## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

#### September 19, 2021

#### PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

10:45 am

Pastor Russ

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       | What A Beautiful Name    | Praise Team |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| Invocation        |                          | Pastor Russ |
| Praise Song       | It's Always Been You     | Praise Team |
| Scripture Reading | g 2 Thessalonians 1:6-10 | JJ Belle    |

#### WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS ments Pastor Russ

| Announcements      |  |
|--------------------|--|
| Offering Our Gifts |  |

#### **DEDICATION SERVICE**

Dedications Special Music Bella and Hudson Rosa Pastor Russ "Always be a Child" Harry & Ted

#### WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

| Time of Prayer<br>Special Music         | "Anyway" | Pastor Russ<br>Shantae Rosa |
|---|----------|-----------------------------|
| Message                                 |          | Pastor Russ                 |
| "Eternal Destruction or Eternal Glory?" |          |                             |

#### **WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT**

Hymn"Heaven Came Down"#525RecessionalPraise Team

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

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#### GETTING TO KNOW US

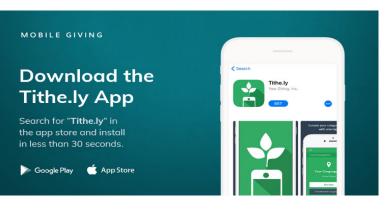
| Rev. Russell Stammer                  | Pastor            |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Christine Lovette                     | Minister of Music |
| JJ Belle & John Roy                   | Praise Band       |
| Rachel Sink, Harry Sink, Ted Odenwald | Praise Team       |
| Deborah Ugrovics                      | Head Usher        |
| All Members of This Faith Community   | Ministers         |

#### THIS WEEK

| Today   | 9:30 | am /     | Adult Sunday School              |  |
|---------|------|----------|----------------------------------|--|
|         | 10:4 | 5am ۱    | Worship Service                  |  |
|         |      | S        | Sunday School Grades 4 & younger |  |
|         |      | (        | Masks Required)                  |  |
|         | Noo  | n (      | Coffee Hour                      |  |
|         |      | <u>U</u> | PCOMING EVENTS                   |  |
| 9/21/20 | 21   | 7:30 pm  | Virtual Council Meeting          |  |

| OCTOBER I        | <u>BIRTHDAYS</u> |
|------------------|------------------|
| Kayla Lovette    | 10/3             |
| Cheryl Alfano    | 10/7             |
| Raina Redd       | 10/7             |
| Chris Stanley    | 10/8             |
| Craig Redd       | 10/8             |
| Rachel Sink      | 10/21            |
| Jack Famiglietti | 10/31            |
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| OCTOBER ANNI        | VERSARIES |
|---------------------|-----------|
| JJ & Laura Belle    | 10/1      |
| Bob & Joy Palatucci | 10/27     |



#### **GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE**

#### 2020/2021 BIBLE READINGS

| Mon Sept 20  | Isaiah 47 -48; Luke 13 -14                 |
|--------------|--|
| Tues Sept 21 | Isaiah 49 -50; Luke 15 -16                 |
| Wed Sept 22  | Isaiah <b>51 -52;</b> Luke 17 -18          |
| Thur Sept 23 | Isaiah <b>53</b> - <b>5</b> 4; Luke 19 -20 |
| Fri Sept 24  | Isaiah 55 -56; Luke 21 -22                 |
| Sat Sept 25  | Isaiah 57 -58; Luke 23 -24                 |
| Sun Sept 26  | Isaiah 59 -60; John 1 -2                   |

#### SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is *Romans 3:23* for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

#### **BIBLE TRIVIA**

<u>Today's question is</u>: What did the disciples do when people brought their young children to Jesus?

Last week's question and answer: How were the Thessalonians told to pray? *Without ceasing (1 Th 5:17)* 

#### **INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE**

When we let our children fly as arrows, we understand that we have been chosen by God to be the bow in their lives and point them in the right direction as we lead them to Jesus. – *Crystal McDowell* 

#### **RVBC SUNDAY SCHOOL**

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<br>Grades Pre-K 2nd<br>Grades 3rd and Up                | 10:45 am | Ted     |  |
| Are your kids in a class? Are you in a class?<br>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 in 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.

### <u>COVID 19</u>

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. Chervl 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 –another scheduled for Tuesday **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 **Teresa Pipito** – going through a difficult time and needs our prayers Dave Muller – (Pastor's friend) Heart issues **Lois Stammer** – Leg problems

#### **HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)**

<u>Greg & his wife Barbara</u> - (neighbor of Deborah) battling cancer <u>Mary Ann Gallina</u> – (JJ boss' mother) stage 4 cancer not doing well. <u>Susan Graves</u> - (Cheryl Alfano's sister) Breast Cancer <u>Linda & Bob</u> – (Friends of Jack & Ollie) <u>Ralph Lemongello</u> – (Friend of Jackie Trowbridge) Bone Cancer <u>Patrick Dilworth</u> – (Friend of the Pipito/Redd Family) Brain Tumor <u>Rob Gumienski</u> – Pastor's 3<sup>rd</sup> cousin- Lung Cancer <u>Joe Alfano</u> health issues & diagnosed with Lung Cancer <u>Ginny Palmer</u> – has a very aggressive form of cancer

#### **OTHER CONCERNS**

Good Shepherd Mission

<u>Unspoken Requests</u> –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**

<u>Capt. David Hutsebaut</u> - son of Dave and Shirley - Army <u>Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez</u> - son in law of Cheryl Alfano – Marines

Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy

<u>Our Church</u> – 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

# babydedication

commiting our children to the Lord



Baby Dedication is a time for parents to publicly declare their intention to raise their child in a God-Centered home.

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