

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

September 5, 2021

10:45 am

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

If you have a request, you would like included in our prayer time by our Pastor, please note it on a prayer card and place it in the offering plate.

Prelude Praise Team
Welcome Praise Team

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP

Praise Song It's Always Been You Praise Team
Invocation Pastor Russ
Praise Song Love Like This Praise Team
Scripture Reading 1 Thessalonians 5:16-28 Shirley Odenwald

WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements Pastor Russ
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ
Message Pastor Russ
"A Word Of Conclusion For The Church"

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn "Sweet Hour Of Prayer" #414
The Lord's Supper Pastor Russ
Recessional Praise Team

**Hearing assistance devices are available.
Please see an usher for help.**

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GETTING TO KNOW US

Rev. Russell Stammer
Christine Lovette
JJ Belle & John Roy
Rachel Sink, Harry Sink, Ted Odenwald
Deborah Ugrovics
All Members of This Faith Community

Pastor
Minister of Music
Praise Band
Praise Team
Head Usher
Ministers

TODAY'S USHERS

Deborah Ugrovics

THIS WEEK

Today 10:45 am Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

9/12/2021 9:30 AM Sunday School Begins
Noon Council Meeting

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Kiki Belle 9/10
Eleanor Stammer 9/15
Olivia Trowbridge 9/18

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Rich & Lori Rosenboom 9/18

GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

2020/2021 BIBLE READINGS

Mon Sept 6 Isaiah 19 -20; Mark 1 -2
Tues Sept 7 Isaiah 21 -22; Mark 3 -4
Wed Sept 8 Isaiah 23 -24; Mark 5 -6
Thur Sept 9 Isaiah 25 -26; Mark 7 -8
Fri Sept 10 Isaiah 27 -28; Mark 9 -10
Sat Sept 11 Isaiah 29 -30; Mark 11 -12
Sun Sept 12 Isaiah 31 -32; Mark 13 -14

SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is **Romans 5:8**
But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

BIBLE TRIVIA

Today's question is: According to the Book of Proverbs, what is "bound in the heart of a child"?

Last week's question and answer: In his Sermon on the Mount, what does Jesus say about tomorrow? **Take no thought for it (Matt 6:34)**

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE

When we work for a bigger purpose, we find an endless supply of happiness at work.—Jon Gordon, author and motivational speaker

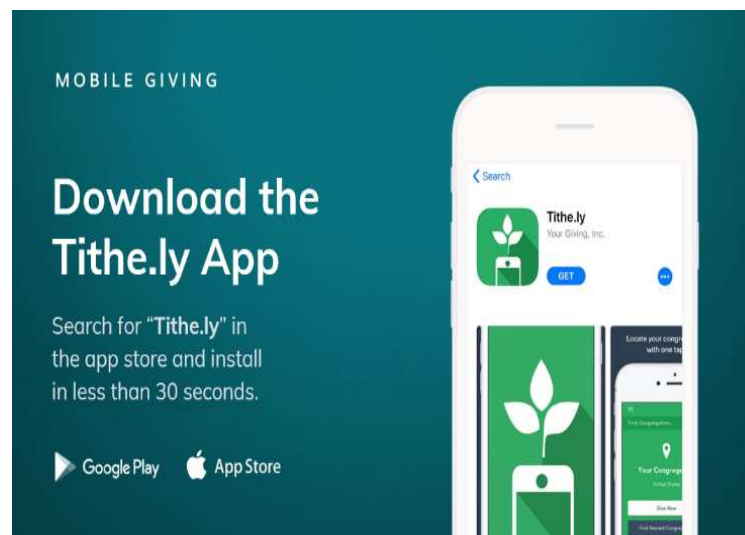
RVBC SUNDAY SCHOOL

We expect to resume Sunday School classes on Sunday, 9/12/21. We will follow the state guidelines for school children which at this time requires children to wear masks in class.

CLASS TIME TEACHER

Adult Sunday School 9:30 am Ted
Grades Pre-K 2nd 10:45 am
Grades 3rd and Up 10:45 am

**Are your kids in a class? Are you in a class?
Join us for Sunday School!**



MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION) GENERAL FUND

For the month of September, the church council has decided to dispense with a mission project. The reason is that the giving to the General Fund has dropped this year. So far year to date giving to the General Fund is down almost \$10,000 compared to 2020 and we have had to pull \$20,000 from our investments to keep up with our bills.

Please consider giving an additional donation to the General Fund!

2021 MEMBER INVOLVEMENT

As a church we need to take 2021 as a year to reposition our church for future success. To do that we need to create:

- **CULTURE OF DISCIPLESHIP**

We need each member to seek a meaningful relationship in the church for mutual edification through reading the Bible together, praying for one another, and speaking the gospel in one another's lives.

- **MISSIONS: FIVE MILE RADIUS**

We as a church need to reach the unchurched and unbelieving neighbors within a five-mile radius of your building.

- **RESOURCES**

We need to pray that the Lord would provide all the necessary resources of finances, persons, and materials needed to accomplish the church's mission – that includes reaching and even surpassing our projected budget income for 2021.

COVID 19

Masks are **REQUIRED** for all unvaccinated people. Masks are **Optional** for all vaccinated people.

We still recommend masks continue to be worn for anyone who is considered high risk.

Please continue social distancing as much as possible.

PRAYER PAGE

HEALTH ISSUES

Sandy Christopher - has not been feeling well for some time.

Cheryl Alfano health issues

David Donnelly – (Joy Sister-in-law's Dad) just had major back surgery

Ashley Velasquez - dealing with Bell's Palsy

Dan D'Elia – recovering from knee replacement surgery

Joy Palatucci – recovering from Surgery another scheduled for Sept.

Eileen Hodgkiss – Ongoing health issues

Adrian Jon – (Cheryl's grandson) diagnosed with hypotonia & has to wear braces on his feet and legs.

Rich Rosenboom – Recovering from surgery

Nancy Monell – (Ted's Sister) – Ongoing health issues

Dot Nagy – (Ted's cousin) has multiple health issues.

John Roy – ongoing back & neck issues

Betty Vella – (Christine's Mom) recovering from hip surgery

Teresa Pipito – going through a difficult time and needs our prayers

Dave Muller – (Pastor's friend) Heart issues

Doris Owen – (Lois Stammer's Cousin) Cardiac issues

HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)

Greg & his wife Barbara - (neighbor of Deborah) battling cancer

Mary Ann Gallina – (JJ boss' mother) stage 4 cancer not doing well.

Susan Graves - (Cheryl Alfano's sister) Breast Cancer

Linda & Bob – (Friends of Jack & Ollie)

Ralph Lemongello – (Friend of Jackie Trowbridge) Bone Cancer

Patrick Dilworth – (Friend of the Pipito/Redd Family) Brain Tumor

Rob Gumienski – Pastor's 3rd cousin- Lung Cancer

Joe Alfano health issues & diagnosed with Lung Cancer

Ginny Palmer – has a very aggressive form of cancer

IN ASSISTED LIVING/NURSING FACILITIES

Barbara Conklin

OTHER CONCERNS

Good Shepherd Mission

Unspoken Requests –People requested prayer for an unspoken request.

Those dealing with Depression.

Those dealing with addiction: Brandon, Stacy, Friend of Joy Palatucci's Husband

All those suffering from mental health issues

SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Capt. David Hutsebaut - son of Dave and Shirley - Army

Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez - son in law of Cheryl Alfano – Marines

Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy



Our Church – We need to pray for our church as we need to examine all aspects of our church to reposition ourselves for future success.



“I can do everything through Christ who strengthens me.”
—Philippians 4:13



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