

THE ALPHA COURSE

When is Alpha?

- ❖ The Alpha course will begin on Sunday, February 28, 2010 and continue weekly through Sunday, May 2, 2010.
- ❖ Each Sunday evening starts at 5:00 PM, ends at 7:00 PM, and includes dinner, a video teaching and small group discussions.
- ❖ This course includes a Saturday retreat on April 24, 2010.

Alpha Registration

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Child Care: _____

Dietary
Restrictions: _____



To Register

Fill out this form and bring or mail to:

St. Luke's Church
565 S. Cleveland Massillon Road
Akron, OH 44333

For more information contact:

Sue Prosperi at the church office
(330) 665-2227, ext. 312

Please sign-up by Sunday, February 21, 2010.

ST. LUKE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH



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A 10-Week Practical Introduction to the Christian Faith.

What Happens at Alpha?

- ❖ Dinner
- ❖ Group Teaching
- ❖ Small Group Discussion
- ❖ Weekend or Saturday Retreat

What Topics/Sessions are Included in Alpha?

- ❖ Who is Jesus?
- ❖ Why did Jesus die?
- ❖ How can I be sure of my faith?
- ❖ Why and how should I read the bible?
- ❖ Why and how should I pray?
- ❖ How does God guide us?
- ❖ Who is the Holy Spirit?
- ❖ What does the Holy Spirit do?
- ❖ How can I be filled with the Holy Spirit?
- ❖ How can I make the most of the rest of my life?
- ❖ How can I resist evil?
- ❖ Why and How should I tell others?
- ❖ Does God heal today?
- ❖ What about the church?

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Who Should Participate in Alpha?

- ❖ You.
- ❖ Your family member, friend, neighbor, or coworker that you have been praying for to have a relationship with Jesus Christ.
- ❖ Anyone wanting to learn the fundamentals and grow in the Christian faith.
- ❖ Anyone wanting to establish relationships with other Christians.

St Luke's Gateway Ministries

St. Luke's is committed to ongoing instruction and teaching in the Christian faith. Alpha is a course in the basics of Christianity and consists of 10 weekly sessions on Sunday evenings and a Saturday retreat. There is no fee for the Alpha course, however donations for food and the retreat are accepted.

Each week begins with a dinner, followed by a video teaching and ends with table discussions. The safe non-threatening approach makes it a great place to bring relatives and friends for exposure to the Gospel.

People attend for a wide variety of reasons. Some want to investigate whether God exists and if there is any point to life; others are concerned about what happens after death. Still others may have attended church on and off all their lives but feel they have never really understood the basics of the Christian faith.

People come from many different backgrounds, holding many different viewpoints – but all come with the same objective: to establish whether Jesus Christ has any real relevance for their lives.