

Thank you for taking the time to look at our 2008 Support Groups! We are excited to offer these very important groups and hope that they will be a blessing to many people in our community. Our support groups are designed to minister to the needs of the church and the community, develop a sense of belonging, and provide support, encouragement, practical advice and connection with others in similar life circumstances. In short, we want to be a church where everybody is somebody and nobody is alone.

We feel very strongly that God intended that we walk through life with the support of others, rather than in isolation. It is our hope and prayer that you would take a look at these groups and prayerfully consider plugging in to one of them. If you have a friend who would benefit from attending, please extend an invitation to them! We feel that each person will leave excited about God's plans for his future, enriched with a sense of freedom and friendship, and equipped with solid Biblical principles to stand on. If you have any questions about these groups, please contact us at the church office at 425.339.3303, ext. 108.

God bless you!

Jeff Duchemin - Senior Associate Pastor
Bryan Mueller - Director of Support Groups

The logo features the text "2008 BCA Support Groups" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The word "2008" is smaller and positioned above "BCA". "Support" is in a slightly smaller font than "Groups". To the left of the text is a stylized graphic of a flower or starburst with five petals, rendered in shades of orange and red. The entire logo is set against a bright yellow background with a subtle circular glow effect.

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Single Moms

If you are a single mom, come join other moms for a wonderful time of support, encouragement, Bible study, and prayer in a warm and inviting environment. Raising kids is not easy, especially if you are doing it as a single mom. During this 6 week group you will be encouraged as you connect with other moms facing some of the same challenges you are. As you study the Bible and other resources, you will gain helpful insights and hope as you journey forward. This will also be a great time of making friends and having fun together! Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity!

Dates: Wednesdays at 7 PM, March 26-April 30

Leader: Sherrie Brown

Contact Info: seattlestyle@juno.com

Location: BCA Family Room

Childcare: Available

Financial Freedom

Many people are experiencing financial challenges. They are facing growing debt, bills that can't be paid, no savings, inadequate income, and no plans for their financial future. Surveys reveal that more than half of all divorces are a result of financial tension in the home. Fortunately, the Bible has the answers to these financial difficulties. Financial matters are addressed throughout scripture for both spiritual and practical reasons. Join us for this 4 week group and learn tried and true "financial freedom" principles like debt, work, honesty, saving and investing. After the 4 weeks, there will be a personal financial coach who will be available to assist you. These Coaches are approved thru BCA and will be available to personalize the information and get you on the path to financial freedom.

Dates: Wednesdays at 7 PM, May 28 - June 18

Leader: Bruce French

Contact Info: brucef@bca-online.com

Location: BCA Hospitality Room

Childcare: Available

Addictions

We invite you to join "Addictions" if you are dealing with any type of addiction in your life. There are many addictions such as smoking, alcohol, gambling, pornography, and food that can consume our lives and steal the freedom and joy that God plans for us. Come learn time-tested principles from the Bible that will help you on your journey towards freedom while breaking away from the addictions that have held you captive. No matter what the nature of your addiction, come join this group to receive support, encouragement, a listening ear, and principles that will help move you beyond your addiction.

Dates: Wednesday at 7 PM, May 7 - June 25

Leader: Dave Marshall

Contact Info: jeffd@bca-online.com

Location: BCA Family Room

Childcare: Available

Grief Recovery

We invite you to join "Grief Recovery" if you are dealing with any type of loss in your life. Those losses may include the death of a loved one, marital separation or divorce, displacement from a job or a home, relocation, diminished functioning related to an illness, having a disabled child, loss of dreams or expectations, or a life change after retirement.

Our support for those experiencing loss:

- Important information about the grief process
- A place to be yourself
- Connection with people
- Help bringing meaning back into your life

Dates: Wednesdays at 7 PM, September 10 - October 15

Leader: Craig Thompson

Contact Info: jeffd@bca-online.com

Location: BCA Family Room

Childcare: Available

Coming Soon!

Divorce Care

DivorceCare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Don't go through separation or divorce alone. DivorceCare is led by people who understand what you are going through and want to help. Groups meet weekly to help you face these challenges and move toward rebuilding your life. Each DivorceCare session has two distinct elements:

1. A Seminar with Experts

During the first 30–40 minutes of the meeting, each DivorceCare group watches a video seminar featuring top experts on divorce and recovery subjects. These videos are produced in an interesting television magazine format featuring expert interviews, real-life case studies and on-location video.

2. Support Group with Focus

After viewing the video, DivorceCare group participants spend time as a support group, discussing what was presented in that week's video seminar and what is going on in the lives of group members.

We look forward to offering DivorceCare in the future. Please keep watching for dates and location soon!