

ROLLING HILLS CHURCH PSALM 118:24

ReJOICE

PRAYER GUIDE

Prayer Event

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2019

Our Calendar

February 10	Prayer Event
March 24	The Word of God Sunday
March 31	The Call of God Sunday
April 6	Event Banquet
April 7	The Awe of God Sunday
April 14	The Response of God's People
May 5	First Fruits Sunday
May 12	Celebration Sunday

Our Verse

This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

— Psalm 118:24

Our Prayer

“Lord, where are you calling me to follow?”

Our Need

Currently we have more than \$160,000 out of the necessary \$400,000 needed to get started with our permanent structure. If we exceed our goal by \$50,000, we also feel led to be good environmental stewards by taking advantage of our south-facing property by installing solar panels. Construction costs are predicted to escalate, so now is the time to act.

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PREPARING THE WAY

When we think of a capital campaign, the first thing that comes to our minds is money. However, our journey toward a new facility is really a spiritual one. It is a journey that walks us through four core values to grow our faith in God. This campaign begins with the Word of God and focuses on the Call of God on our lives to cause us to stand in Awe of Him as we watch God at work. As a result, each of us will come to a prayerful, obedient response to Him.

The four core values of the campaign:

1. The Word of God

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. All things were created through Him, and apart from Him not one thing was created" (John 1:1-3). "The Word became flesh and dwelt among us" (John 1:14). Since the Word is the center of all creation and lives in us, we must make the Word central to everything we do. We also let the Word speak to us in the matter of stewardship.

2. The Call of God

When God called Abraham, Abraham took the opportunity to act in faith. If Abraham had said "No," he would have missed the people of Israel as his descendants. Worse yet, he would have missed the Savior of the world, Jesus, coming through him.

People who live in the Word of God hear the Call of God. What is the Word saying to you? What role does the Call of God have in this campaign? Position yourself to discover the call of God on your life and to act upon what could be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity!

3. The Awe of God

We are in awe of God when we are humbled by His love, mercy, grace, holiness, wisdom, creations, and all His attributes. Standing in awe of God will always lead us to take bold positions in our lives. The widow who gave everything she had must have experienced God, and she was in awe of Him. "Since you have tasted that the Lord is good" (1 Peter 2:3), let's continue to experience our awesome God!

4. The Response of God's People

"Let it be with me as you said" (Luke 1:38) was Mary's response to the Call of God when the angel Gabriel told her she would conceive Jesus. "So Abram went, as the Lord had told him" (Gen 12:4). Abraham didn't even say "Yes"; he simply went. When God called His own Son to die on the cross, His response was simply, "Not my will, but Yours be done." Do you see where God is at work in your life? Respond in great faith by saying, "Here am I, send me," and join Him in His work. Do not miss the opportunity!

Things to pray for related to our church and the campaign:

1. Continued focus on bridges to our neighbors.
2. Discovering God's call for your personal participation in the campaign.
3. That God will make clear the steps we are to take.
4. Open minds and hearts toward the changes that will be required to reach our vision for Him.
5. Pastor Matt and our campaign team and our vision team.
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