



# River of Life Church

## *Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019*



*Our policy is this:  
That you offer yourself wholeheartedly and fully to God, that  
you involve yourself without reservation or delay in the life of  
His Spirit and of His Church.  
The scripture declares that  
“a man’s gift makes room for him”.  
Such gifts as you possess we encourage you to develop and  
devote to His service.  
You will find more than enough chance to lay your gifts before  
God if you will only look.*

*We recognize no system of seniority or privilege.  
Christ Jesus has equipped you and made you worthy,  
you are ready now.  
In every way that we can we pledge ourselves to help you find  
your callings and gifts in Jesus Christ, and to make a way for you  
to use and express them.  
We need the talents you bring and recognize the wisdom of  
God in bringing you here to us and to Himself.*

*You are welcome here ~  
There is more than enough work in God’s kingdom  
for all of us.  
We are glad you’ve come ~  
Welcome home.*

(Written by Rev. Robert S. Shutes, Founding Pastor)

**Joh 17:17 NKJV Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth.**

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# River of Life Church Announcements

## Upcoming Dates to Schedule for:

- New Perspectives Services – Every other Wednesday at 10:00 am.
  - March 13<sup>th</sup> (*Tentative*)
- The next church Pot Luck will be held on March 24<sup>th</sup> after service.
- The next Wood City Worship Night will be on Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

## There will be Children's and Teens Classes this Week after song service.

## March Birthdays

- Harvey Benko – 7<sup>th</sup>
- Isaac Bahr – 13<sup>th</sup>
- Ashley Goeres – 14<sup>th</sup>

## Don't forget our family in Haiti.

- The "Let George Do-it" jar is still working. The idea is to put a spare dollar into the jar to help out our family in Haiti.
- Civil unrest is still an issue in Haiti. St Luc said that to move about it many times is unsafe. Pray for their safety and that this unrest ends soon.
- St Luc said social media and the news have spread untrue information for the purpose of stirring up the people and giving power to the party not in charge.

## Update on Pastor John:

- His five days of treatment finished on Wednesday and he is now home recovering. All went very well with the treatments with no adverse side effects during the treatments.
- John has "Hairy Cell Leukemia" (HCL). The doctors say if you are going to have a cancer or leukemia this is the one to have as it is so treatable and even curable.
- John will be housebound with limited contact with people for the next 2 to 3 weeks. The condition and the treatment cause the immune system to be reduced to unhealthy levels. It will take several weeks to build to save levels and up to 16 weeks to achieve full recovery.
- John plans on being in service on March 17<sup>th</sup>, if the doctor approves.

## Quotes for the Week:

- So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free. ~ *John 8:31-32*
- "If you look for truth, you may find comfort in the end; if you look for comfort you will not get either comfort or truth only soft soap and wishful thinking to begin, and in the end, despair." ~ C.S. Lewis

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