SERMON NOTES

FAMILY SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. What makes it difficult for us to go to God in prayer, and what did we learn about God that should make it easier?
- 2. What are some ways that a child comes to his/her father and what could that look like if we came to God as our Father in a similar way?
- 3. How do you see today's sermon applying to your family?



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Worship Service @ 10:00 a.m.

Prelude

Shout Hosanna

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

How Great Thou Art (Until That Day) Mighty To Save The Lion And The Lamb

Offering

Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)

Moment for Missions

Adrienne Goodstal, Executive Director of NKC

Prayer & Message

"Good, Good Father" Series: A Praying Life Matthew 7:7-11 (p.812) Rev. Tim Meendering

Response

Good Good Father

Closing Blessing

KidLife Worship (3 years - 2nd grade, Fireside Room) and nursery (Room 241) are available.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL

Meets following the service until noon

- Preschool to 1st grade meet in the Fireside Room
- 2nd to 5th grade meet in Room 250 for a Family Sermon Discussion
- Middle School may join the Family Sermon Discussion. or Catechism Class
- High School: Catechism Class, Room 246
- Adults: Sermon Discussion Class, Fellowship Hall (downstairs)



Wednesday Nights 6-7:15pm

Preschool to 5th grade meet in Room 101 for KidLife Club.
 Dinner available at 5:45. Parents may join the kids before going to Focal Point classes.



- Learning, Living, and Sharing the Gospel Sharing the gospel is one the most common challenges that we all face. Do you know how to share the gospel? What is the gospel? We will use the book Gospel 101: Learning, Living, and Sharing the Gospel and the Bible as our guide to learn foundational gospel truths and how to share the gospel through everyday conversations in a clear and compelling way through various circumstances. We will grow in gospel fluency, community, and action together. The topics we learn about will include God, humanity, Christ, justification, our response, and the implications of the gospel. Join us as we learn and practice together. Led by Pastor Tim in Room 250.
- Financial Peace University Wednesdays, 6-7:30pm, January 15-March 12 in the Fireside Room. (registration closed)
- Not What I Signed Up For Women's class led by Polly Johnson, Room 247. Life can throw us off-kilter. Maybe you've found yourself in a season that you never would have expected. In this six-session study based on the book Not What I Signed Up For, Bible teacher Nicole Unice invites you into the biblical story of Joseph—a man who lived an unexpected life and trusted God through it all.

DISCOVERY CLASS

Sundays from 5-7pm on March 9 and March 16: If you are thinking about membership with Rockford Reformed Church, or if you just want to learn more about us, this class is for you! Attending class in no way obligates you to join. We will explain the essentials of the Reformed faith and answer any questions regarding our worship, ministry, or doctrine. Dinner will be provided. Childcare available if needed. Registration required. Please contact the office (connect@rockfordrc.org, 616-866-2308) if you would like to participate.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Feb 23	Feb 24	Feb 25	Feb 26	Feb 27	Feb 28	March 1
pancake breakfast 8:30am worship service sunday school youth group 6-7:30pm, youth room	prayer partners 7pm via zoom	men's prayer bkf 7-8am, fireside room women's bible study 9:30-11:15am, fireside	kidlife club 6-7:15pm, room 101 focal point 6:15-7:15pm	word and prayer 12-1pm, Room 246 ladies book club 6:30-8pm, fellowship lobby	REAL men 7-8am, fellowship lobby	
March 2	March 3	March 4	March 5	March 6	March 7	March 8
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March 9	March 10	March 11	March 12	March 13	March 14	March 15
worship service sunday school discovery class part 1 5pm youth group 6-7:30pm, youth room	prayer partners 7pm via zoom	men's prayer bkf 7-8am, fireside room women's bible study 9:30-11:15am, fireside	kidlife club 6-7:15pm, room 101 focal point 6:15-7:15pm	word and prayer 12-1pm, Room 246	REAL men 7-8am, fellowship lobby youth retreat 4:45pm drop off	

More information on these activities can be found in our weekly eBeacon (sent out Sunday mornings). If you haven't singed up to receive this weekly email, contact the front office at connect@rockfordrc.org and ask to be put on the list.



WOMEN'S EVENING EVENT Friday, March 21 5-9:15pm

Join us for an evening of worship and fellowship! Grace Ground Ministries will be speaking about how we need Only Jesus to experience forgiveness, freedom, rest, and a new life in Him. All women and girls middle school and up are encouraged to attend. Invite friends! \$15 per person. Registration is open!



Tip: To sign up for these events online, you can go to our online bulletin by scanning the qr code on the back of the bulletin.



CPR & AED TRAINING Monday, March 24 6:30-8:30pm

RRC will be offering a CPR/AED training class on Monday, March 24 from 6:30-8:30pm. This training is intended for the layperson who is interested in learning the basics of how to respond to common medical emergencies or those looking for a refresher. Cost for the class is \$35.00 and payable at the class. The class will be held in the gym. See this morning's email for the signup link. Please reach out to Melissa Cool at melissaecool@gmail.com if you have questions.



FUNDRAISER CARNIVAL Saturday, March 29 11am-2pm

Come help us raise money to support clean water for people and safe habitats for giraffes! Games, silent auction, lunch available.