

WELCOME



If you are a first time visitor please fill out one of our **Information Cards** available at the Information Center or in the Sanctuary. We want to thank you for joining us today as we celebrate God's grace and goodness together. Please be sure to introduce yourself to us and thanks again for coming.

TODAY:

One of the most beautiful and insightful portions of Scripture in the entire Bible is Paul's anointed epistle to the ancient church at Rome. It was Paul's longest, most theological and most influential writing. The Holy Spirit inspired him to reveal the "righteousness of God", found only in Christ. As we prayerfully examine portions of Romans, I pray that our faith will be enhanced and our lives will be encouraged. Today we will be looking into Romans 1, where Scripture describes what life is like when humanity rejects the truth of God.

Wed. night Prayer Meeting Wed. Oct. 1, at 7:00 PM.

I encourage you to find the time to join us and pray for your family and our church family. Come with your Bible and let's worship and believe God together. *"It is good to praise the Lord and make music to your name, O Most High, to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night...For you make me glad by your deeds, O Lord; I sing for joy at the works of your hands. How great are your works, O Lord, how profound your thoughts!"* (Psalm 92: 1-5)



JUST FOR KIDS

Our children join us for worship in the main Sanctuary until they are called to the altar area for prayer. They will then attend Sunday School and will be supervised by our capable workers. Their special Bible lesson will conclude at the same time as the adult service.

Nursery is available during the worship service, led by Len Hoh (Chan). Parents please note that your child needs to be signed-in and signed-out every Sunday.

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The Scriptures give much advice about our relationships with others. It's one of the two commandments that Jesus said summed up all the other commandments in the Scriptures. *"Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself."* (Matt. 22: 37-39) God created us to have relationship with Him and with others. God wants us to have joy in our relationships. That joy is strength to our entire beings. How can we enhance our relationships? What brings that desired joy?

- 1) Listen and give value to the opinions of others! (Phil. 2: 3)
 - 2) Be honest and keep your word! (Proverbs 22: 1)
 - 3) Let others know that they matter to you! (Isaiah 50: 4a)
 - 4) Be one who restores without condemnation! (Gal. 6: 1)
 - 5) Display gentleness to all! (2 Tim. 2: 24)
 - 6) Use your words to bring hope! (1 Peter 3: 15)
 - 7) Understand that others contribute to strengthen your life! (Eccl. 4: 9-10)
 - 8) Withdraw from contentious people! (Proverbs 26: 21)
 - 9) Give what is needed, if you are able! (Proverbs 3: 27&28)
 - 10) Apologize for wrongs and always forgive! (Matt. 6: 12)
- "Dear Father, as we employ your Eternal-Word in our relationships, please bring healing and joy! Amen."

COMING:



Next week is **"We Care Communion Sunday"** please remember to bring one non-perishable food item towards our contribution to Kerr St. Ministries.

We are welcoming a new pastor to ROCC on Sunday, October 19, as a general assistant to Pastor Mills.

Annual Church Business Meeting, Sunday, October 26th, 12:30 PM.