

What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions where people have an opportunity to **explore life and the Christian faith** in a friendly, open and informal environment.

How does Alpha work?

Each session includes food, a short talk, and discussion in small groups.

All questions are welcome.

Give Alpha a "test run" by attending the **Come & See Dinner on Tuesday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m.** (registration form below). If you like it, come back next week!

How much does Alpha cost?

There is no fee to attend, but please register so we can plan for seating and food.

Who is Alpha for?

Alpha was created for adults (18+) who are not practicing Christians, but are **seeking more from life**. Additionally, Alpha is a **great way for practicing Christians to re-examine—and re-energize—their faith!**

Schedule for the Alpha series:

- Sept. 18: "Is there more to life than this?" (Come & See - Launch Party)
- Sept. 25: "Who is Jesus?"
- Oct. 2: "Why did Jesus die?"
- Oct. 9: "How can we have faith?"
- Oct. 16: "Why and how do I pray?"
- Oct. 23: "Why and how do I read the bible?"
- Oct. 30: "How does God guide us?"
- Nov. 10: Alpha Day Away 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 - Breakfast - Introduction
 - Session 1: "Who is the Holy Spirit?"
 - Session 2: "What does the Holy Spirit do?"
 - Lunch
 - Session 3: "How can I be filled with the Holy Spirit?"
 - Session 4: "How can I make the most of the rest of my life?"
- Nov. 13: "How can I resist evil?"
- Nov. 20: "Does God heal today?"
- Nov. 27: "Why should I tell others?"
- Dec. 3: "What about the Church? Why and how should I tell others?"

Questions?

Contact Deacon Larry Blondin at 810-694-4891 ext. 254 or lblondin@hfgb.org



ALPHA COME & SEE DINNER
Tuesday, September 18 at 6:30 p.m.
Saint Joseph Center
210 Bush Street, Grand Blanc, MI 48439



Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Mail or bring completed form to Holy Family Church, 11804 S. Saginaw St., Grand Blanc, MI 48439.
The form can also be dropped in the collection basket at Mass at Holy Family. Registration also available at hfgb.org.

Alpha runs here.
Come & see on Tuesday, September 18, 2018
Church of the Holy Family



Got questions
about life

Sign up for **ALPHA**.

DATES/TIMES: Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. – September 18 through November 21
plus Saturday, November 10 at 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: St. Joseph Center (Church of the Holy Family)
210 Bush St.
Grand Blanc, MI 48439

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What did participants like about the last session?

"Most positive, informative, and spiritual experience I have ever had. It changed my life."

"My faith has increased, and I have really felt the Holy Spirit working in my life."

"I loved the retreat, and loved the movies and discussion."

"I was apprehensive about Alpha at first; however, the laid-back atmosphere made it really enjoyable."

"The whole experience gave me a better awareness of God's presence in my life."