

## Welcome to River Park Church!

We are so glad to gather to worship our great God this morning!  
The Nursery, ages 2 & under, is at the south end of the foyer.  
Sunday School: Pre-School – Grade 6 children will join at the start of the service, and then will be invited to their classes.  
Difficulty hearing? Devices are available at the sound booth.  
Prayer partners are available after the service in the sanctuary.  
We are a scent free community, so those who have perfume sensitivities and allergies to scents would be able to join us.

March 12, 2017

10:00 am Worship Pastor Derek Van Dalen

*Come People Of The Risen King*

*All Who Are Thirsty*

*Amazing Grace*

Welcome & Greeting

Invite Children to Sunday School & Jacob's Ladder

River Park Life

Morning Prayer

Offering: Pregnancy Care Centre

*As It Is In Heaven*

Reading of Mark 10: 13-31

Message: Entering the Kingdom

Apostles Creed

God's Blessing

*Build Your Kingdom Here*

Worship Team

Music team: Klaske L, Jiyeon C, Alice C, Gwen H, Jay L, James V, Arnold M

Tech Team: William T, Phil D, Floyd H

## Our Offerings

Our offering is an opportunity for us to celebrate financially God's generosity towards us. Our first offering is for the **Pregnancy Care Centre**. The Pregnancy Care Centre helps girls and women to discuss their options when dealing with an unexpected and/or unwanted pregnancy. Our second offering is for the **RPC Ministries Fund**. The RPC Ministries Fund supports the ministries of our church including Sunday School, Jacob's Ladder, Youth Group, Intercultural Ministries, and capital improvements to our building. Offerings are also received electronically and with RPC tokens. Token and Electronic Transfer forms are available on the information table in the church foyer.

This week at River Park Church

Mar 12	Multicultural Ping Pong Tourn	12:00 pm
Mar 12	Youth Group	2:45 pm
Mar 13	GEMS @ Emmanuel CRC	6:30 pm
Mar 14	Women's Ministry	9:30 am
Mar 15	Prayer Meeting	7:30 am
Mar 15	Pastoral Care Elders Meeting	9:30 am
Mar 15	ESL Classes	10:00 am & 1:00 pm
Mar 15	ICM Bible Study	7:00 pm
Mar 16	Friendship Meeting	7:00 pm
Mar 17	Home Church Groups	7:30 pm
Mar 18	Ministry to Men Meeting	8:00 am
Mar 18	Taekwondo	3:00 pm
Mar 19	Multicultural Small Group	12:00 pm
Mar 19	Youth Group	6:30 pm

Next Week

Next Sunday Pastor Harrison will continue our series on the Gospel of Mark and the Apostles Creed. The text will be Mark 10:35-45. We will also celebrate the Lord's Supper. The offering will be for the Deacon's Fund.

River Park Family

**Please remember our church family in your** prayers with ongoing physical, spiritual, and emotional struggles. Give them a call or send them a note. Art V at Rocky Ridge Retirement Community, Nellie K at McKenzie Town Care Centre, Tom F at Chinook Hospice, Peter S at Carewest Garrison Green, Shirley Y at Sandstone Lodge, Else T at Cedars Villa, Grace R and Wietske S at Beverly Care Centre, John D at Sunrise Village, High River, Bill G at Bow View Manor, Irena S at Mayfair Care Centre, Mike R at Bethany Care Centre, Annie V at Sarcee Rehab, Matthew T, Dan H, Ronald and Sean B.

## River Park Family Cont'd

**Keep in prayer** Harry S and Paul D. Richard A will have a CT Scan early this week to determine how the cancer is responding to treatments. May God grant relief, strength, and recovery from these health issues!

River Park Life

**Unique Opportunity – Employment Support Group.** Work is much more than a paycheque, so those who experience employment issues often struggle with self-esteem, human dignity, hope and purpose. An Employment Support Group is starting to encourage those with employment issues. We invite you to participate and help provide social, emotional, practical and spiritual care for people who are part of River Park Church, area Christian Reformed Churches, and our community. If you sense God calling you to this new ministry, please contact the church office. Thank you for considering this vital, timely opportunity to share God's love. **The Service Deacons** desire to assist those who are unemployed or underemployed. Current employment needs: Journeyman Electrician, Beginner Apprentice Electrician (2), Barber, Labourer. Contact Riky G if you have job leads or if you or a friend has a need for employment.

**Tuition Help Fund:** The Service Deacons invite applications for tuition Assistance for Christian School Education for the 2017/18 school year. Please contact Dennis V to apply and then return the application to the Service Deacons by May 15 2017.

**The Friendship group** thanks all of RPC for their generous support for our William Watson Lodge trip. If you would still like to make a food or financial donation, please contact Emmy M or Francine A. **Give thanks** that the Baka New Testament for people in South Sudan is complete! Pray that this new translation of God's Word will grow hope in a country is suffering through war and famine.

**Youth Leader:** Adam's service will end in a few months. We are now searching for a new youth leader. Please contact the church office if you are or someone you know is interested.

**Sunday School Parents!** Sunday School coordination team needs your input. Join us for informal meeting after service Mar. 19th in the fellowship hall. Toys and a short movie for children will be in the activity room.

**GEMS CAMP 2017** registration forms are available from your Head Counsellor. Registration deadline, May 1. Only 50 spots available!

**Youth Group** is going to the Hitmen hockey game today. We'll meet at the Jaime & Jonah B house at 2:45 pm and return around 8 pm. Bring money for the C-train; hockey tickets are free! Invite your friends!

**Yearly Financials** for RPC Members have been placed in your mail slots. Please retrieve them as soon as possible.

*Thank you to all who are serving today!*

*Greeters*

Mar. 12	Harvy & Martha G, Rob & Miriam K
Mar. 19	Hank & Willie V, Marc & Glenda J

*Nursery Schedule*

	<b>Babies</b>	<b>Toddlers &amp; 2 year olds</b>
Mar. 12	Henrietta K Isabel S	John t Pauline K
	<b>Reception:</b> Elisabeth v	
Mar. 19	Mary Anne D Christina t	Jaden M Judy V
	<b>Reception:</b> Joanna N	

**MARCH 12, 2017**

*Coffee Hosts*

	<b>Serving &amp; clean-up (after service)</b>
Mar. 12	Hank & Jane B
Mar. 19	Harry & Tena V, Josh & Jolyn B

We would like to get to know you better and so we invite you to fill out a welcome card. Please leave the card in mail slot #1.

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