

October 18, 2015

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.

This is the day the Lord has made!

Pastor Mills will be sharing from the Scriptures today.

**Wed. Worship, Bible Study, and Prayer gathering Wed. Oct 7, at 7:00 PM. A Study of 1, 2, and 3 John.*

ROCC Youth Gatherings—Friday Nights @ 7:00 PM SEE PASTOR MARCO!

Promise Keepers Men's conference "GREATER" for Canada is being held in Toronto@ Church on the Queensway, November 13 and 14, 2015. If 10 or more register from one church we get a group rate (\$55). Deadline is Oct. 28th. See poster on bulletin board, or WWW. PROMISEKEEPERS.CA for details. Seven men have already committed...Sign up today!

New Video Series for youth in the foyer room with Pastor Marco

****Remember to prayerfully and knowledgeably vote in the Federal Election tomorrow, Monday, Oct. 19** (ROCC is a Federal Polling Station)**

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.

On the first Sunday of each month (Communion Sunday) our children will stay with their parents in the main sanctuary for the entire service. Nursery will function as usual and be available every Sunday.

Nursery is supervised and available when the children are dismissed from the sanctuary.

"Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited. Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone" (Romans 12: 14-18)

The first century Roman believers received this admonishment from the Apostle in a culture that had no sympathetic history or respect for Christianity. If they were told to strive for peace and love with everyone in that very hostile environment; how much more should we pursue God's love for others in our culture of democracy and human rights?

John Stott gives good advice regarding our influence and witness: "we should neither try to impose Christian standards by force on an unwilling public, nor remain silent and inactive before the contemporary landslide, nor rely exclusively on the dogmatic assertion of biblical values, but rather reason with people about the benefits of Christian morality, commending God's law to them by rational arguments. We believe that God's laws are both good in themselves and universal in their application because, far from being arbitrary, they fit the human beings God has made."

F.Y.I.

Membership Sunday next Sunday, October 25; we are receiving new people into membership at ROCC.

Annual Business Meeting: After the morning worship gathering on Sunday November 8.

Daylight Savings Time ends on November 1 and the **CLOCKS** go back one hour at 2:00 AM. We suggest you turn your clocks back at bed-time on Sat. Oct. 31. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep!

Church Christmas Banquet FRIDAY, NOV. 27, 7:00 PM. Details coming soon!