

## Welcome to RCC!

We are happy to have you with us today. We hope this will be a special time of worship for you.

**Connection Card** . . . by filling out the Connection Card, you enable us to know a little more about you and how we can serve you. You can also use this card to make us aware of prayer requests or sign up for various activities.

**Welcome Centers** . . . if you're new to RCC, please bring your Connection Card to one of our Welcome Centers, located in both foyers. We'd love to meet you, answer any questions you might have and give you a special gift!

**Parents** . . . RCC values kids. We have dedicated ourselves to providing a caring and safe environment where they can learn about God in a way that is appropriate to their age level.

Please visit the Resource Center at the back of the Worship Center or ask one of our Greeters for a listing of youth activities and locations.

**About Communion** . . . communion is served in every worship service and is open to all who follow Christ. When served, you will find the bread and juice stacked in two cups, hold the cups and take when you are ready. Baskets will be passed to collect empty cups.

### Urgent Prayer Requests

Leader on Call . . . Scott Wilson . . . 685-1743 ♦ Prayer Vine . . . Laura Welch . . . 741-5927

### QUESTIONS?

Stop by the Welcome Center or contact the church office at 498.9264 or office@rochesterchristian.com

#### FULL-TIME STAFF

Lead Pastor, Brad Ferris • Adult Discipleship Pastor, Shawn Smith • Children's Pastor, Curtis Batchelder • Student Pastor, Matt O'Dell • Worship & Creative Arts Pastor, Ethan Tapscott • Missions Director, Heidi Wareham • Business Manager, April Vinyard • Office Manager, Laura Welch

#### PART-TIME STAFF

Early Childhood Director, Lisa Moore • Preschool Director, Angie Beier  
Emilie Tapscott, Communication Director • Building & Grounds, Kirk Barton

BAPTISMS IN 2018: 10 ♦ GENERAL FUND WEEKLY NEED: \$19,504 / OFFERING 06/10/18: \$18,189

## Ways to Connect at RCC!

**Father's Day** . . . in honor of all the men of RCC for Father's Day, we donated \$500 to The Outlet in Springfield. The Outlet provides a safe haven for fatherless boys and young men ages 8-22 where they can interact with friends, enjoy recreation, and be challenged to fulfill their God-given potential as men of character and standard. They accomplish this through programs such as one-on-one mentoring, a music studio, coffee with a cop, computer classes, college readiness, and participation in a basketball league. For more information, visit <https://theoutletillinois.org>.

**Take-A-Stake In RCC Youth** . . . we have BIG plans for our youth this summer! As in the past, we ask our church family to support our young people both prayerfully and financially. Check out the "Take-A-Stake" table at the back of the Worship Center to find out more!

**RCC at Sparks In The Park** . . . RCC is providing a Hydration Station (free water); Relaxation Station (seating, fans and umbrellas) and Corn Tables for the kids to play in at Sparks In The Park this year. You can help by donating a case (or cases) of **8 ounce** bottled water. Just bring them to church with you and leave in the Worship Center. We also need help tearing down on Sunday, July 1, at 7:00 pm. If you can help tear down, contact Shawn in the office or at [shawnsmith@rochesterchristian.com](mailto:shawnsmith@rochesterchristian.com).

**Elder Nominations** . . . we will be accepting nominations for potential Elder candidates for 2019 during the month of June. Visit the table at the back of the Worship Center.

**Coffee Fellowship Ministry In Need of Volunteers** . . . we're looking for volunteers for the Coffee Fellowship Ministry. If you have a servant's heart and would like to join this ministry opportunity, please contact Kris Gibbons at [kvangibb@yahoo.com](mailto:kvangibb@yahoo.com) or call the church office.

**Six Flags** . . . Tuesday, June 19, 8:00 am to 8:00 pm, for students in 4th to 7th grades in the Fall. Cost is \$65 unless you have a "Read to Succeed" ticket then cost is \$35. Sign up with Mr. B. in the church office or email [curtisbatchelder@rochesterchristian.com](mailto:curtisbatchelder@rochesterchristian.com)

**IronMen Breakfast** . . . all men are invited to join us on July 14 at 7:00 am in the Worship Center for a good breakfast and great conversation. Sign up on your Connection Card today!

### HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US . . .

- Friend/family: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sign/drove by  Website

### I'D LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT . . .

- Small Groups  Student Ministry  
 Mission Trips  Children's Ministry  
 Serving

### SIGN ME UP FOR . . .

- IronMen Breakfast**, July 14

### WE WOULD LOVE TO PRAY FOR YOU OR FOR SOMEONE IN YOUR LIFE. YOU CAN LET US KNOW BY SUBMITTING A REQUEST.

- Confidential . . . unless marked "confidential," the request will be put on our prayer list.

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Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

## CONNECTION CARD

Please fill out this card and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a greeter at the Welcome Center.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Service attended:  8:00 am  9:15 am  10:45 am

### YOUR INFORMATION . . .

I am:  a first-time visitor  a member/regular attender  
 a returning visitor  updating information

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (H) \_\_\_\_\_

(C) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Which best describes you?

<18  18-24  25-34  35-44  45-54  >55  
 student  single  married  widow

### I'D LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT . . .

- Baptism  
 Becoming a member  
 Small Group Connection  
 Sign me up for your e-news letter

06/17/18

## Sermon Notes . . .

### #THEUPSIDEDOWNLIFE . . . THE SALT AND LIGHT

Matthew 5:13-16

JESUS IS GIVING US AN IDENTITY AS HE WRAPS UP THE BEATITUDES.

WHAT IS THIS IDENTITY?

1. BE \_\_\_\_\_. Matthew 5:13; Romans 1:16; Isaiah 40:8; Acts 4:12-13; 1 Peter 3:15
2. BE \_\_\_\_\_. Matthew 5:14-15; John 8:12; Matthew 28:19-20; Matthew 5:14; John 14:15; Ephesians 5:8; Matthew 5:15
3. BE \_\_\_\_\_. Matthew 5:16; Galatians 5:13

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH

date // **JUNE 17, 2018**

message // **#THEUPSIDEDOWNLIFE . . . THE SALT AND LIGHT**

teaching // **BRAD FERRIS, LEAD PASTOR**



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**WEEKEND SERVICES**

Sundays at 8:00; 9:15 & 10:45