



[blackhawkchurch.org/middleschool](http://blackhawkchurch.org/middleschool)  
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### Home Groups

Home Groups meet on Wednesday nights from 6:45-8:45 pm in local homes (except for the first week of each month). Groups are divided by grade and gender (6th and 7th grade) or geographically (co-ed 8th grade). Within these Home Groups, our goal is to break into groups of 4-5 students per adult leader because we believe spiritual growth happens best in a small group setting.



### First Wednesdays

On the first Wednesday of each month from 6:45-8:45 pm, all Home Groups meet together at Blackhawk for a large group event that corresponds with the current series. Our goal for this time is to experience God together as a community through a variety of activities that may include (but are not limited to) worship, games, eating together and interactive learning.



Our passion as a ministry is helping every student grow in their experience of God and in the process become more like Christ. We believe that becoming more like Christ most naturally happens in relationships with other Jesus followers. Our ministry goal is:

**Every student is in a small community with one adult to every four students. We call these our 4:1 groups.**

To reach our goal, we ask both parents and volunteers to:

- Pray for students by name at least once a week
- Get to know each other (parents, students and their 4:1 leader) outside regular programming at least once a semester  
*Ideas: Dinner, sporting event, concert, service project*
- Engage with God's Word on a regular basis. We will be sending out scripture readings as part of the 'Eat This Book' challenge.

We are excited for the opportunity to partner with you in helping every student follow God.

Jon Anderson, Pastor of Middle School Ministries

### Revolution

The student servant leadership team meets once a month (typically the third Sunday of the month from 6:00-8:00 pm) to help pray for, evaluate and plan the ministry. This team is open for any interested student to apply. Please contact [MS@blackhawkchurch.org](mailto:MS@blackhawkchurch.org) for an application.

## September 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Revolution	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 Kickoff Day Away	19	20	21 Home Groups	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 Home Groups	29	30	

## October 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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2	3	4	5 First Wednesday	6	7	8
9	10	11	12 Home Groups	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 Home Groups	20	21	22
23 Revolution	24	25	26 Parent/Leader Dessert	27	28	29 The WWWW
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 First Wednesdays – 6:45-8:45 pm  
 Revolution – 6:00-8:00 pm  
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 All dates subject to change

### SPECIAL EVENTS

#### - FALL 2011 -

September 18—Home Group Day Away; each Home Group will kick off the new year with an afternoon of team building activities in a separate location; sign up online by Sept 13  
 October 26—Parent/Leader Dessert; all parents and leaders are invited to this dessert night to have fun and get to know each other better  
 October 29-30 – The Who—What—Where—Why; Meet Who, Read What, Find Where, and Discover Why. This overnight event is a time for students to invite friends and connect  
 November 13—Baptism Sunday

#### - SPRING 2012 -

January 15 – Kickoff Day Away for each Home Group  
 January 18 – Home Groups resume  
 February 24-26 – Snow Camp (winter retreat) @ Fort Wilderness  
 April 1—Baptism Sunday

#### - SUMMER 2012 -

**Madison Missions** – A week-long service camp where students serve as the hands & feet of Jesus in the Madison community. Date information will be available in September

Questions? Contact us at 608.828.4200 or [MS@blackhawkchurch.org](mailto:MS@blackhawkchurch.org)  
 Scheduling information always available at [blackhawkchurch.org/middleschool](http://blackhawkchurch.org/middleschool)

## November 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2 First Wednesday	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 Home Groups	10	11	12
13 Baptism	14	15	16 Home Groups	17	18	19
20 Revolution	21	22	23 No Home Groups	24	25	26
27	28	29	30 Home Groups			

## December 2011

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 First Wednesday	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Home Groups	15	16	17
18 Revolution	19	20	21 Home Groups	22	23	24
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### STAFF



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**Fun Fact:** I wanted to grow up to be either a clown or a supreme court justice.

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**Fun Fact:** I have gotten stitches four times—all on my face!



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**Fun Fact:** I like sleeping in and I don't like really hot weather and spiders.

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**Fun Fact:** I could live off ice cream and coffee. I like almost everything!



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**Fun Fact:** I played rugby in college, I climb walls during the summer and I eat gummy bears for breakfast!

