

Welcome to Rosedale

Sunday May 19, 2013

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Musical Praise & Worship

Junior Church

Family Prayer

Scripture Reading.....Hebrews 13:7-8

Message.....Pastor John Bellingham

“REMEMBER YOUR LEADERS”

Closing Song

Benediction

Into the world to live and witness for the Lord

Memory Verses for Junior Church:

Younger Elementary:

Review: Matthew 5:16; Philippians 2:13;
Ephesians 2:8-9

Middle Elementary:

“But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect.” 1 Peter 3:15

Mission of the Week

Christian Salvage Mission

Shipping used Christian Literature overseas

- Pray for a container of over 36,000 pounds of material which was delivered to Uganda in January!
- If you have any used books, magazines or stamps to donate, please bring them in to the church.

“Faith comes by hearing, and hearing through the Word of Christ.” Romans 10:17

Families of the Week

Please remember to encourage and pray for the following families this week.

<u>Monday</u>	Cerone, Richard & Carole Kaitlynn, Jonathan, Tiffany, Jeremy
<u>Tuesday</u>	Chadwick, Graham & Shirley Kristen, Ryan
<u>Wednesday</u>	Christian, Marguerite Amanda
<u>Thursday</u>	Cimato, Dave & Stephanie Malyssa, Lauren, David
<u>Friday</u>	Denis, Gaston & Kim
<u>Saturday</u>	Denis, David

Rosedale Baptist Church



Reaching up....

Reaching in....

Reaching out...

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This Week at Rosedale

Tuesday: Men's Bible Study – 9:30am

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting – 7:00pm

Friday: College and Careers – 6:30pm

Saturday: Men's Bible Study – 8:00am
(Pastor John's house)
Niagara Prayer Group – 9:30am

Vacation Bible School: We will be hosting a morning VBS from July 22- July 26 for children ages 4-12. If you would like to register or volunteer please speak with Leslie Bellingham.

Baby Bottle Campaign: Help support Elisha House by signing up in the foyer this morning! Speak to Sue StAmour for more information.

Zumba Charity Event: Saturday May 25 at Rosedale. \$10 Admission. All proceeds will go to Elisha House. Spread the word and speak to Heather Arnold for more details.

75th Anniversary Outreach: On Saturday July 20th from 11:00am -2:00pm we will be having a Free Garage Sale, BBQ and other fun activities to share Christ's love with our community. Start saving items for the Garage Sale, but don't bring them to the church until June. More information to follow. Speak to Anita Nagy if you have any questions or would like to help.

Remember Your Leaders

Hebrews 13:7-8

As we take an opportunity today to honour two outstanding leaders who have served faithfully here at Rosedale, God's Word outlines three commands for us to obey as those who have been under Pastor Ron's spiritual care:

1) Remember, 2) Consider, 3) Imitate

I. Remember Your Leaders

- 1) Godly leaders are a gift of God to His Church (cf. Ephesians 4:11-14)
- 2) Leaders enjoy a tremendous privilege
 - a. Shepherding the Flock
 - i. Prayer
 - ii. Pastoral Care
 - iii. Discipline
 - b. Preaching the Word
 - c. Administering the Ordinances
 - d. Equipping the Saints for Ministry
- 3) Leaders bear a tremendous responsibility
 - a. They are 'undershepherds' of the Chief Shepherd (1 Peter 5:1-4)
 - b. They are held to a high standard (vv. 17-18)
 - i. Moses (Numbers 20:10-13)
 - ii. The Ephesian Elders (Acts 20:26-27)
 - iii. James' Warning (James 3:1)
 - c. They carry the burden of the Church family entrusted to their care (2 Corinthians 11:28)

II. Consider the Outcome of their Way of Life

- 1) Personal "Outcomes" of a Godly Lifestyle
 - a. Walking by Faith → Trust in God's character
 - b. Prayer → Reliance on God's provision
 - c. Bible Study → Knowledge of God
 - d. Evangelism → Compassion for Lost People
- 2) Corporate "Outcomes" of a Godly Ministry
 - a. Centrality of the Word of God
 - b. Priority of Prayer
 - c. Unity within the Body of Christ
 - i. Inside the Church
 - ii. With other Bible believing Churches
 - d. Passion to fulfill the Great Commission and the Great Commandment
 - e. New Spiritual Life
 - f. Equipping New Leaders

III. Imitate their Faith

- 1) Goal is the imitation of Christ: "Imitate me as I imitate Christ" (1 Corinthians 11:1)
- 2) No greater joy for a Pastor than seeing his spiritual children walking in the truth (3 John 1:4; 2 Corinthians 3:2)

Sermon Notes: