

The Trumpet

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"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

Friends and Family

As we begin the month of June, we continue to go forward with much uncertainty. Just a month ago, we were even more uncertain, but with each passing day, God continues to lead us forward into the unknown with full assurance that He is with us and for us and will *"NEVER leave us nor forsake us."* We continue to seek out and implement new ways to minister to our people and to impact the world in which we live. With God's leadership and the commitment of our people, we now are doing things that a few months ago were only wishful thinking on our part.

With the reopening of our Church (building), it is exciting to be back together. It is great to see each of you, and to once again worship our God together. Please continue to reach out to those who are still unable to be with us in person due to health issues. Continue to be safe and observe safety guidelines and respect those around you, not putting anyone at risk.

I'd like to share with you a statement written to me by a dear friend (faithful member of RBC). Her statement illustrates well my sentiments and that of so many of our people. I quote: *"How we all miss church together: singing, listening to THE WORD, praying, & fellowship. I confess: I took the blessing for granted. Now we can feel a little more caring & feel the need to pray with or for those whose freedom to worship has been altered or forced to not be able to worship together at all. It's a WAKE-UP call!"* AMEN, my friend!

We serve an awesome God. His Word is true; His Holy Spirit indwells us; and His joy is ours continually if we will simply walk with Him and in His ways. Through all that has happened and will happen, are you allowing Holy God to grow you and stretch you, to make you into the likeness of His Son, the Lord Jesus Christ? The sole purpose of the believer is to glorify God and to grow us in wisdom and knowledge, to become more like Christ. We are here; created by Him for His glory. Without this realization, life makes no sense. Who we are; why we are here; our purpose in life, are found ONLY in an intimate relationship with the risen Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome Back! June begins with new challenges. As we seek to get back to a 'new' normal, allow the Lord Jesus to be your source, your force, and your course as you take each step of faith in this journey. HE IS SOVEREIGN; HE IS GOD! Make it personal.

Keep checking on each other; stay in touch with each other; and continue to encourage one another in the Lord. WE ARE THE CHURCH; *let's not forsake the assembling of ourselves together* (Hebrews 10:25). Let's not take it for granted, it may be taken away some day. I thank my God upon every remembrance of you. You are special to Linda and I. We love you very much. If you need me, please do not hesitate to personally call me. I'm always available for you. MUCH LOVE!

Pastor John

Happy Father's Day!!

UPCOMING EVENTS



June 13th-- Food Pantry

June 14th-- Flag Day

June 17th-- Business Meeting

June 20th-- First Day of Summer

June 21st-- Father's Day

June 27th-- Food Pantry

Sunday Worship Service: 10:00am

Sunday School/Bible Study time: 9:00am

Wednesday Bible Study (for all): 6:00pm

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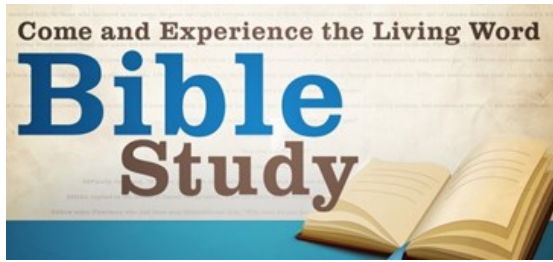
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Education Ministry:

“REACHING, TEACHING, and SERVING” to the glory of God!

Vision 2020!

Welcome Back! On May 31st, we restarted our Sunday morning Bible Study Classes at RBC, along with nursery service for Sunday School and Worship. I pray that you will take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to once again come together around the study of God’s Word.

Remember the time change for Sunday morning Sunday School and Bible Study—NOW at 9 o’clock instead of 10 am, and Sunday morning Worship is now at 10 am. I pray that the new time schedule will be a blessing to everyone. Thus far, the response to the worship time change has been very positive. There will be no Sunday evening service at this time. Also, let me encourage you (adults) to be a part of our Wednesday evening Bible Study and Prayer time @ 6 pm; TeamKID and Youth Group are once again meeting at 6 pm, also. After being unable to study God’s Word together in person for 2 months, I trust that you are hungry for fellowship together in God’s Word. JOIN A BIBLE STUDY CLASS; don’t take for granted that it will always be there.

Let me encourage all of our Adult Bible Study teachers and Children’s Sunday School teachers to reach out to your class to get reconnected. We all need accountability. Also, if you have begun an on-line study and/or group interaction, continue to use it to reach out in communication with each other.

I wish to thank Mrs. Chris Dorgan and our Prayer Team for the great job of keeping the needs of our sick, needy, and elderly disadvantaged before us. We need others who will help us reach out to senior adult members and others who are unable to get out due to health concerns. Help us contact friends in need, senior saints, shut-ins and individuals who are recovering from hospital stays and surgery (perhaps just to call and pray with each one). We need to continue to reach out to make a difference to those less fortunate.

Don’t forsake the study of God’s Word. Take advantage of this time to get closer to one another through the study of God’s Word together. Continue to use phone contacts, letters, or social media to be a blessing and to reach out to others. Love and blessings everyone.

Pastor John



The weather is hot—I hope you are all finding ways to cool down! I’ve seen pictures of many of our RCA students enjoying their summer vacation, and I want you all to know I am praying for your safety, health and well-being.

Many parents ask how they can keep their kids from losing what they learned during the school year. For the lower grades, we recommend grade appropriate workbooks. These are usually fun for the kids to do, because they are different from their usual Pace work. Also, using a fun math app for Math Facts practice can help keep those skills sharp.

The number one way to keep our student’s brains charged over the summer is to read! This is true no matter what age of the student. Most libraries offer summer reading programs for all ages (even adults!). Check out what your local library has to offer. There are points awarded for time spent reading, which the kids can then redeem for prizes. The most important thing is to READ, READ, READ! Have your student read silently, read aloud to you, and pick a wholesome read-aloud book that you can read as a family. You will cherish the time spent together.

Have a great summer!

Mrs. Sarah Voigt, Principal





Towers
10 am



Lost
Pines



Ladies Bible
Study
1pm



SOULEd Out to Christ
Youth Ministry
TeamKID Children's Ministry
6 pm



Adult Bible Study
6 pm



Fellowship Meal
5 pm



Food Pantry
8:30 am

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Volunteers needed Towers and Lost Pines Nursing Home Services

<div>  <h1>JUNE 2020</h1>  </div>						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3   	4	5	6
7	8	9	10   	11	12	13 
14  FLAG DAY	15	16	17 <i>Business Meeting</i>   	18	19	20 
21  HAPPY Fathers DAY	22	23	24   	25	26	27 
28	29	30				

Happy Birthday

Happy Anniversary

1 Terry Breeding
2 Robert Housewright
4 Sharon Nokes
6 Debbie Hakkesteeeg
8 Anna Barker
Ken Dowdy
Celeste Hirsch
10 Peggy Chandler
Bob Miller

12 David Gorman
Bobby Johnson
13 Samantha Perryman
Javier Rodriguez
15 Paulette Schubert
20 Janice Wisnieski
25 Terry Groenveld
26 Anne Boatright
Wyatt Glidewell
27 Jeremy Scrivner

5 Don & Glenna Bomar
6 Louis & Les Hooper
8 Curtis & Lorena Chandler
David & Cindi Bell
18 Jeremy & Katherine Scrivner
20 David & Lou Sloan
22 Bass & Joy Redd
23 Kirk & Susan Dersham

HEART TO HEART

Sister 2 Sister

"Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long." Psalm 25: 4-5

As we realize how vast, and BIG, how far beyond our understanding God is, we may need reminding that He really wants to be in a personal relationship with us.

As He declares over you, "I AM GOD!" He brings it up close and personal, "YOUR Savior." In essence He is saying, "I am here to show you My way right where you walk; to teach you and to use My truth to guide you as you focus on Me in this day. Let your confident expectation be in ME all day long. Keep your eyes on today and do not run ahead into tomorrow. I will walk with you and save you from despair and destruction, from a frantic life and even from yourself."

When we open our hearts and lives to this very personal Savior, He gives an overwhelming confident expectation in EACH day as we arise to say, "You are God, my Savior!"

*Excerpt from 'You are my Savior' by Gail Rodgers.

Have a wonderful and blessed June!!

With love from my heart,
Linda Abraham

Currently, we have decided to postpone Ladies Night Out. We are hopeful to get together in July.

Ladies Bible Study



We are going to begin our new Lysa TerKeurst study, The Best Yes, on **Tuesday, July 7**. I already have several copies of the book and workbook available, so please sign up in the foyer by June 17, if you plan to join the study. If need be, I want to be able to place an order by June 18th, in order to guarantee enough copies for our meeting in July.

I look forward to resuming a regular Bible Study time, and hope you will come join in to a time of fellowship and learning as Sisters in Christ. In the meantime, take care and stay healthy! And as Joshua said, "Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go." (Joshua 1:9)

In His Love,
Mrs. Chris



Youth and Children,

...and then Summer finally made it here. I'm sure many of you have been a bit overwhelmed with maintaining family, home-school, and work. Take a deep breath Summer is finally here and we somehow have made it through with some sanity.

A couple of weeks ago we started meeting again on Wednesday nights for youth and kids' Bible Study. We have had a decent turnout in attendance considering our current situation. More importantly students have been very engaged!

This month we will spend time talking about the Israelites in the wilderness. Through a time of disappointment, suffering, and a promises being deferred, God was there! This month we will be looking at God's goodness and faithfulness, no matter the current circumstances. I hope students will join us!

If you don't know already, summer camps have been cancelled. We are still brainstorming ideas for the summer. Our priority is the students' safety. As soon as we have something concrete I will let you know. If you have any ideas please feel free to share them with me!

In His service,

~Bro. JR

The Resolution

I do solemnly resolve before **God** to take full responsibility for myself, my wife, and my children.

I will love them, protect them, serve them, and teach them the Word of God as the spiritual leader of my home.

I will be faithful to my wife, to love and honor her, and be willing to lay down my life for her as **Jesus Christ** did for me.

I will bless my children and teach them to love **God** with all of their hearts, all of their minds, and all of their strength.

I will train them to honor authority and live responsibly.

I will confront evil, pursue justice, and love mercy.

I will pray for others and treat them with kindness, respect, and compassion.

I will work diligently to provide for the needs of my family.

I will forgive those who have wronged me and reconcile with those I have wronged.

I will learn from my mistakes, repent of my sins, and walk with integrity as a man answerable to **God**.

I will seek to honor **God**, be faithful to **His** church, obey **His** Word, and do **His** will.

I will courageously work with the strength **God** provides to fulfill this resolution for the rest of my life and for **His** glory.

As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.
—Joshua 24:15



O my!! Summer is upon is. How wonderful it is to serve such a Great God!

We are doing so many great things in the music ministry. We are working on developing some ensembles for different events and specials. We are so thankful to Bro. John Dorgan leading us on Sunday mornings. We are now having Choir practice on Wednesdays at 5:00pm. Come and join us!

We look forward to working on all of the great music planned for the summer.

MAINTENANCE TIP OF THE MONTH

How to Silence a Slamming Screen Door

Warm weather and blue skies means a lot of traipsing in and out of your house. And if you have a screen door to allow fresh breezes to flow through, that also means a lot of banging and noise as it slams closed. Just dab a couple of short beads of silicone caulk along the inner door jamb where it hits and let it dry with the door open. The silicone pads will help quiet the racket.



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Month ending April 30, 2020, the General Fund received \$21,984 with expenses of \$25,793. There was a General Fund deficit of \$3,809 for the month. Building Fund receipts were \$1,610. The balance on the building note is \$55,146.

We offer many ways to give your tithe and offering. You may drop off your donation in person at the Church office Monday-Friday, 9:00am-3:00pm, 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. I am available to answer all your questions concerning the church finances. You may call 512-360-3968 to set up an appointment with me, or reach out to me by email at finance@rosankybaptistchurch.com. You may also, reach out to a member of our Finance Committee. 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.

Faith Sanders
Financial Secretary

"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

ROSANKY
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FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY
SERVING OUR
COMMUNITY IN NEED

EVERY 2ND & 4TH
SATURDAY
OF THE MONTH
8:30AM - 11:00AM

The Trumpet

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From the rising of the sun
unto the going down of the same
the LORD's name
is to be praised.

Psalm 113:3

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).
RENEWAL 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."

REVIVAL 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

~Pastor John

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)

Is it time for you to become a Christian?

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.