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GOD REVEALED



THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO  
**JOHN**

APRIL 16, 2023



# WELCOME

At RCC, the Bible tells us that God wants us to find our greatest joy in Him and that He desires for us to share this experience with others.

So our mission is - To encourage people to **Enjoy God Together**.

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And our vision is - To **build joy-filled communities of faith** whose very existence inspires individuals to live an abundant Christian life, **made up of three key relationships - r1, r2, and r3**.

**r1** – A deepening relationship with God

**r2** – A life-changing relationship with other believers

**r3** – An engaging relationship with those yet to believe

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To get there, we have a few things that matter to us:



**WHAT WE THINK ABOUT GOD MATTERS**



**WE FIND OUR GREATEST JOY IN JESUS**



**WE HELP PEOPLE HELP PEOPLE**



**WE CELEBRATE QUESTIONS**



**WE EMBRACE INEVITABLE TENSIONS**



**THIS IS FOR LIFE**

# GIVING UPDATE

Thank you to all of you for investing in RCC's vision and community. As of 04/12/23 our giving vs. budget is:

General Fund Giving	Month to Date	Year to Date
2023 Actual	\$67,712	\$351,547
2023 Budget	\$54,431	\$397,197
Difference	\$13,281	-\$45,650



Join us on Saturday, May 6, for a full day retreat at RCC as we reflect on what it means to have strong roots in the Word so that we can BLOOM.

The day will be filled with community, opportunities for time to discuss, share, and process, and a keynote talk with Vivian Mabuni from Family Life Ministries. Throughout the day, activity-based break-out sessions will be available as a registration add-on (floral design, charcuterie, painting, and more!)

Time: 9:00am-8:30pm

Cost: \$50 (meals included)

Registration opens TODAY!  
Visit [www.richfieldcc.org/events](http://www.richfieldcc.org/events) to register or scan the QR code



# SCRIPTURE THIS WEEK:

## John 20:19-31

<sup>19</sup> On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." <sup>20</sup> When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup> Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." <sup>22</sup> And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup> If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld." <sup>24</sup> Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup> So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe." <sup>26</sup> Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." <sup>27</sup> Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." <sup>28</sup> Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" <sup>29</sup> Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." <sup>30</sup> Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; <sup>31</sup> but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

**NOTES:**

# **The Big Idea!**

John 20:19-31

Todd Chapman - April 16, 2023

**Walking with the resurrected Jesus is the BEST.**

**Walking with the resurrected Jesus, enjoying the BEST,  
is by BELIEVING.**

# ***Life Group Discussion Questions***

John 20:19-31

For the week of April 16, 2023

## **Reading the Text:**

1. What are some of the themes/ideas that have come up in recent chapters? What is the immediate context of the passage we are in now?
2. Do you notice anything interesting about the way Jesus appears to His disciples? What do you notice? Do you find these details significant? Why or why not?
3. How do the disciples respond to Jesus' entrance? What does He commission them to do, and how does He empower them to do it?
4. What does Jesus say about the idea of "belief" in this passage? What role do you think it has in living the best life?
5. How would you summarize the big idea of this passage?

## **Living it Out:**

1. What comes to mind when you think about being "sent" by Jesus? What do you think that means for your life?
2. What are some ways you've grown in confidence in Jesus in recent years? What could it look like to grow in confidence in the months and years to come?
3. John tells us when they saw Jesus, "the disciples were glad". What emotions (including gladness!) come to mind when you think about walking with Jesus?



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