OUR VISION: RVCC's vision is to bring God's redemptive story to our community and the world. OUR MISSION: RVCC exists to love, serve and offer hope.

### 2021 Tithes & Offerings Update

Fund	Dec. 2021 Totals	YTD TOTALS
General	\$47,128.93	\$421,618.27
Building		\$777.00
Expansion Project	\$478.00	\$34,768.90
Mission Undesignated	\$900.00	\$5,133.00
Bridges For Peace	\$225.00	\$3,875.00
Mission of Mercy	\$200.00	\$3,150.00
Mustard Seed		\$525.00
World Compassion		\$575.00
World Compassion (ABC Project)		\$2,250.00
Youth	\$150.00	\$4,685.00
Valley Knights Boys		\$100.00
Girls Program		\$100.00
Community Engagement	\$50.00	\$310.00
Cold Fund		\$400.00
Compassion Fund		\$450.00
MH College Chaplaincy Fund		\$95.80
First Fruits		\$29,688.78
TOTALS:	\$49,131.93	\$508,141.75

Randy Blatz, Lead Pastor Ken Roset, Pastor of Care Ministries Derek Letwinetz, Pastor of Worship & Community Engagement

## **RVCC OFFICE HOURS**

Tue-Wed 9:00am - 3:00pm (Closed for Lunch) Thurs – Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm 403-504-0123

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January 16, 2022

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Speaker: Pastor Randy Blatz Dangerous Prayers Series: "Teach us to Pray"





See bulletin insert for details. Visit our church website to view the videos and links to these missions' websites.

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## Upcoming EVENTS



Wednesday Night Prayer Meetings @ 7 PM

Mark your calendars: January 26 "For where two or three are gathered in My Name I am there in the midst of them." Matthew 18:20





Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the basics of Christian faith. It's an open, informal and honest space to explore life's big questions together. Ask. Learn. Discuss

# Weekly EVENTS

## Sunday, January 16

**Pre-Service Prayer** 9:45-10:15 AM In Prayer Room

Worship Service: 10:30 AM - Will be live streamed on Facebook

## **PROMISE** *L***AND** Children's Ministry

Please check in at the Kidcheck Kiosk located in The Edge Nursery (6mths – 2) Located in the former youth room Junior (Age 3 – Kindergarten) Located in the room off of the Edge

> **Grade School** (Gr 1-5) Located in the Garage

Junior & Grade School Promiseland will be dismissed during the Service.

### Youth Conversation Couch:

Youth in Grades 6 and up will also be dismissed to join a Youth Leader in The Edge to watch the service together.



Friday, January 21

7 PM Youth (meet in the Edge)



Once again, we are challenging everyone to bring a "First Offering".

What is a First Fruit offering? The Scripture teaches that everything 'first' is holy to God. God taught Israel to bring First Fruits as an offering of the land. It was the first portion of their crops. He promised he would bless them for it. This is a powerful scriptural principle.

Our 'first' portion this year will be sown into two parts—designating 1/2 to a local mission, The Prairie Gleaners and 1/2 to a world missions group, One for Israel Ministry. Please pray and ask the Holy Spirit what you should give 'first.'

Please direct your regular tithe offering into the general fund and any 'first fruits' offering please mark on your envelope "First" along with the amount. Then trust God to look after you financially as He has promised.



Feeding the hungry in the name of Jesus. Prairie Gleaners is a charitable society located just south of Medicine Hat. They seek to help those in need by utilizing unmarketable produce that would otherwise go to waste. They receive produce from very generous greenhouses in Southern Alberta and turn it into a dehydrated vegetable mix that is shipped all across the world to feed the hungry. ONE FOR ISRAEL began as a Bible college and has since expanded to a multi-faceted ministry with the express goal of reach



express goal of reaching Israelis with the Good New of Yeshua, training and equipping the Body of Messiah in Israel, and blessing their community with Yeshua's love. Seeking the restoration of the Jewish people and the unity between Jewish and Arab believers in Jesus.

#### 2 Corinthians 9:6-8

"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all

that you need, you will abound in every good work."