# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

## October 17, 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	Blessed Be Your Name	Praise Team
Invocation		Pastor Russ
Praise Song	<b>Revelation Song</b>	Praise Team
Scripture Reading	2 Thessalonians 3:1-5	JJ Belle

# WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements
Offering Our Gifts

Pastor Russ Pastor Russ

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# WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Message "God Bless All the Missionaries"

## **WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT**

Hymn "We've A Story to Tell" Recessional

#502 Praise 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

 9:30 am Adult Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service Sunday School Grades 4 & younger (Masks Required)

Today

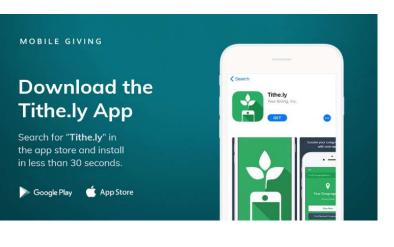
## UPCOMING EVENTS

11/13/21 NoonChurch Council Meeting11/25/21 4 PMDecorate the Church for Christmas12/12/21 10:45Ugly Christmas Sweater Sunday12/24/21 7 PMChristmas Eve Service

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Rachel Sink	10/21
Jack Famiglietti	10/31

## OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES Bob & Joy Palatucci 10/27



#### **GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE** 2020/2021 BIBLE READINGS

Mon Oct 18	Jeremiah 37 -38; Acts 24 -25
Tues Oct 19	Jeremiah 39 -40; Acts 26 -27
Wed Oct 20	Jeremiah 41 -42; Acts 28; Romans 1
Thur Oct 21	Jeremiah 43 -44; Romans 2 -3
Fri Oct 22	Jeremiah 45 -46; Romans 4 -5
Sat Oct 23	Jeremiah 47 -48; Romans 6 -7
Sun Oct 24	Jeremiah 49 -50; Romans 8 -9

## **SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM**

This week's passage is *Psalm 119:11* I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you

## .<u>BIBLE TRIVIA</u>

<u>Today's question is</u>: Which missionary was described as having "known the holy scriptures from an early age"?

Last week's question and answer: What are Psalms 120-134 collectively known as? *The Songs of Degrees (or Ascents)* (*Ps 120 - 134*)

# **INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE**

"When you realize that God loves you and that He has a plan for your life, you can walk with your head held high — totally confident in who He created you to be." – **Joyce Meyer** 

## **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 Grades Pre-K 2nd		Ted	
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 October, the church council has decided to dispense with the usual mission offering. The reason is that the giving to the General Fund has dropped this year. Please consider giving an additional donation to the General Fund!

## FOOD DRIVE

The church council has decided to start a food drive that will run from 10/17/21 - 10/21/21.

**ITEMS NEEDED:** Canned Fruit, canned soup, canned meats, pasta/rice, peanut butter, jelly, raisins/applesauce, paper goods, Spam/tuna, chili baked beans, oatmeal/pancake mix, condiments/salad dressing

# **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** – Recovering from a second surgery **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 – Knee problems

#### **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 3<sup>rd</sup> cousin- Lung Cancer Joe Alfano health issues & diagnosed with Lung Cancer Ginny Palmer – 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.



"Your arm is endowed with power; your hand is strong, your right hand exalted. Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; love and faithfulness go before you. Blessed are those who have learned to acclaim you, who walk in the light of your presence, LORD." —Psalm 89:13-15



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