

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF ROSENDALE CHRISTIAN CHURCH - JANUARY 2

Join a Lifegroup today! Contact a leader or member to get connected with a group. Group Leaders: Kent Klundt, Ana Klundt, Bill Elliott, Gary Hughes,



Pick up a 2019 Bible Reading Schedule today! January is on the foyer table.



The first sermon in January will be about RCC's mission and the next two will be a Gospel Reset.



Wednesdays after school KICK –After school until 5pm Momentum—5:43

Church Events

- Jan. 1-HAPPY NEW YEAR!
- Jan. 2 Women's Bible Study
- Jan. 9– Faith, Fiber & Fun
- Jan. 9—Elder/BoardMeeting 5:30/7pm
- Jan 13—Men's Bible Study 6:30am
- Jan 16—Women's Bible Study
- Jan 20—Nursing Homes
- Jan 20 -Baby Dedications
- Jan 27—Men's Bible Study6:30am
- Jan 27—His Princess
 Fundraiser

The Equipper

Equipping the leaders of RCC through the plain and faithful teaching of God's word."

"Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be still wiser; teach a just man, and he will increase in learning"

Lessons from Christianity from Chik-Fil-a! This coming May, 2019, I will have been out of Bible College for 30 years! Wow! Does time fly by. It doesn't seem possible, but it is. While I've been away from the formal classroom of academia for that long, I have not stopped learning. Life is about living and learning. I am and will always be a student of the Scriptures, knowledge and life. And, it is sometimes surprising where you can discover new things. If we will just keep our ears open and our mouths closed, we can learn a lot. I wonder if that's what Solomon had in mind when he wrote Proverbs 9:9 (and the rest of Proverbs for that matter). Anyway, I'm sitting at Chik-fil-a in St Joe on Wednesday, eating my #1 Combo-a regular chicken sandwich, a medium waffle fry and an unsweetened iced tea! In the booth right behind me was an Asst. Manager and two young ladies applying for employment. I didn't need to eavesdrop because he's talking loud enough for me to hear. What I heard in that short interview was worth at least 3 lessons on what it means to be a Christian. 1. Second-Mile Service. The Asst. Manager asked if they knew what that meant. They didn't, so he proceeded to tell them. He told them about first-mile service in that they took someone's order at the register, refilled a drink, etc. He said, at Chik-fil-a, we don't just want to do that. We want to find ways to go out of our way to serve the customer. To make their time here a good, enjoyable experience. We want to find ways to go the extra-mile-to smile at them, engage them in a conversation, offer to fill drinks for them (so they don't have to ask), etc. He didn't refer to Jesus' words in Matt 5, but Jesus told His disciples about second-mile service thousands of years before Chik-fil-a was around. Jesus said, "And whoever compels you to go one mile, go with him two." (Matt 5:41). What if everyday, wherever we were, if we had that second-mile service attitude with others? How would that change you and, the other person, the environment you're in? What if we came to church like that every week? Ready to serve anyone and everyone, going well beyond what is expected? Isn't that what Jesus did during His ministry? Serving others was His passion. He said, "I did not come to be served, but to serve and give my life as a ransom for many." (Matt 20:28). 2. Put your own interests The Asst. Manager asked the two applicants. Have you ever had a bad day and it sticks with you? He said, when you come here, before you come to work, we ask you to put those things aside. Leave your interests, problems outside and be ready to think of others and serve others while you're here. Wow! In a Me-Generation (Selfie-World), that 's a pretty big request. In other words, it's not about you! Paul taught this to the Philippians. He wrote, "Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others." (Phil 2:4). Again, what if we faced life, work, church, ministry, everything with that perspective? Do you think we'd be miserable? Not at all! Actually, I believe there is more joy, fulfillment in thinking of others more than yourself. 3. "That we might glorify God by being a faithful steward to do all that is entrusted to our care..." The mission of Chik-fil-a is not to make lots of money? Or, sell millions of chicken sandwiches? Nope. It's to glorify God! Remember, Chik-fil-a is a Christian company, founded by S. Truett Cathy in 1946. It was built on this purpose. If their purpose is to glorify God; to go the extra mile and be selfless servants for a restaurant, then how much more important is it for us to do these things for eternal purposes? Yes, I learned a lot in just about 20 minutes about the reason I'm on the planet earth. And, I hope you've been reminded of you ultimate purpose here as well—to serve others and glorify God with your life! —Pastor Kent



This month has flown by for preschool! We have had so much fun learning the real reason for the season. The kids have made it half way through the alphabet and have been working hard on their names too. We had a great last day before Christmas break. We exchanged gifts, played a game, watched a movie and had spaghetti for lunch.

RCC MISSSIONS

- Trans World Radio
- Indian Mission-Church of God
- Salvation Army
- **Andrew County Ministries**
- Emmanuel Children's Home
- **Grace Covenant**
- 3:18 Ministries
- <u>Heinri</u>chs
- Chosen People

- Show Me Christian Youth Home
- Lighthouse
- Campus House Ministries
- Rapha House
- Back Pack Buddies
- **Creation Truth**
- **Pregnancy Resource Center**
- Amanda W –Thailand

Volunteers

Greeters:

Jan 6: John & Deb Wehr

Jan 13: Lisa Hughes

Jan 20: Jay & Tracie Warder

Jan 27: Larry & Pat Carr

Lead Deacon:

Jan 6: Dewayne Davison

Jan 20: Richard Edwards

Jan 27: Michelle Grimes

Jan 13: Jennie Edwards

Hospital Callers:

Jan 6: Gary & Theresa Nie

Jan 13: David & Sallie Jo Potter

Jan 20: Phil & Tatia Shahan

Jan 27: Stacy Cole

Teachers: Nursery

1st Sun: Lisa Hughes & Lindsey Thomas

2nd Sun: Deb Wehr & Lauren W

3rd Sun: Toni Hurst & Amanda K

4th Sun: Judy Lewis & Audrey K

Children's Moments:

1st Sun: Edith Thereau

2nd Sun: Tracie Warder

3rd Sun: Nova Hughes

4th Sun: John Boles

Children's Church Craft

1st Sun: Amy Nester & Kendall N

2nd Sun: Holly Mitts & Shanna Brincks

3rd Sun: Shannon Schuman & Tyler

4th Sun: Andrea Schildknecht

5th Sun: Theresa Nie

Communion for January:

Clarence & Sandy Bauman







Rosendale Christian Church's Baby Dedication service will be held Sunday January 20th, 2019. If you would like your child included in the service please contact Pastor Kent.



The His Princess Boutique is having a fundraiser! We are hosting a Chili Fundraiser and Auction for the boutique Sunday, January 27th, 2019 here at Rosendale Christian Church. The meal is a free will donation and there will be a silent auction as well as a dessert auction. The fun starts right after worship services, around Noon. Hope to see you!



January 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Women's Study	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 Faith, Fiber & Fun 9am KICK Elder/Board 5:30/7pm	10	11	12
13 Men's Study 6:30am	14	15	16 KICK Momentum Women's Study	17	18	19
20 Baby Dedica- tion Nursing Homes	21	22	23 KICK Momentum	24	25	26
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Announcements &

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We will be taking down Christmas

decorations on Monday, January 7th. Anyone that would like to help is welcome. Please contact Pastor Kent or a member of the Eulogeo team for more information.



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