The Knippas + Mandy Spalding - (North-East Denver)

Time: Twice a month Sunday Evenings, 5:30-7:30pm

Location: North-East Denver, Knippa home

Start Date: September 14

Childcare: None currently, but open for discussion

Group Ethos - This group values creating a space where we all come as we are, friendships grow, and conversations are real. We invite group members to come together approximately every-other Sunday evening to "know and be known" in Christ over dinner. We will use Advent's Sunday sermon as a jumping off point for applying the gospel to our lives.

Contact Information: Sara Knippa (sbaas2003@yahoo.com), Mandy Spalding (mandylspalding@gmail.com)

The Steinbachs - (North - Brighton)
Time: Wednesday Evenings 6-8pm
Location: The Steinbach's House

Dates: Starting 9/17.

Group Ethos: We are a community devoted to enjoying, encouraging, and equipping each other. We meet each week, creating a space for parents + children, married + singles to be known and share our life together in Christ. This group is especially good for folks who live in the North and potentially a bit further from church, as it is a consistent church community closer to home, but we would welcome anyone from elsewhere with open arms! We will be reading Walter Brueggemann's *Sabbath as Resistance* together in the fall.

Childcare: Our group currently has lots of kiddos + we will all share responsibility for making sure they are cared for and safe.

Contact Information: James Steinbach idsteinbach@gmail.com

Jake Schaumloeffel

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30pm Location: Jake's Pad, Applewood Dates: Starting the week of Sept 7th

Group Ethos: We'll be reading through the book of Acts and discussing socratically (I

think?) while also practicing compline (from the BCP) every meeting!

Childcare: Negative

Contact: jakeschaumloeffel@gmail.com

The Kologes - (Lakewood)

Time: Friday Nights (between 6 and 8 times in the fall)

Location: The Kologe's House

Dates: TBD

Group Ethos: Our group will pick six-ish First riday nights to meet for dessert + formation of some kind. We are open but would also be comfortable defaulting to doing another practice together from PtW if it seems good to the group.

Childcare: We'd like to be a hospitable community growing in Christ together! We have lots of young families with young-ish kids who will be in and out of our gatherings and will likely intentionally welcome and engage them, though all ages and stages of life are very welcome! The group will share childcare and may or may not have designated childcare on site.

Contact: Jordan Kologe (<u>Jordan@Adventdenver.com</u>)

The Zavalas + The Buchers - (Lakewood / Barnum)

Time: 5:30pm - 7:45pm

Location: Rotating - The Zavala's/The Bucher's

Dates: Thursday September 25th - then the following Thursdays (10/2; 10/16; 10/30;

11/13; 12/4;

12/11 or 12/18 TBD

Group Ethos: Acts 2:42 "they *devoted* themselves to the apostles teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer..." Devoted means persistence, consistency, and intentionality. We want to be a community where we live out our faith both in an inward and outward focus. We will share a meal together, worship, and pray. We are planning to serve our Lakewood community with local community connection opportunities: visiting elders, volunteering, or trash pick up are all ideas that we can discuss and then implement as a group.

Childcare: We would like our kids to participate and engage with us but will also have childcare available.

Contact: Pablo - pablo.s.zavala@gmail.com - 719-715-9116 or Brigitte -

brigitte.anderson@gmail.com - 626-991-0404

The Kologes Sr. (South)

Time: 2nd + 4th Sunday Evenings 5pm-7:30pm

Location: Rotating southern locations (Parker, Roxborough, Highlands Ranch, Littleton,

email Corinne for details)

Start Date: Already started, but please feel free to jump in!

Childcare: Let us know if this is a need for you!

Group Ethos - This semester we are studying 1st Thessalonians together! **Contact Information: Corinne Kologe (corinne.kologe@gmail.com)**