

Rehoboth Baptist Church

The Lord's Service

September 17, 2023



Welcome & Greeting

Prelude

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Hymn** *O God, Our Help in Ages Past* **#28**

Prayer of Confession

***Hymn** *His Mercy Is More* **Insert**

Pastoral Prayer

***Presentation of Offerings, Doxology & Prayer**

***Scripture** (p. 1086) Acts 6:8–8:1

Sermon **Warn the Hard-Hearted**

***Hymn** *Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* **#291**

***Benediction** (God's Promised Blessing)

Postlude

*** Please Stand**

Piano: Steve Wick; Diane Littlehale

Notes and Announcements

Ongoing Prayer Concerns

- Pray for the recovery efforts in Morocco after the earthquake and Libya after flooding. Pray that the Gospel will go out in these hard places.
- Pray for the CEF Fair Ministry coming up this Fall.
- Pastor Vadim, his wife, Nadia, children, Veronique and William are now in the USA, Washington.
- Pastor Sergei, his wife, Zoya, daughter, Alena, and churches; Philip and Lida, with Sergei and planting a new church among refugees in their new country.
- Pray for the elders and congregation at Grace Community Chapel, Seekonk, in need of a pastor.
- Pray for the Church planting effort in Central Falls.

To the RBC Members:

The Elders encourage you to pray especially that God would grant each of us:

- To build RBC with the precious stones of **God's Word**, **God's Spirit**, working through **God's people**.

Stewardship Report for 2023 (36)

Actual: \$ 131,555

Budget: \$ 148,736

Surplus/Deficit: \$17,181

Sunday evening service, 6 PM. Join us tonight for singing, prayer. Robert Richards, Local Director for CEF of Western MA, will speak.

Wednesday, 7 PM, Prayer meeting. Prayer from Scripture, prayer for our missionaries and the church, and the needs of others.

Saturday, 7-8 AM, Men's Bible Study on Galatians.

Sunday School, 9–9:45 AM. We are studying Nehemiah. The children's class for the Fall TBA.

Another evangelism App for your phone: **"The Story" App** is also a free resource you can find here: <https://thestoryfilm.com/apps>

Child Evangelism Fellowship of MA needs volunteers for sharing the Gospel with children at The Big E in Springfield Sep. 11 – Oct. 1 and at the Topsfield Fair Sep. 29 to Oct. 9. For more information, check the bulletin board to scan the QR code or CEFMA.org.

Oct. 27 & 28, Bolton Conference at Pleasant Street Christian Reformed Church, 25 Cross Street, Whitinsville, MA. Theme: "*Precious Fruits that Abide; Evangelism and Discipleship in New England.*" Speakers: Stephen Nichols and Jeremy Walker. See <https://newenglandreformedfellowship.org/2023-conference> for details.

Nov. 3 & 4th, BCNE Annual Meeting. Manchester, NH. See bulletin board for more details and QR code.