


November 5, 2017




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

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

LIVE LIKE

THE GOSPEL OF MARK

TODAY:
A DESPERATE FAITH
Mark 5:21-43

All-Church Prayer Gathering
This Saturday, November 11
@ 10 am JOIN US!!!

TODAY!! 

1st Sunday Potluck—Nov. 5

Every 1st Sunday of October, November & December we will stay after church service and enjoy a great potluck meal together! **Dec. 3, Jan. 7** (12:30pm to 2pm)
What are you going to bring to share??



Day After Thanksgiving Party

Our very popular holiday meal will happen this year at the church on **FRIDAY, November 24@ 6pm**

Movies, games, and lots of food!
Bring any food you have to share!!
Invite someone!—"The More the Merrier!"

Jr. High / Sr. High
WEDNESDAY Nights
Youth Group 6:30pm

WOMEN....
Deck the Halls at 2RC!
Come help us decorate the church for Christmas!
Saturday Dec 2nd at 10:30am
Flavored coffees served. Bring a goody to share!

2RC Ladies Christmas Party
Sunday Dec 17th at 6pm
Bring Christmas Socks to exchange & food to dip in either cheese or chocolate fondue!

 **GOSPEL FOR ASIA**
transforming communities through Christ's love

NOVEMBER FUNDRAISER!!!

During the 4 Sundays of November we will collect \$\$\$ to help families in Asia—both physically and spiritually.

With your help we can purchase many **WATER FILTERS (\$38) and BIBLES(\$7).**

NO DONATION TOO SMALL!!
Let's get the kids involved too!!

tithes and offerings
please make checks payable to "two rivers church"

	received	budget	%
Year to date	\$ 130,838	\$ 190,415	69%
September donations	\$ 10,824	\$ 15,867	68%

You can now make on-line gifts on our web-site—even auto-pay through PayPal. www.tworiverschurch.net



- Every Sunday morning at 10:15am** we will "circle up" in the auditorium for a brief, but essential time of seeking God. Please join us!!
- Every 2nd Saturday at 10am** We meet here at the bldg. interceding for the people and ministries of this church.

ALL ARE INVITED TO THESE PRAYER TIMES!!

November Birthdays

Andi Wall	02
Russell VanValkenberg	05
Jordyn Clawson	09
Kristy Williams	17
Kelli Womack	21
Mel Teske	24
Gregg Wellenbrink	25
Kathy Samuelson	27
ANYONE ELSE??	

Sunday Snack Schedule

Nov. 12	Meuser
Nov. 19	Jones
Nov. 26	Carstensen
Dec. 3	Barrow
Dec. 10	Kramer
Dec. 17	Meuser

2RC—Where real people with real problems experience real love and forgiveness in Christ Jesus!
Through relationships of grace and trust, we will help each other grow into Spirit-led, Christ-following disciple-makers!

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 Mike & Jenny (503-701-6791) Meet at Wolvert's home - 1318 Sherri Ct. in West Linn - 1pm
- Wednesdays** - Led by Carstensen & Englemans Meet at Carstensen's home—12523 SE Verlie St. in Happy Valley—7pm
- Thursdays** - Led by Classens /Barrows (503-819-0971) Meet at VanValkenberg's—3552 se Westview Ave #6 in Milwaukie—7pm
- Led by Kramer (503-919-1083) Meet at Samuelson's home—12020 SE 37th Ave. in Milwaukie—7pm
- Led by Ellis & Luanna (503-651-3116) Meet at Meuser's home—2140 N Maple in Canby—7pm

Sermon Notes: Mark 5:21-43

A Desperate Faith

Rob Classen

Theme: We need a desperate faith, like the sick woman and Jairus, to trust in Jesus and Him alone! We also need a desperate faith to believe that we have access to God's authority and power to minister, disciple and teach as Jesus did!

1. The sick woman

2. Jairus' daughter

Home Group Discussion & BIBLE STUDY for this week:

- The sermon was titled, "A Desperate Faith". What's another way to say the same thing?
- Read **Mark 5:24-34**
- What strikes you most interesting about this woman?
- How does this story prove that Jesus wasn't sexist and valued women? (Hint: Jairus was male and rich)
- In what way does the woman remind you of yourself?
- Read **Mark 5:35-43**
- Why might it have been risky for Jairus to even be seen with Jesus, let alone invite him to his house?
- Why did Jesus limit who could come to Jairus' house and into the girl's room?
- We talked about 2 levels of faith: 1) To completely trust Jesus for everything, & 2) To start emulating Jesus' ministry using our God-given authority to do similar miracles and speak God's words to people. Which of these seems the most impossible right now?
- Mention a name of someone you hope to share these stories with this week, or someone you hope to pray for.

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