

the hobbit club

A Cathedral Book and Gift Book Club for Grownups

In this book club for grownups, we will be reading our way through *The Hobbit*, *The Lord of the Rings*, some Joseph Pearce commentary, and possibly a Tolkien biography.

The 3rd Sunday of Every Month - 7 PM
The Masarik Family Home
All club books are for sale at the store

Reading Schedule - The Reading is Listed by Due Date

This schedule attempts to read LOTR in symphony with the liturgical calendar - hitting certain scenes on liturgically appropriate dates. The Joseph Pearce books do contain some spoilers. We hope to read the text for its own beauty but also to see the spiritual truths contained within. Reading the Joseph Pearce commentary in advance of the story should help us to have eyes that see.

JUNE 18, 2018

BILBO'S JOURNEY, BY JOSEPH PEARCE

DECEMBER 16, 2018

DEPARTURE OF BOROMIR - TREEBEARD

JULY 15, 2018

THE HOBBIT, CHAPTERS 1-VI

JANUARY 20, 2019

THE WHITE RIDER - THE PALANTIR

AUGUST 19, 2018

THE HOBBIT, CHAPTERS VII-XIX

FEBRUARY 18, 2019

TAMING OF SMEAGOL - HERBS AND ST. RABBIT

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

FRODO'S JOURNEY, BY JOSEPH PEARCE

MARCH 17, 2019

WINDOW ON WEST - CHOICES OF SAMWISE

OCTOBER 21, 2018

FELLOWSHIP - "BOOK ONE"

APRIL 28, 2019

MINAS TIRITH - MOUNT DOOM

NOVEMBER 18, 2018

FELLOWSHIP - "BOOK TWO"

MAY 19, 2019

FIELD OF CORMALLEN - THE GREY HAVENS