

## WHAT ARE CONNECT GROUPS?

CONNECT Groups are people who gather in a small group on a regular basis to share life together. **Groups gather to pray together, study scripture or different topics of faith, share what is going on in their life and how each group member is growing in their faith.**



## HOW DO I FORM A CONNECT GROUP?

Many people like to form groups with neighbors, people they know from seeing around church, for those that share a common interest that's not currently available, or with their table from Alpha, and that's wonderful! All group leaders go through a training to empower group leadership. We'll help you get started and make it easy to get going!



## HOW DO I JOIN A CONNECT GROUP?

We're here to help you find the right group! The first step is to determine what kind of group you're looking for and then from there find one that fits your schedule. Groups meet in homes, on campus, or in places like coffee shops and pubs. You can fill out the information card attached to this brochure or visit [www.popfb.org/connect](http://www.popfb.org/connect), view the various groups and contact the group leaders. We can help you find the perfect group!



## WHY JOIN A CONNECT GROUP?

We are made to be in community... and life can be tough sometimes. God intended that we grow together as a Christian family. While we celebrate Mass as a large group, we need the support of a small community to grow together towards God and a deeper relationship with His son, Jesus and the Holy Spirit!



## WHO OVERSEES CONNECT GROUPS?

Each area of THE WAY has a team of people entrusted with the overall care of a particular offering. The CONNECT Leadership Team, made up of volunteers from the parish, prays for the groups, hosts training, mentors leaders, helps group members when needed, gathers resources and more. Interested in being on the leadership team or want more information? Let us know!