# **SERMON NOTES**


# **FAMILY SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

- 1. How have you seen God work out amazing, good things—in Jesus' life or in your own life—even during the suffering or hard times?
- 2. How do you know that God loves you and is working good things for you even during the worst of times in your life?
- 3. How do you see today's sermon applying to your family?



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### Prelude

All Hail King Jesus

# **Welcome & Announcements**

# **Call to Worship**

Praise His Name (Psalm 148)
In Tenderness
Promises

# Offering

Great Are You Lord

# Prayer & Message

"When Trouble Comes" Series: Journey to the Cross Mark 9:2-29 (p.844) Rev. Tim Meendering

### Response

Be Thou My Vision

# **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 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.

### **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.

### **APPRECIATION**

Muchas gracias to all who supported the pancake breakfast! \$2,400 was raised for missionary care. Thank you to the VanderHeides for providing the maple syrup and several of our youth who rolled up their sleeves and helped out. - Your Mission Team

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 2	March 3	March 4	March 5	March 6	March 7	March 8
worship service sunday school youth group 6-7:30pm, youth room		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	<b>REAL men</b> 7-8am, fellowship lobby	
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	<b>prayer partners</b> 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	
March 16	March 17	March 18	March 19	March 20	March 21	March 22
worship service communion sunday school	<b>prayer partners</b> 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 women's event 5-9:15pm	

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

Friday, March 2 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! You can sign up online or look for the signup sheet in the Fellowship Lobby.



# 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

Our 7th-9th grade youth group girls invite you to help raise money to support clean water for people and safe habitats for giraffes! Games, silent auction, lunch available.



# VBS Mon-Thurs, June 16-19 6-8pm

Save the date! VBS will be back this summer for kids 3 years old through those just leaving 6th grade. Join us for Camp Chaos, where kids learn that Jesus is our path to peace. Volunteer signups and materials requests coming soon!