



THURSDAY MORNING SCRIPTURE GROUP

Fall 2016: September 29 – December 8

The Dawn of the Messiah: **The Gospel Stories about the Birth of Jesus**

“For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.”

During the 10-week fall session that will begin September 29, St. Patrick's Thursday Morning Scripture Group, led by parishioner Susan Carlson, will explore in depth the stories of the birth and infancy of Jesus found in the gospels of Matthew and Luke. The Thursday Morning Scripture Group's approach to the Scriptures is to combine study, prayer, reflection and discussion. The group is co-ed and meets from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. in the O'Gara Parish Activity Center.

In addition to the Bible, the Thursday Morning Scripture Group will use a commentary by Edward Sri entitled *The Dawn of the Messiah: The Coming of Christ in Scripture*. The fee for the fall session is \$20 and covers the cost of the commentary. To register or to obtain more information, please contact Susan Carlson at SMcCarlson@aol.com or 847-295-9714. There will be an opportunity to sign up for this Scripture study after all the Masses on the weekend of September 17-18.

Please consider joining the Thursday Morning Scripture Group this fall as we prepare for the Advent and Christmas seasons. No prior Bible study experience is necessary. All are welcome!