

▶ Mixed Adult Group___ Couples Group___ Forming Ministry Group___

___ Yes! I would like to host the meetings in my home

___ Yes! I would consider being a discussion leader

Comments _____