

ROSS ROAD

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Helping People Find and Follow Jesus

July 3, 2016

Worship Service: 10:00 am

Leading Us In Worship
Dave Rodda & Worship Band

Today's Message:

On My Heart:

"Original Conflict"

Genesis 1:26-31; 3:4-13

Shelaine Strom

Our Vision...

We envision a Spirit-led church of bold Christ followers, who are experiencing a new freedom in His love and are intentionally leading their friends, neighbours and world to Him.

WELCOME

We are so glad you said 'yes' to God's invitation to be with us today! We'd like to get to know you better! Please take time to fill out one of our **Connect Cards** found in the pews and drop it in the offering bag. *Thank you!*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Join in worship with **Dave Rodda** and the Worship Team.

Guitar - Dave Rodda
Piano - Marilyn Herrett
E. Guitar - Rob Herrett

Vocals - Sharon Timmermans
Bass - Graeme McAllister
Drums - Jason Janz

Audio - Bryce Unraw
Media - Bob Regier

theWeek

sunday. july. 03

9:30 am Prayer Time @ Prayer Room

10:00-11:15 am RRCC Worship

wednesday. july. 06

10:00-11:00 am Pray & Play @ Delair Park

comingUp

sunday. july. 10

RRCC Prayer Encounter

sunday. july. 17

Communion

monday. august. 01

Church office is closed for BC Day

friday. august. 12

Youth Nightsliding @ Cultus Lake Waterslides

sunday. august. 14

RRCC Prayer Encounter

sunday. august. 21

Communion

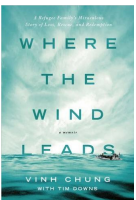
monday. september. 05

Church office is closed for Labour Day

LAST WEEK AT RRCC

Church Ministries	Other	Building	Attendance
\$13,031.60	\$200.00	\$250.00	354

LIBRARY



Follow author **Vinh Chung** and his family on their desperate journey from pre-war Vietnam, through pirate attacks, to a miraculous rescue and a new home in Arkansas. There Vinh struggled against **poverty, discrimination, and a bewildering language barrier**—yet still managed to graduate from Harvard Medical School. ***Where the Wind Leads*** is Vinh's tribute to the courage and sacrifice of his parents, a testimony to his family's faith, and a reminder to people everywhere that the American dream carries with it a greater responsibility.

FAMILY NEWS & AROUND THE NEIGHBOURHOOD

Janice Esau will be leaving July 9th for the Dominican Republic where she'll be teaching for the next three years at Doulos Discovery School. Please keep her in your prayers as her time of departure gets closer and many details of preparation remain to be taken care of. If you'd like any more information about what she'll be doing in the DR, or details about Doulos, check out the info table in the foyer. You can also find out more about how you can support Janice in prayer or finances, and sign up for her email updates there.



After many years of dedication, the teachers in the RRCC 4 year old classroom are stepping down from teaching. We are looking for a person or a couple of people to take over this class. Our curriculum provides many ideas for crafts, activities and stories so you won't have to come up with ideas on your own. The greatest qualification for this role is to love God and be willing to share that love with a group of children. It is so rewarding to see the earnest love and innocent faith that children have for God. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Kids Ministry or the church office.



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY STAFF

Merri Ellen's doctor has put her on six weeks of medical leave due to work stress. She meets with her doctor again to reassess at the beginning of August. In the meantime, we ask our entire church family to be in prayer for the family as they move into a different home, in a different neighbourhood and as Merri Ellen recovers. In order to support preschool children's ministry and to prepare for fall ministry, we have extended Moriah Misner's internship through the summer.

NURSERY CARE

Nursery is available for children from birth to 2 years of age. Our volunteers are police checked and a paging system is provided for your child's safety.

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10:00am Rosabelle Birch Phyllis Epp

sunday. july. 10

10:00am Linda Mills Ashleigh Esau

PRESCHOOL

sunday. july. 03

2/3 Classroom Jeff & Stephanie Thiessen
Jeremy & Linnea Schellenberg
Brendan & Nadine Ball

4/5 Classroom Marlene Krause Kathy Burton
Sara Krause

KIDS MINISTRY

Kids worshipping in the pews:

Pick up a *Celebrating Sunday Kids Sermon Sheet* in the foyer and doodle away.

Every summer we look forward to the growth experienced as one big family!

Summer Preschool: All ages start in the main service, preschoolers later dismissed.

Family discipleship for the summer!

One way you can dig into God's Word together as a family is by going through devotionals. Look for some great resources at the House of James, the RRCC library, or video teachings from RightNowMedia using your free Ross Road account.

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God's Original Intent - Genesis 1:26-31

Four Relationships

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Impact of Sin on the Four Relationships - Genesis 3:4-13

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Beyond the Garden

Conflict Prevention - Boundaries and Ownership

1. Sowing and Reaping

2. Power and Powerlessness

3. Receiving Other's Boundaries

Helpful Questions to Ask Yourself

For Personal Reflection and Discussion with Family and Friends:

Take some time alone in reflection or with others in discussion to process the questions that "Original Conflict" raises for you.

In Preparation for Next Sunday, July 10, 2016:

Next Sunday Pastor Darren is the second speaker in our "On My Heart" series. In preparation for hearing what's on his heart, take some time to reflect about what is on yours. What is God saying to you this summer?

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

Enjoy your summer vacation! Check back here for info on summer events.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

There are great things coming around the corner for summer! Check back here or check our Facebook group for info as it comes available.

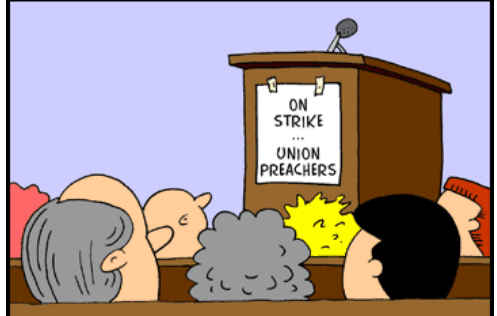
Do you have a heart for youth and feel God is calling you to be a youth leader for 2016/17? Talk to Pastor Darren about joining us for a year of building relationships and a ton of fun!

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(See Genesis 6-8) 06-29-2000
Y'NOW, PERSISTENT RAIN ASIDE, THIS WHOLE ARK TRIP TURNED OUT TO BE PRETTY COOL

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Thanks to Warren 06-28-2000

MEN'S MINISTRY



Our Men's Ministry at RRCC is for men of all ages to come alongside each other through every stage of life and to grow in Christ together! We will start back up in September.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY



**PRAY & PLAY- wednesdays
10:00-11:00 am,
july. 06-august. 24
@ Delair Park**

Women of all ages are invited to a weekly Bible Study on the book of Hebrews. This study will be free and informal but the material is rich and rewarding as it connects the Old Testament to the New.

COLLEGE & CAREER

C & C is officially on summer break! We hope that through these summer months that your spiritual relationship with God continues to deepen and grow.



For up-to-date info, check out our **Facebook page: RRCC C&C.**

Let the kids play while we pray, worship, and learn about God together. It is recommended that you read through the book in full in preparation. Drop ins and non-RRCC attendees are welcome. In case of extreme weather we will meet at the RRCC gym. To join the list to receive alerts for weather warnings or for other inquiries: Please contact Alex Schellenberg.

OUR RRCC MISSIONARIES

Don't forget to check the Missionary bulletin board for the latest update letters from our missionaries!

Paul & Edna Cairns – in Chilliwack with Transport for Christ

Otto & Marjorie Ekk – in Portugal with MB Mission

Cynthia Friesen – in Thailand with MB Mission

Rob & Judy Griffioen – in Abbotsford with Good News International Ministries

S & B – in Central Asia with MB Mission

Lauren Neudorf – in Cambodia with Youth With A Mission

Dwayne & Helen Rainwater – in Africa with Pioneer Bible Translators

Beth Scholes – in Abbotsford with FamilyLife

Jason & Stephanie Shellborn (Madison, Hudson & London) – in Abbotsford with Discipleship International

Al & Karen Stobbe (Karissa & Natasha) – in Abbotsford with MB Mission

Rachael Wiebe – in Winnipeg with MB Mission

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Cynthia Friesen – in Thailand with MB Mission

Thank you for your continued prayers. My main ministry working with the Juvy girls is going strong. Another girl prayed to receive Christ (Yes Lord!!!) but then was released 4 days later. It's bittersweet as we celebrate their decision to choose Jesus but then see them head back out into the world as baby believers. I am still dreaming of a training centre that would give the girls a home for a few months after being released. A safe place and community where they would receive daily discipleship, learn English and the option of a few different skills (sewing, baking, house help etc.) and/or help with continued education (sometimes just a G.E.D. equivalent). This would allow us to help them process future decisions they have to make about where to live, work, attend church, boyfriends, taking care of their children, go to school etc. Please pray with us as we are also seeking funds to help these girls with schooling options when they are released. I am just now starting to plan our second spiritual renewal retreat for released girls this September. Our first one was such a beautiful time but we know God has much more for these girls. More freedom and more life. Thank you for supporting all that God is doing here.

Still no new news about Maceo's adoption but we continue to love each other more each day and I can't imagine that he once was not my son. My heart is full! Please pray with me for wisdom as I continue to trust God as a single mom and a full time missionary, for schooling and adoption costs, and deeper relationships with his birth mom and extended family.

God is so good!!

Much love Cynthia

PRAYER & PRAISE

Debbie Bracewell

Gerd Loewen

Walt Letkeman

Please pray for those who are dealing with ongoing struggles in their lives - whether it be illness, spiritual battles, the loss of a loved one, or financial difficulties. Pray that God provides them with comfort, patience, endurance and strength in their daily lives.

PRAYER REQUEST



Please pray for **MT** serving with MB Mission in a restricted area.

PASTORAL TEAM:

Art Birch - Lead Pastor
Associate Pastors
Darren Petker - Adult Ministry
Dave Rodda - Worship Ministry
Merri Ellen Giesbrecht - Kids Ministry

ELDER TEAM:

Barry Jackson, Moderator
Michael Blouin **Len Loewen**
Vic Martens **Bob Regier**
Dale Regier **Dave Rosborough**
Al Stobbe

PRAYER CHAIN: Doreen Froese
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