OUR VISION: RVCC's vision is to equip our church body to bring God's redemptive story to our community and the world.

OUR MISSION:

RVCC exists to love, serve and offer hope.

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OUR CORE VALUES

- **1.** God the Father is love; therefore, He calls us to love all people. 1 John 4:16; Romans 13:9-10; John 13:34-35
- **2.** God's love calls us to lead people into a relationship with Jesus Christ. *Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 1:8*
- **3.** God's love calls us to mentor people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ. *Matthew 28:19*
- **4.** God's love calls every believer to discover and engage in their God-given ministry. *Psalm 139:13-16*
- **5.** God's love calls us to participate in a biblical community and a life style of worship. *Acts 2:42-47*
- **6.** God's love calls us to embrace the fullness of the Holy Spirit. *Romans 8:1; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11*
- 7. God's love calls us to a lifestyle of generosity. *Isaiah 58:6-11; 2 Corinthians 9:6-11; Acts 4:32-35*



New around here? We're so glad to see you! Welcome to RVCC! We hope you are blessed today as we worship The Lord together. If you are new to our family we have a gift waiting for you at Guest Services.

Please feel free to fill out a COMMUNICATION CARD. Thank you!

Mark Borrows, Lead Pastor Simon Tracey, Assistant Pastor Derek Letwinetz, Discipleship & Community Engagement Pastor Ken Roset, Pastor of Care Ministries

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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Hearing Assistance Device Available at the Sound Booth Please bring your own headphones or earbuds.





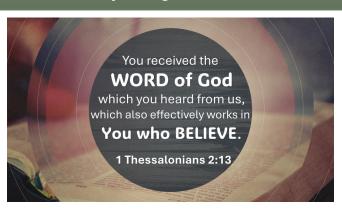
Love, Serve Hope

July 20, 2025

Public Wi-Fi Password is: RVCchurch

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Speaker: Pastor Simon Tracey A Journey Through 1 Thessalonians





Why Be Baptized?

- 1.To follow the example set by Christ. Mark 1:9
- 2. Because Jesus commanded it. *Matthew 28:19-20*
- 3. It demonstrates you are a
 Believer. 1 John 2:3
 Baptism is a step of obedience
 and shows others that you trust
 and believe in Jesus as your
 Saviour.

If you are interested in being baptized please speak to one of our Pastors.

WAYS TO GIVE

- •In Person— Cash & Cheques in donation box in the Worship Centre or Debit/Credit Machine at Guest Services
- •Mobile Giving- Tithe.ly app
- •E-Transfer- info@rivervalleychurch.ca

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITES:

SOUND TECHS NEEDED

Get involved with the audio ministry. We will train you! If you are interested in becoming apart of our Sunday Ministry Audio Team please reach out to Pastor Derek or contact the church office.

 Promiseland Children's Ministry Teachers & Assistants

As our Children's Ministry grows we are in need of more classes

If you are interested in this ministry opportunity please reach out to

Pastor Simon or contact the church office 403-504-0123

Guest Services Hosts

Join our Guest Services team, as a point of contact Sunday Mornings by providing helpful information about the church.

Contact the Church Office to get involved in this important ministry.

Upcoming EVENTS

COMMUNITY CAMPFIRE

Sunday, July 27

7:30-9 PM @
the Church Parking Lot
Bring your Friends, Family and
some chairs.
Everyone Welcome!

YOUNG ADULTS CAMPFIRE Monday, August 11 @ 7 PM

For ages 18-30

Planning for the future of a Young
Adult Ministry at RVCC
FOR DETAILS PICK UP AN INVITE

@ GUEST SERVICES

RVCC CHURCH CAMPOUT

August 22-24, 2025

at Whispering Pines Camp Cabins & RV sites available. If you are unable to make it for the entire weekend, Day Use Rates available for the cost of meals.

*REGISTRATIONS DUE: August 10

Financial Assistance available for those in need.

Registration forms available @ Guest Services

This is a wonderful opportunity to get to know others and spend time together. REGISTER TODAY!



Weekly EVENTS

Sunday, July 20

Pre-Service Prayer

9:45-10:15 AM In Prayer Room

Worship Service: 10:27 AM

Will be live streamed on YouTube

PROMISE LAND Children's Ministry

There will be no Promiseland Grade School or Junior in July and August.

Activity packets available in the Edge at the Check In table.

Nursery program will take a break in July and resume in August.

NOTE: The nursery room is open for Guardian and nursery age children

Youth Conversation Couch
On pause until September

Please join us after this morning's service for a

FREE BBQ LUNCH. EVERYONE WELCOME!



Thursday, July 24

Due to the Parade:

The Church Office will be closed. There will be NO:

- -Thursday Morning Prayer Time
- -Coffee in the Edge

We will see you next Thursday!