

Rehoboth Baptist Church

Upcoming Sermons

2/18/18 **Blessing as a Product of Grace** (Deut. 9-10)
2/25/18 **Love & Obey God** (Deut. 11)

Verse of the Month

Thus says the Lord: "Heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool; what is the house that you would build for me, and what is the place of my rest? All these things my hand has made, and so all these things came to be, declares the Lord. But this is the one to whom I will look: he who is humble and contrite in spirit and trembles at my word.

– Isaiah 66:1–2 (ESV)

Sermon Notes:

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The History of the Church

The founding members met to organize as a church on June 14, 1974 as a member of the Conservative Baptist Association of America. Official formation followed on July 15th and the first public worship service was held at Johnson's Barn, Rehoboth on July 21, 1974. The present facility was dedicated on April 17, 1983.

The Message of the Church

We proclaim the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, as the only way of salvation (Acts 4:12). All people have sinned and are under condemnation (Romans 3:23, 6:23). The GOOD NEWS is that God sent His Son to pay the penalty for sin on the cross and all who believe in Him, repent of their sins, seek forgiveness and receive Him as Savior and Lord receive the gift of eternal life (John 3:16).

The Purpose of the Church

To bring honor and glory to God in all that we do and say (Matthew 5:13-16, Colossians 3:17). To know and enjoy God through worship, prayer and the study of the Bible. To apply that knowledge to our lives that we might please God. To grow in His grace and communicate His love to others.

Church Membership

Rehoboth Baptist Church welcomes into its membership all who have been born again by the power of the Holy Spirit, have made a public profession of their faith in Christ, and have been baptized by immersion in obedience to the Scriptures (John 3:3-8, I Peter 1:18-23, Matthew 28:18-20).

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“And he (Isaac) moved from there and dug another well...and so he called its name Rehoboth, saying: 'The Lord has made room for us and we shall be fruitful in the land.'”
(Genesis 26:22)



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- The Lord's Service -

February 11, 2018

Welcome & Greeting

Announcements

Prelude

*Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* #195

*Scripture (Pew Bible, p. 961) Matthew 4:1-4

Prayer of Confession (Cf. Psalm 25:11)

[Silent confession]

*For your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great.
Amen.*

Our Forgiveness Declared: *In Christ God has reconciled us to himself, not counting our trespasses against us!* (Cf. 2 Cor. 5:19)

*Hymn *As Longs the Deer for Cooling Streams* #368

Pastoral Prayer

*Presentation of Offerings, Doxology & Prayer

*Scripture (Pew Bible, p. 180) Deuteronomy 7:17-8:20

Sermon *God's Power, Not Ours*

*Hymn *Be Thou My Vision* #386

Confession of Faith (2nd Article in RBC Articles of Faith)

We believe there is but one God, Creator, Preserver and Ruler of all things, who is perfect in holiness, and in love, infinite in wisdom and measureless in power, and who exists as three persons: the Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Deut. 6:4; Neh. 9:6; 1 Chron. 29:11,12; Ex. 15:11; 1 Jn. 4:8b; Matt. 28:19).

The Lord's Table (Peace with God!)

*Doxology *The Gloria Patri* #614

*Benediction (God's Promised Blessing) Jude 24-25

Postlude

Piano: Diane Littlehale; Steve Wick

* Please Stand

Sunday School @ 9:00 AM (all ages)

Nursery (infant to 3 yrs.)

Today: Kathy Frye & Behiye Oldro
Next week: Emily Hess & Rebekah Gendron

Children's Church

Today: Wendy Soares (T) & Linda Azevedo (H)
Next week: Wendy Soares (T) & Elaine Costanzo (H)

Bag Lunch & Teach training for all Sunday School and Children's Church teachers and helpers

Evening Service

Dan Guest
James 4:13-17

YTD Stewardship Report (Week 45)

Budget: \$152,342
Actual: \$147,274
Surplus/Deficit: **-\$5,068**

Prayer Focus this Month:

Ministry: Deaconess Committee
Mission: Mike and Agnieszka Green, World Venture, Poland
Children's Bible Fellowship



Thought for the Week

"Churches don't need programs so much as they need cultures of discipling, cultures where each member prioritizes the spiritual health of others. Each has been given a gift for the common good, and each should use whatever gift he or she has been given to build up the body... (1 Cor. 12: 4- 7)."

Mark Dever. Discipling: How to Help Others Follow Jesus (p. 68).

Tues. 7:00 PM Elders and Deacons Meeting
Wed. 7:00 PM Prayer Meeting
Choir

Notes and Announcements

Vadim Yakim, a pastor in Odessa, Ukraine, needs a car (\$8000) so he does not have to use public transportation for the long distances he travels to minister and teach. The missions committee has designated \$500 towards this. Prayerfully consider a gift toward this and mark your offering for Vadim.

Pray for the Good News Club in Attleboro on Thursday afternoons.

Today we started a new adult Sunday School class entitled, "Jesus and His Bride." We will be discussing God's purposes for human sexuality and gender.

All Sunday School and Children's Church Teachers and helpers, there will be a bag lunch (BYOL) and teacher training today following the morning service.

Sign up sheet is posted for the next conversational dinner Feb. 24th, to attend or host.

Please sign up for a week of **snow shoveling** on the sheet in the foyer. Thank you to all who have done so.

A Note About the Offering: You will find the offering plates on either side of the doors of the sanctuary so that you can place your gifts in them on your way into the service. During the service, the ushers will present these to the Lord. The plates will remain in the back for a short time after the service for any who were unable to give their offerings before the service.