



DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES

at First United Methodist Church of Iowa City offers the opportunity for participants to grow in their faith in God through Jesus Christ in a variety of ways:

- Fellowship with other Christians
- Bible Study
- Spiritual Development Groups
- United Methodist Women (UMW)
- United Methodist Men (UMM)

The opportunities described here take place for all ages, at various times, and in different settings. For more information, please contact Patte Henderson at 338-9514 or pattehenderson@icfirstchurch.org.

Church School

Groups for every age are offered on Sunday mornings for fellowship, study and nurturing. Most Sunday morning groups meet weekly from August through May.

Children

Preschool (ages 3-5): Room 202
Elementary (K-6th Grades): Room 205

Youth

Junior High (7th-8th Grades) Room 8A
Senior High (9th-12th) Room 8B

Adults

Young Adults

Legends: History Class

Explorations in Faith

New Members

Contemporary Issues

Living the Questions

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Meeting as a community to know God, experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ, to develop a creative, supportive fellowship and expand mission projects around the world, all women are invited to participate in a UMW Circle and/or Unit Activity. Please see our web site for activities, times and places.

Contact person:
Sonya Moss,
351-8593.



UNITED METHODIST MEN

Primarily a fellowship group, the UMM meet on the first Saturday of the month at 7:30 for breakfast and program. The UMM are committed to fundraising for local mission and church projects, as well as working with the Boy Scouts to serve both this church and the community.

Contact person:
Steve Marner,
624-2331.



SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Our Small Group Ministry focuses on participants acting as companions to one another on the journey to a more meaningful relationship with God. In a setting of no more than ten people, the groups meet on a weekday at the church or other site.

For a current listing of groups welcoming new members, see the FUMC website or the *First Edition Newsletter*.

To learn about groups for Youth ages 7th through 12th grades, please see the Youth Ministries Brochure.

If you have a particular interest or idea for a new fellowship, study or affinity group, Patte Henderson would be glad to assist you in creating one.

Please contact her at:
319-338-9514 or
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FUMC Website: www.icfirstchurch.org



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AFFINITY GROUPS

Capitalizing on the various interests of FUMC members, Affinity Groups meet on a regular basis to pursue their interests together:

Senior Friendship & Support Group	Sage River (sage-river@icfirstchurch.org or 354-5484)
Bicycling Affinity Group	Jan and Jim Down (jjdownnic@mchsi.com or 354-1820)
Bluegrass	Maynard Smith (maynards@q.com or 337-9901)
Books And Bagels	Betty Mitchell (354-1225) or Nancy Johns (njohns27@mchsi.com)
Doers of the Word	Sue Mullins (339-0984) or Linda Fink (338-2860)
Dorcas Group	Bernie Mulford (337-6680)
Environmental Action	Mark Madsen (mark-madsen@uiowa.edu or 351-6927)
Families with Children	Tricia Ross (jimtrich@q.com or 351-0823)
Films For Fun 'N Faith	Lou Crist (338-5014)
Flames Softball Team	Jane Driscoll (JDRISCOL@aol.com)
Hiking Affinity Group	Bruce Tarwater (bruce-tarwater@uiowa.edu or 325-7595)
Bridge Affinity Group	Danette Frauenholtz (frauenholtz@mchsi.com or 351-2911)

