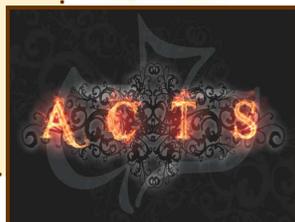


**April 10, 2011**

**Pursuing and sharing  
the life-changing reality  
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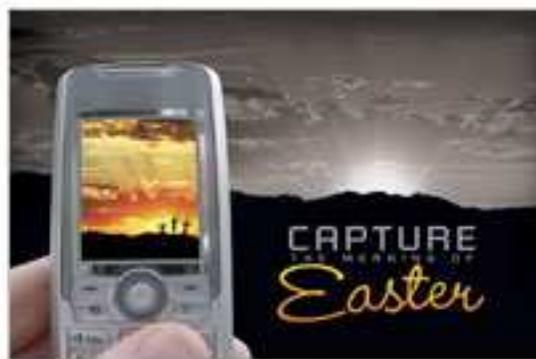
Sunday Worship Service—10:45am  
10:15am "Community Time"



**Teaching Series - The Book of ACTS**

"Learning How to Be God's Best!"

**TODAY:** Acts 10—"Let Them Eat Bacon!"  
Rob Classen



**EASTER SUNDAY—April 24**

Why not ask someone if they would like to celebrate with us on this special Sunday??

**Special Fundraiser for a local Oxford House—BINGO Night**

This is a great chance to meet some wonderful people and help them in their journey toward sobriety.

Saturday, April 23—7pm here at 2RC. Check out the posters for more info!  
Talk to Randy Howe for more info.

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

**This Friday @ 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



**QUOTE FOR THE WEEK**

"Usually at this time of year I focus on Jesus and what he has done for us, but while reading the "Living Hope Devotional" I started reflecting on God the Father and how He must have felt during the whole ordeal of Jesus life. His beloved Son had "learned obedience", had suffered temptation, had been misunderstood, mistreated, , had friends turn against him, had been lied to and lied about, scoffed at, spit upon, disrespected, humiliated ...need I go on!

All the while the Father is watching this from on high. I know how I felt when I saw our children being mistreated by their peers and they did not suffer anything close to what the Father saw.

In Jesus' darkest hour, at the pentacle of his pain, at the moment He became our sin bearer, when a parent's heart's desire is to spare their child's suffering, the Father, for my sake, turned his back on his Son. It wasn't just Jesus who suffered all those things, it was the Father as well. His perfect and Holy Son became the whipping post for all of us, our scapegoat.

By Glenda Plumb—April, 2011

**March 2011 GIVING REPORT**

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

**April Birthdays**

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

**ANYONE ELSE??**

**IMMORTAL TRIBE YOUTH**

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

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

**PRAYER TIME**



Every SUNDAY at 10am \* Rm 7

# 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??**

<b>Sundays</b>	- Led by Tylor & Heidi (503-559-7730)	Meet at Wolvert's home - 1318 Sherri Ct. in West Linn - 1pm
<b>Tuesdays</b>	- Led by Mike & Tracy (503-263-8497)	Meet at Snider's home—16246 SE Rayna Ct. in Milwaukie 7pm
<b>Wednesdays</b>	- 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
<b>Fridays</b>	- Led by Brian & Kathy (971-645-1112)	Meet at Everly's home— 17550 Springhill Pl. in Gladstone, - 7pm
	- Led by Ellis & Luanna (503-651-3116)	Meet at Hall's home—1037 N. Birch in Canby—7pm



## Teaching Notes - Acts 10 Peter & Cornelius

### Home Group Discussion & BIBLE STUDY for this week:

- Read **Acts 10:1-48** (long passage, sorry!)
- There are a number of unique things that happen in this wonderful story. Which one strikes you as the strangest?
  - Cornelius' vision? - Peter's vision? - speaking in tongues?
  - Entire household saved? - a Centurion believing in God? - other?
- How do the visions of Cornelius and Peter compare with other visions you've read about in the Bible? Were they all specific? What does that tell you about how God speaks to people?
- Why do you think Peter said "no" to God (vs 14)? Do you remember a time when you directly said "no" to God? How is that working for you?
- How do the visions of Cornelius and Peter compare with other visions you've read about in the Bible? Were they all specific? What does that tell you about how God speaks to people?
- Have you ever seen Christians treat non-Christians as "un-Kosher" or treat them badly? Does the Bible tell us to do that?
- Read **James 1:26-27**.
- What are some things we do in the name of religion that might actually be harming our testimony with others?

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Prayer - 10 am