

Saint Thomas Episcopal Church

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Thinking About God

The Basics of Christian Theology

Winter 2010

Purpose: This is a chance to get closer to God by learning about some of the major wonders, arguments, terms, historical points, and thinkers in the world of theology. It will be rigorous but brief, and will hopefully leave you wanting more!

Reading: We will be reading Donald Miller's *Blue Like Jazz*, which is a narrative, contemporary take – in plain, well-written English – of one person's attempts to get his head around some of the modern issues within the world of theology. A small part of each class will be dedicated to discussing the book, **ten copies of which will be available at Book People, 2923 Hamilton Blvd (258-1471), starting Friday, Jan. 8th.**

Meeting Place/Time: Each class will meet from noon-1:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Parish House.

January

17 – God

Read: Miller, pp. ix-58

(24 – No class due to Annual Meeting)

31 – Truth, Controversy, and Heresy

Read: Miller, pp. 59-127

February

7 – Liturgy and Theology

Read: Miller, pp. 129-185

14 – The Current Situation

Read: Miller, pp. 187-240