

Prayer Requests and Praise Reports

New 10/4/2020

Joann Bartilson - Pray for those recovering from the storm and the pandemic.

Alan Bible (Nellie Fulbright's brother-in-law) - Thank you for praying for Alan Bible. He is doing better.

Jacqueline Boozer - She needs prayers for God to bless her with a house for her son and her.

Ginger Ferguson (Christi Hartis' mother) - Pray the cancer treatments continue to work.

Sena Lucas - Continue to pray that the immigration hardship waiver gets accepted.

Betsey Peake - Continue praying for Justin, Courtney and Laythn.

Cindy Scott - Please continue to pray for her health and comfort.

Kevin White (Brenda White's son) He had surgery on October 1. Please pray for his comfort and healing.

If you would like the prayer team to pray for your needs, please contact the church office at 327-5724 or fill out your prayer request on your Connection Cards.

RMC October Birthdays

*Tom Grobusky - 10/4, Brenda White - 10/6, Pat Blake - 10/7,
Lesslie Pursley - 10/25, Denise Kendrick - 10/27*

The Elder on call for this week is:

Elden LeBrun - 704-634-5892

Deacons ushering in October are:

Jimmy Joy & Steve Nunn

Pastor David Stover may be reached at home at 484-678-4923,
or by email at Stoverdavid@hotmail.com

Church Debt Reduction Program
General Debt - \$0.00 Mortgage - \$29,490.70



In The Storm

Jonah 1:1-17

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Welcome to Rogers Memorial Church

Sunday, October 4, 2020

ACT 1: CREATION

Worship Video (we reflect on His goodness to us)
Call To Worship (God invites us to come to Him)
Offering (we invest in the mission of His church here & around the world)
Praise Song (we celebrate His grace, truth, beauty, and majesty)

ACT 2: FALL

Preparing To Listen Song (we prepare to hear from Him through His Word)
Leader Sharing & Prayer (we are honest with God as we express our need for Him)

ACT 3: REDEMPTION

Sermon (we listen to God through His Word)

ACT 4: RENEWAL

Song of Response (we respond to our Lord)
Benediction (we are sent to live on mission as God's people)

Who May Receive the Lord's Supper

Jesus invites everyone that has professed faith in Him to participate in the Lord's Supper even if you are a member in good standing at another church.

Also, for children, we welcome the baptized children of our congregation to participate after Pastor David and one of our elders hear their profession of faith.

Children of our guests, who have been similarly admitted to the Lord's Supper in their home congregations, are welcome to participate with us.

If you have questions or aren't sure, please don't feel any pressure to participate. Please talk to Pastor David or one of the elders if you have any questions.

For more information about anything go to our Facebook or Website

For Our Guests

Thanks for being with us today! We're thrilled you're here and want to extend a warm welcome. We know a first time visit to a church can sometimes feel a little uncomfortable, so let us offer a few suggestions. 1) Relax and enjoy yourself, you're among friends. 2) After the service, please introduce yourself to our pastor. He would love to meet you personally and answer any questions you may have. It's our pleasure to have you with us!

Connection Cards

Whether you are a guest or a member, please fill out the Connection Card inside the bulletin, and put it in the black box on the table as you exit.

Children's Bulletin

The children's bulletin is now available at the new Welcome Center located in the lobby.

Read Through the Bible Charts

There are copies available of the 4th Quarter Bible charts on the literature table in the lobby.

RMC CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Communion/Benevolence

We'll have Communion during the worship service today. Also, we'll take a benevolence offering after the service to help those in need.

Operation Christmas Child

We will be collecting shoeboxes soon for Operation Christmas Child. Decorated plastic shoeboxes can be purchased at Hobby Lobby for \$2.99. More information to come in the following weeks.

Food Drive

We'll be taking donations on Sundays before the service for food boxes to help those who need food assistance in our community.

RMC Church Officers

Elders— Mr. Shawn Hand
Mr. Terence Kendrick
Mr. Elden LeBrun
Mr. Randy Saverance

Deacons— Mr. Jimmy Blake, Chairman
Mr. James Hartis
Mr. Jimmy Joy
Mr. Steve Nunn

Office Administrator and Treasurer - Mrs. Christi Hartis

Scripture:

Jonah 1:1-17

- 1** The word of the LORD came to Jonah son of Amittai:
- 2** “Go to the great city of Nineveh and preach against it, because its wickedness has come up before me.”
- 3** But Jonah ran away from the LORD and headed for Tarshish. He went down to Joppa, where he found a ship bound for that port. After paying the fare, he went aboard and sailed for Tarshish to flee from the LORD.
- 4** Then the LORD sent a great wind on the sea, and such a violent storm arose that the ship threatened to break up.
- 5** All the sailors were afraid and each cried out to his own god. And they threw the cargo into the sea to lighten the ship. But Jonah had gone below deck, where he lay down and fell into a deep sleep.
- 6** The captain went to him and said, “How can you sleep? Get up and call on your god! Maybe he will take notice of us so that we will not perish.”
- 7** Then the sailors said to each other, “Come, let us cast lots to find out who is responsible for this calamity.” They cast lots and the lot fell on Jonah.
- 8** So they asked him, “Tell us, who is responsible for making all this trouble for us? What kind of work do you do? Where do you come from? What is your country? From what people are you?”
- 9** He answered, “I am a Hebrew and I worship the LORD, the God of heaven, who made the sea and the dry land.”
- 10** This terrified them and they asked, “What have you done?” (They knew he was running away from the LORD, because he had already told them so.)

11 The sea was getting rougher and rougher. So they asked him, “What should we do to you to make the sea calm down for us?”

12 “Pick me up and throw me into the sea,” he replied, “and it will become calm. I know that it is my fault that this great storm has come upon you.” **13** Instead, the men did their best to row back to land. But they could not, for the sea grew even wilder than before. **14** Then they cried out to the LORD, “Please, LORD, do not let us die for taking this man’s life. Do not hold us accountable for killing an innocent man, for you, LORD, have done as you pleased.” **15** Then they took Jonah and threw him overboard, and the raging sea grew calm. **16** At this the men greatly feared the LORD, and they offered a sacrifice to the LORD and made vows to him. **17** Now the LORD provided a huge fish to swallow Jonah, and Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights.

2 Corinthians 5:21

God made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Christ.

Matthew 12:41

The men of Nineveh will stand up at the judgment with this generation and condemn it; for they repented at the preaching of Jonah, and now something greater than Jonah is here.

Connection Card

WELCOME!

We're so glad that you took the time to be our guest today! We would love to get to know you better and find out how we can serve you. Please drop this card off in the red buckets as you exit.

Name

Phone Number

Email

Belong

- I am interested in talking with the pastor or leader to learn more about the church.
- I am interested in learning more about Community Groups.
- I am interested in learning about how to become a member of the church.

Serve

- I am interested in opportunities to serve others.
 - We serve others by giving. Would you like more info about online giving?
 - We love to serve others by praying. How can we pray for you or someone you know?
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(Use the back of this card if you need more room)

Grow

- I would like to know more about opportunities to follow Christ.
- Every member and regular attender has a Shepherding Group. I would like to be included in a group.

Engage

- I am interested in learning how to share my faith or why we believe what we believe as followers of Christ.