



April 3, 2011

Pursuing and sharing the life-changing reality of Jesus Christ!!

Sunday Worship Service—10:45am
10:15am "Community Time"

"Let us think of ways to motivate one another to acts of love and good works. And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near."

Hebrews 10:24-25



Teaching Series - The Book of ACTS

"Learning How to Be God's Best!"

TODAY: Video & Discussion Groups:
"The Prodigal" & "God's Chisel"

GET READY FOR EASTER—FREE DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Look around for a booklet called "A Living Hope" which contains 40 devotions from the Bible that will encourage hope in Jesus and will be a great spiritual preparation for Easter—April 24.

"He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection from the dead." 1 Peter 1:3

"When is the last time you thanked one of our many Children's Workers??"



QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"Ultimately, God's offer to us to share his blessing with others is how we find our deepest sense of personal meaning and satisfaction. Jesus said it this way: "Whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me and for the gospel will save it" (Mark 8:35). This wasn't a call to drudgery and painful sacrifice as much as it was Jesus' way of saying, "Sir, catch a clue. If you really want to have a blast, then free up some time and money and bring a smile to someone's face. Relieve someone's pressure. Surprise someone with a gift."

Hugh Halter— The Tangible Kingdom

BUNKO Fundraiser!!! — Women's event to raise money for the Women's Retreat

Friday, April 15 @ 6:30pm. \$10 to play. Bring snacks to share. Contact Kathy Clark for more info: 971-645-1113

April 29—May 1 - Harbor Villa Retreat Center Rockaway Beach, Oregon

"The Woman's Tool Box"

Cost: \$60—Sign up at back table



March 2011 GIVING REPORT

Monthly Budget Needed	\$ 12,000
General Fund Giving	\$ 10,629
Total Giving	\$ 12,764
Actual Spending	\$ 11,237

April Birthdays

Steve Williams	01
Chris Gerritzen	03
Asia Millen	06
April Blauser	08
Janae Blauser	13
Nicholas Clark	17
Jenny Jones	17
Stuart Wall	23
Kylieann Brown	25

ANYONE ELSE??

PRAYER TIME



Every SUNDAY at 10am * Rm 7

IMMORTAL TRIBE YOUTH

2RC Youth Night
this Wednesday, at 6:30pm!!!

Meet at Church Building
Contact Ross Maurer for info— 503-880-8310

HOME GROUPS

two rivers is not a church with home groups, we are a church of home groups

These communities are the most important thing we do at 2RC **ARE YOU CONNECTED??**

Sundays	- Led by Tylor & Heidi (503-559-7730)	Meet at Wolvert's home - 1318 Sherri Ct. in West Linn - 1pm
Tuesdays	- Led by Mike & Tracy (503-263-8497)	Meet at Snider's home—16246 SE Rayna Ct. in Milwaukie 7pm
	- Led by Ellis & Luanna (503-651-3116)	Meet at Hall's home—1037 N. Birch in Canby—7pm
Wednesdays	- Led by Classens/ Dillard (503-819-0971)	Meet at Durham's home—6357 SE Hull Ave. In Milwaukie—7pm
	- Led by Jeff Kramer/Clawsons (503-919-1083)	Meet at Smith's home—18335 Dickerson Lane in Gladstone—7pm
	- Led by Jeff Warren (Young Adult Group)	Meet at church building— 16083 se McLoughlin in Milwaukie—7pm
Fridays	- Led by Brian & Kathy (971-645-1112)	Meet at Everly's home— 17550 Springhill Pl. in Gladstone, - 7pm



Teaching Notes (none this Sunday)

Home Group Discussion & BIBLE STUDY for this week:

Read Hebrews 10:19-25

- What did you have a lot of confidence in when you were growing up? What made you so confident?
- Notice the symbolism in the first verses. They are a direct reference to the *Day of Atonement* (one day a year when the high priest entered the Most Holy Place in the temple). Read **Leviticus 16:1-22** to get a feel for this important event for the Jews.
- Heb. 10:22 commands us to “draw near to God”, or, “go right into God’s presence”. What are the 2 reasons the author gives that we can have such confidence? (Hint: vs. 19-21).
- There are 4 “let us’s” (not Romaine or Iceberg :)) in this short passage. Find them together and make sure everyone understands what God wants us to do as a group of Christ-followers.
- How does vs. 25 damage the argument that says people don’t have to go to church, or do any Christian activities, to be a Christ-follower?
- How have you seen your brothers and sisters do these 4 things to encourage you? How could we do a better job of motivating you toward acts of love and good works?

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Prayer - 10 am