# The TrumpetO

"In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed."

1 Corinthians 15:52



Dear RBC "Rosankians,"

You could say we are now "off and running" in 2022. It's February, and of course we think of Groundhog Day, Valentine's Day, and Presidents' Day, and yes, in that order. I could go all "spiritual" about those days and share Bible verses that apply to each but I won't. At least not in this Trumpet "blast." Hmm, maybe a sermon series?

Now seriously, I can't wait to preach my first sermon in February on the 6<sup>th</sup>. I am already excited about it. It will be a continuation of where we were in January. My sermons in January were all about keeping "First Things First," making sure Jesus has first place in our lives. You may remember that we even realized that Jesus should not only have *first place* in our lives, but have the *first and only place* in our lives.

The blessing for me in January was getting my first "nugget," nugget of God's wisdom, for the year. It was and is: *Jesus is the Head of us, when he is ahead of us.* I love play on words. This "nugget" means that we must always keep Jesus – our Head, our Master, our Lord – ahead of us and leading us. We must let Him lead and we must follow. It is so easy to get that backwards. Let's not.

We were in Colossians 1 and 2 in January and we will be right back there in February. I don't know if those 2 Bible chapters have ever been more "alive" to me in my entire life. They are so very rich. Please read, study, meditate, ponder, share, and apply them. Let's work on them and let them work on us all February long.

Finally, here are a few things that you will hear on Sunday morning, February 6<sup>th</sup>. In Colossians 2:19, we find that as we hold to our Head, Jesus Christ, three things will happen to us as the body of Christ. We will: have *nourishment ministered*, be *knit together*, and *increase with the increase of God*.

I better not go into details about these three truths right now or this Trumpet article will be way too long. Suffice it to say, we are going to hear from God in His word how to: *minister life (nourishment) to others, be woven together into oneness (unity), and increase (grow) by what the Lord can do and not what we can do for ourselves!* Wow!

Looking forward to February,

Pastor Tracy Hearnsberger

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## **February**

Feb. 5th — Men's Breakfast
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Feb.5th—Ladies Brunch 10am. (In the media room)

Feb. 6th — RCA Kindergarten Graduation 6pm

Feb. 14th—Valentine's Day

Feb. 16th — Business Meeting

Feb. 21st—Presidents Day

Feb. 21st—RCA Holiday

Feb. 22nd—RCA 100th Day of School

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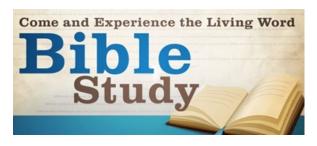
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**Education Ministry:** 

"REACHING, TEACHING, and SERVING" to the glory of God!

### **Gather and Grow!**

When I was a new believer, and first started attending church, I remember the growth that came when I gathered with fellow believers. When I gathered with my church family it allowed me to know them and it allowed them to know more about me. I was blessed to create relationships with people who encouraged and influenced me to grow in my walk with Jesus.

Sunday School played the biggest impact on my spiritual growth. Listening and being able to ask questions during Bible study really helped me understand the Bible and how much Jesus desires to have a relationship with me.

If you are not attending Bible study on Sunday morning, at 9am I personally invite you to gather with your church family with the hope that you will grow in your relationship with each other, but most importantly grow in your relationship with Jesus.
RBC has a Sunday School class for all ages! I feel strongly that you will be blessed and others will be blessed by you as we all GATHER and GROW

In His service, Bro. JR

together!



Happy February! We finished out the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter last month—Praise the Lord! We are now in the second half of the school year.

This month our students will be busy selling BBQ tickets and bringing in auction items. Thank you to our church family for always supporting our fundraiser, whether through the BBQ dinner, donating auction items or helping prepare for the fundraiser. We could not do it without all of you.

The students are looking forward to exchanging valentines and having their class parties later in the month. We will also have fun with our 100<sup>th</sup> day of school on February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Mark your calendar and join us for the Kinder graduation on February 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm in the church sanctuary. The graduates are preparing a presentation and it is sure to be a hit!

Until next month, keep praying for RCA.

### **Upcoming Dates:**

Kinder Graduation @ 6PM
Scripture Memorization Due
Valentine's parties
Early Release at 2:00 pm
President's Day—No School
100 <sup>th</sup> Day of School
Mid-quarter Progress Reports

Mrs. Sarah Voigs, Principal





**Adult Bible** Study 6 pm



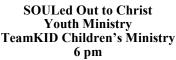


Study

1pm









# **RUARY 2022**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5 Men's Breakfast 7am
6 RCA Kindergarten Graduation		8	9	10	11	12
13	Happy Valentine's Day RCA 2pm Party	15	Business Meeting	17	18 2pm Early Release RCA	19
20	21 RCA Holiday	The the part of school	23	24	25	26
27	28					

# Happy Birthday

- Cathy Fleming
- Connie Arellano
- 7 Sue Eastty
- Noah Evans
- 10 Bonnie Price
- 15 Amanda Chandler
- Doug Holdren 15
- Anthony Ray James 19
- Nolan Evans Frans Hakkesteeg

# Happy Anniversary

- Oscar & Faye Dee James 7
- 27 Jeff & Debbie Telford





### Dear RBC Ladies,

It was so amazing how God showed up at the ladies meeting on the 22nd. Seventeen women attended. We had a very productive meeting and I'm truly excited to see where God is going to lead us in the coming year.

We were in agreement that we will continue with the first Saturday of the month brunch at 10 am. The woman who hosts is responsible for place, food, and devotional. The first meeting will be hosted by Ginny Barker on February 5th, in the media room, at Rosanky Baptist Church.

We would love to see all of you plus your friends. Please be praying how God can use you in the ladies ministry. The March meeting will be replaced with a two day conference on the 18th and 19th which will be hosted by our church. We have invited Carolyn Strong to speak, more details to come very soon.

I'm praying blessings over each of you, I believe God has some really great things for us and I'm waiting in anticipation!

Many Blessings,



Meeting Saturday, February 5th @ 10am. In the Media Rm. at Rosanky Baptist Church



### **Happy February!**

I am excited to share some great news with you. Kids Camp, Youth Camp, and Vacation Bible School dates are set!!! The past 2 years we have not been able to attend Camps for obvious reason. Several students have been asking if we will be attending camp this year and the answer is YES!!

Please keep in mind that space is VERY limited and there is no more room to add new spots to what I have already reserved for our group. Below you will find the camp and VBS dates. I am excited to share this information with you an I look forward to an exciting Summer!!

June 20-June 24 Vacation Bible School

June 27 - July 1 Youth Camp (completed 6th-12th grade)

July 13 - July 16 Kids
Camp (completed 3rd-6th grade)

Please be on the look out for more information concerning camp fees and fundraisers. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.



In His service,

BroTR



The Choir is looking forward to the Easter season and looking forward to learning new material as we prepare for the Easter Holiday. You know, Easter is probably the most awesome time to renew your personal commitment to the Lord's service. I think I love Easter most of all because of the deep meaning of the crucifixion and the resurrection. It is our validation as a believer. 'How deep is the Father's love for us' that He should give His life so that we might live? Since Christ gave His life for us, shouldn't we give our lives for Him?

Well, I am still offering you free admission into the choir and a nice comfy seat in the choir loft. I would love to see you in the choir. We are praying for a few members to join us, please pray about it. We sincerely need you. So remember to keep on singing for the Lord! Pray for us as we pray for you!

From Martha and the RBC Singers.

HAVE A HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!











Month ending January 19, 2021, the General Fund received \$16,055.00 with expenses of \$21,575.00. There was a General Fund net of \$22,022.00. for the month. Building Fund receipts were \$5,418.00 The balance on the building note is 0. Paid in full.

# We offer many ways for you to give your tithe and offering.

You may **drop off** your donation in person at the Church office Monday-Friday, 9:00am-2:00pm; send **by mail** (P.O. Box 96, Rosanky 78953); or contribute **on-line** at www.rosankybaptistchurch.com.

To learn more about our church finances, please contact me or Clovis Boatright, Financial Secretary. We are available to answer all your questions concerning the church finances. You may call 512-360-3968 to set up an appointment, or reach out to us by email at

finance@rosankybaptistchurch.com.

RBC conducts a monthly business meeting on the third Wednesday of each month. Please join us!

Thank you for being so faithful in your giving. God blesses us when we give with a prayerful heart.

> David Bell, Chair Finance Committee

"Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house, and try Me now in this," says the LORD of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing that there will not be room enough to receive it."

Malachi 3:10



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Sunday Morning Services are replayed on our Facebook page at 10:00am. (With a 1 week delay)

Share with friends!

# The Trumpet

# Happy Valentine's Day

And now abide faith, hope, love, these three; but the greatest of these is **love**.



## RBC Vision

"Where there is no vision, the people perish."

REACH THE LOST in ministering the gospel into new areas (expansion of youth and children's ministries).

<u>RENEWAL</u> of godly living, Christ-honoring homes, and personal witness for Christ.

RECORD growth and development of Rosanky Christian Academy to train godly young people.

**RAISE** funding to pay off the Worship Center—"Building For Kingdom Growth."

<u>REVIVAL</u> of Holy God's presence and a hunger and thirst for holiness in individuals and families.

I believe this is God's vision for Rosanky Baptist Church. Please pray with me for His mercies to be poured upon us. The door of opportunity is open to us. Ask Holy God to give you a vision of His will for your life.

"Catch the Vision"

-Reaching -Teaching -Serving

# **How to Become A Christian**

(Romans 3:23; Romans 6:23)

Repent (turn away) from your sin

### A—ADMIT:

Admit to God that you are a sinner (Acts 3:19; 1 John 1:9)

#### **B—BELIEVE**

Believe that Jesus is God's only Son and accept God's forgiveness from sin

(Romans 5:8; Acts 4:12; John 3:16; John 14:6; Ephesians 2:8-9; John 1:11-13)

#### **C—CONFESS**

Confess your faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord (Romans 10:9-10, and 13)

## <u>Is it time for you to become a Christian?</u>

God's Holy Spirit will help you know if you are ready to become a Christian. If it is time, pray a prayer such as the one below:

Dear God: I know that I have sinned and that my sin separates me from You. I am sorry for my sins. I believe that Jesus died on the cross for me so that my sin can be forgiven. I believe Jesus rose from the dead and is alive. I ask Jesus, to come into my life and to be my Savior and Lord. I will obey You and live for You the rest of my life.

Thank you, Amen!

# If you have trusted Jesus to be your Savior and Lord, you can be sure that...

- 1) Your sin is forgiven.
- 2) You are a Christian.
- 3) You are a child of God.
- 4) God will always be with you.
- 5) You will go to heaven when you die.

#### What can you do now?

- \*\*Tell others that you are a Christian and that Jesus is your Savior and Lord.
- \*\* Attend Church and Bible Study regularly.
- \*\*Be baptized to show others that you have become a Christian.
- \*\*Read the Bible and pray to God every day.