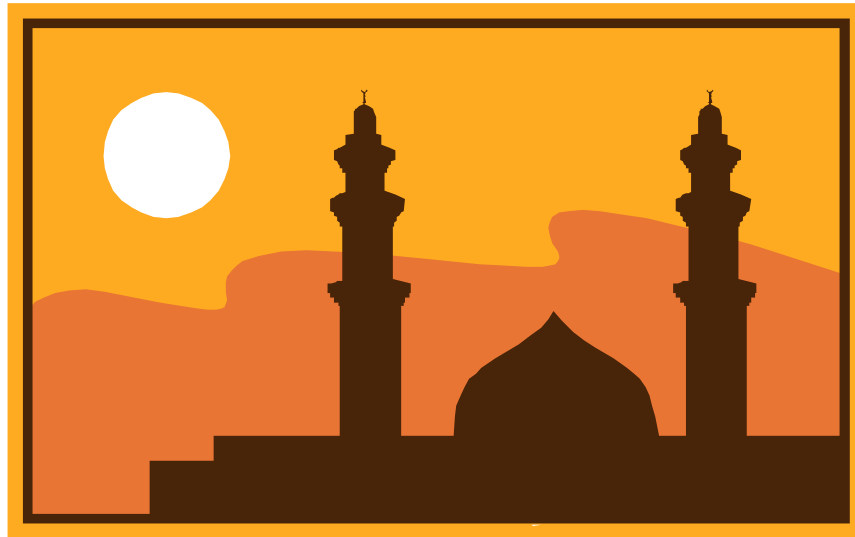


Understanding Islam

Getting Behind the News Headlines

A course presented by Pastor Daren Erisman



What makes Shiite Muslims different from other Muslims? What role does the mother of Jesus play in the Qur'an, the holy book of Islam? What is Wahhabism in Islam and what is its role in Saudi Arabia? Why do some Muslim women wear veils and others do not? What is the connection between Iraq and Afghanistan?

Pastor Daren will lead a seven-week course covering the basics of Islam and helping us to better understand the events in our world today.

**Dates: Sunday mornings, October 5 – November 23
(No class November 2)**

**Times: Same class offered at two times on Sunday:
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.**

Place: Bethlehem Lutheran Church Family Center