The Christian Life is Ministry
(A Bible Study to Equip You for Life as Part of Christ’s Church)

Reformed University Fellowship has a two-fold purpose: to reach students for Christ and to equip them to serve. This is actually the purpose of Christ’s church, and the only oddity about RUF is its role in the college community. We don’t only reach students by bringing them to faith in Christ but also by joining them with his church for the rest of their lifetime. Regular worship and membership are NOT the whole of the matter; instead, every believer must learn to conduct life as part of the church’s mission. This Bible Study explores the basic convictions drawn from Scripture that enable faith in Christ to become service for the church and the world. By participating in this course, you can lay a foundation for growth during your college years and beyond. The course examines basic passages of Scripture to demonstrate the truth of the following statement:

God is at work through his church with individuals in their communities by use of theology and Scripture in a learning process.

If you want to participate in this study during the Semester, please e-mail your available time from Monday-Friday (am & pm). Depending on student interest and schedules, we may have more than one study.
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Course Overview:
1. Faith in Christ and Ministry in your community: the role of every believer in the kingdom’s expansion.

2. God is working . . . This is a foundational conviction that gives confidence to our work for others.

3. . . . through his church . . . This is God’s purposeful structure for blessing the world to whom he gives promises.

4. . . . with individuals . . . It is crucial that we imitate God’s own careful and specific approach to people.

5. . . . in their communities . . . We are social creatures, and God works within that reality.

6. . . . by use of theology and Scripture . . . The understanding of God’s Word by God’s Word is God’s tool.

7. (Principle one: Scripture. The Role of Christ’s revelation in the Christian life.)

8. (Principle two: justification. The role of Christ’s forgiveness in the Christian life.)

9. (Principle three: sanctification. The role of Christ’s activity in the Christian life.)

10. . . . in a learning process. God is not only patient; instead, he uses a process of teaching/insight/expectation

11. So . . . what do we do individually and cooperatively as believers through whom God promises to work.