## Lutheran English Program Schedule for Spring 2025

A Free Program for Adults whose first language is not American English In-person classes meet at St. Paul Lutheran Church/School, 3407 Red River, Austin, TX. Turn on Luther Lane. Free parking. St. Paul is on the UT Shuttle & CapMetro Bus Lines.

Classes meet one time each week. Online access via *Zoom* is available for some classes. To register or get the Zoom link please email: <u>marcia@ulcaustin.com</u> All times are listed in Central Standard Time (GMT -6.00) <u>www.ulcaustin.com/ism</u>



| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday | Saturday  |
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|        |        | Class #1<br>9:00-10:15 AM<br>ESL Bible:Old<br>Testament<br>Zoom & In-Person<br>Teachers: Richard &<br>Marcia   |   | Class #6<br>6:30 - 7:30 AM<br>ESL Bible: New<br>Testament<br>Zoom Only<br>Teachers: Richard<br>& Marcia         |        |   |
|        |        | Class #2<br>10:45 AM -12 Noon<br>English Con-<br>versation<br>Zoom & In-Person<br>Teachers: Staff  |   | Class #7<br>10:30 AM - 12<br>Noon<br>Idioms & Slang<br>Zoom & In-Person<br>Teacher: Richard                     |        |   |
|        |        | Class #3<br>12:30 - 1:30 PM<br>Pronunciation<br>Zoom & In-Person<br>Teacher:Richard<br><br>Class #4<br>12:30 - 1:30 PM<br>ESL Bible/John<br>Zoom & In-person<br>Teacher: Laura<br>(Class #3 & #4<br>alternate weeks) | Class #5<br>1:00-4:00PM<br>Water Color<br>Painting Group<br>In-Person Only<br>Host: Betty | Class #8<br>12:45 - 1:45 PM<br>ESL Bible: New<br>Testament<br>Zoom & In-Person<br>Teachers: Richard<br>& Marcia |        | Class #10<br>7:00 - 8:00PM<br>ESL Bible<br>Various Topics<br>Zoom Only<br>Teacher:<br>Rev. Al Lange |

## **Class Descriptions\***

## In-person classes meet at St. Paul Lutheran School, 3407 Red River, Austin, TX, 78705. Turn on Luther Lane.

To register and to receive the Zoom Link for online classes, please email Mrs. Marcia Mittwede: Marcia@ulcaustin.com

**Book Club:** Participants choose a book to read and meet online to discuss it together. (Not currently meeting. Date to begin TBD.)

**English Conversation:** Students practice speaking English in a casual setting in a group of 3 - 6 people. Worksheets are provided on topics related to life today.

## ESL Bible Class (offered at various times)

This ancient book has inspired much language in American culture. English Bibles are provided free-of-charge for participants. No Bible knowledge necessary.

**Idioms and Slang** The American language uses many idioms and much slang. This class will help define idioms and slang expressions that are common in every-day life in America today.

**Pronunciation** Students receive instruction and practice in pronouncing words that are difficult for them.

**Water Color Painting:** Students meet together to paint on their own and practice water color painting. This class does not instruct you in how to use water color paints, but there is an experienced Art Teacher who will give you tips on how to make your painting better.

\*To get the most out of classes, students should be able to ask and answer basic questions in English and follow instructions in English. While every level of English-speaking person is welcome to try the classes, a person whose English is not at least at a beginning level, will find it difficult to benefit from the classes.

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