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THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO  
**JOHN**

OCTOBER 9, 2022



# WELCOME

RICHFIELD COMMUNITY CHURCH

## PARTY LIKE IT'S YESTERDAY

### ALL CHURCH SERVICE

9:30am

Sunday,  
October  
**30<sup>th</sup>**

Dress Up | Free Food | Games & Prizes

On Sunday, 10/30, we're going to have another All Church Service followed by food and some family games. It's a great chance to invite friends for a fun day at RCC.

**We want everyone to come dressed up as the high school version of themselves.** That's right, dress like you would have when you went to high school - the preppy kids, the punk rockers, the jocks, the nerds, or whatever you were - show us the style of when you were in your teens. If you are in high school or younger, dress like you think your parents dressed in high school.

Time: Service starts at 9:30am, followed by food and fun.



This fall, our Elders and Staff (one of each) are hoping to join you for a dinner, provided by us. If you are in a Life Group, we will be joining you there. If you are not in a Life Group, you can sign up for a date in November. Our hope is to spend a fun evening getting to know everyone a little better and share a little about our hopes for RCC.

You can sign up at [richfieldcc.org/events](https://richfieldcc.org/events)



**Next Sunday**, don't miss out on a great afternoon outdoors while cheering each other on as we test our skills at Sport Shooting.

**Date:** Sunday, Oct. 16th

**Time:** 1:00-3:45pm

**Where:** Raahauge's Sporting Clay Range (Corona, CA)

**Cost:** \$40 per person - Lunch provided  
(+ \$30 if you need to buy ammo)

You can register at [richfieldcc.org/events](https://richfieldcc.org/events) or contact Steven Huggins at [stevenh@richfieldcc.org](mailto:stevenh@richfieldcc.org) if you have any questions.

# SCRIPTURE THIS WEEK:

## John 12:12-26

<sup>12</sup> The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. <sup>13</sup> So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" <sup>14</sup> And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, <sup>15</sup> "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" <sup>16</sup> His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. <sup>17</sup> The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. <sup>18</sup> The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. <sup>19</sup> So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him." <sup>20</sup> Now among those who went up to worship at the feast were some Greeks. <sup>21</sup> So these came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." <sup>22</sup> Philip went and told Andrew; Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. <sup>23</sup> And Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. <sup>24</sup> Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. <sup>25</sup> Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. <sup>26</sup> If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him.

# **Die and Let Live**

John 12:12-26

Todd Chapman - October 9, 2022

**Jesus is the King.**

**Jesus is unlike any other king; He dies to build His kingdom.**

**We must die to enjoy Jesus' kingdom.**

# ***Life Group Discussion Questions***

John 12:12-26

For the week of October 9, 2022

## **Reading the Text:**

1. In your own words, how would you articulate the big idea of this passage?
2. Just a few paragraphs earlier, John tells us that “Jesus therefore no longer walked openly among the Jews...” (John 11:54). What contrast do you see in the flow of John’s narrative from there to our current passage?
3. John tells us that the disciples “did not understand these things at first...” (12:16). What was Jesus doing in this passage that the disciples did not yet understand?
4. Jesus’ glorification is a theme throughout this passage (vv. 13, 16, 23). In what ways does John set the expectation for how Jesus would truly be glorified?
5. John ends this passage with Jesus’ encouragement to follow Him. In what ways are we encouraged to follow Him? In what ways might our following look different?

## **Living it Out:**

6. Jesus lays out four great benefits to serving Him in vv. 24-26. What are they? Do these feel like great benefits? Why or why not?
7. What does it look like to live a life more motivated by eternal life than earthly pursuits?
8. In what ways can the Father’s reward of honoring us motivate our daily life?

# GIVING UPDATE

Thank you to all of you for investing in RCC's vision and community. As of 10/05/22 our giving vs. budget is:

General Fund Giving	Month to Date	Year to Date
2022 Actual	\$153,058	\$1,019,477
2022 Budget	\$151,744	\$1,155,307
Difference	\$1,314	-\$135,830

## HOW TO GIVE

At RCC, we believe that giving comes as a natural, joyous outpouring of worship for what God has done, is doing, and will do in our lives. So whatever is received, we are grateful and truly believe God is honored through our giving.

**If you'd like to give, you can:**

1. Give at [richfieldcc.org/invest](http://richfieldcc.org/invest)
2. Give through "giving" on The Church Center App
3. Give by text to 84321 (and text an amount to get started)
4. Give by cash or check in any of the "for God" boxes"

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