

# Lent 2014: LIVES SHAPED BY JESUS



*"The good news as Jesus preached it is not about the minimal entrance requirements for getting into heaven when you die. It is about the glorious redemption of human life—your life."*

- John Ortberg, The Life You've Always Wanted

Do you long to live a well-balanced life? Are you open to exploring the spiritual disciplines taught by Jesus?

If so, please join us at Pilgrim on Wednesdays and Sundays during a Lenten time of renewal.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 5th, with worship and imposition of ashes 10:10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

*"Spiritual transformation is not a matter of trying harder, but of training wisely."*

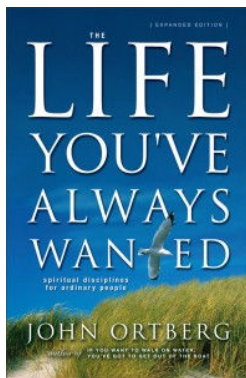
**Wednesday Mornings**  
from 10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.  
(after chapel in the Parlor)

**Wednesday Evenings**  
from 6:15 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Free Soup supper included!

**Sunday Mornings** 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Come as you are, no experience or prior reading is necessary. Our core texts for these sessions will be the Bible and the book, The Life You've Always Wanted by John Ortberg, available via ebook or regular formats. You are invited to pick up a copy in advance, or... just come!

*"Love and hurry are fundamentally incompatible. Love always takes time, and time is the one thing hurried people don't have."*



## Weekly Themes:

WEEK 1: March 3-9th  
**LIFE BEYOND REGRET:**  
**The practice of confession**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 1, 8  
Bible: Psalm 32

WEEK 2– March 10-16  
**BORN OF THE SPIRIT:**  
**The Practice of Sacred Change**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 2,3  
Bible: Psalm 121

WEEK 3– March 17-23  
**AN UNHURRIED LIFE:**  
**The Practice of Slowing**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 4, 5  
Bible: Psalm 95

WEEK 4: March 24-30  
**THE GUIDED LIFE:**  
**Prayer and Scripture Study**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 6,9  
Bible: Psalm 13

WEEK 5: March 31- April 6  
**THE OUT DIMENSION:**  
**The Practice of Servanthood**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 7,10  
Bible: Isaiah 58:8-14

SESSION 6: April 7-13  
**UNSTOPPABLE LOVE:**  
**The Passion of Jesus**  
Readings:  
Ortberg Book chapters 11,12,13  
Bible: Psalm 31

*"True repentance never leads to despair. It leads home. It leads to grace."*

Lent is a time of movement towards God. Embrace this opportunity to be renewed by the life of Jesus!

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