# **Sunday Worship Services at 9am**

In-Person in the Sanctuary, Live Online (YouTube, Facebook, reedleymbc.org) On Demand after 1pm on Monday

## **Children's Church**

Ages 3 through Kindergarten

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# **Kingdom Kids**

1st Grade - 3rd Grade

Fellowship on the Green at 10:20am

Adult and Children's Classes at 10:40am

## REEDLEY MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH

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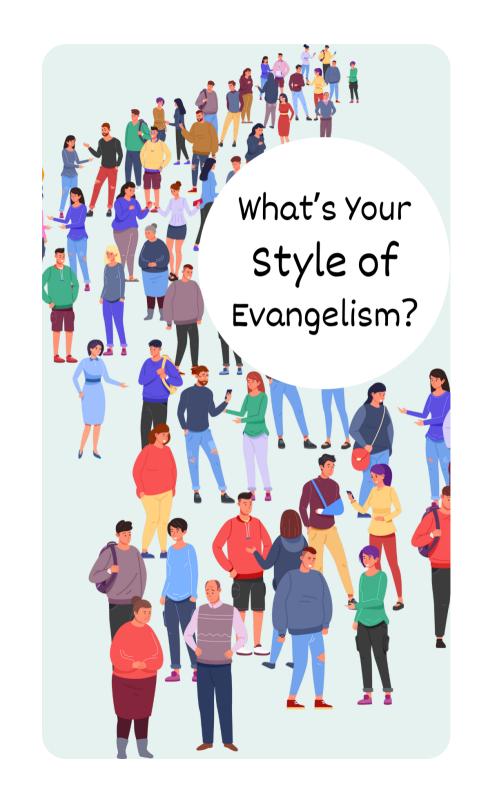
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## Welcome

Welcome to Reedley MB. We're pleased to have you join us today for our worship service. It's our prayer that you will meet the living God in this place as we hear from the Word of God. We are here to **GLORIFY** God, **GROW** together as equipped disciples of Jesus Christ, and **GO** proclaiming His gospel to all. If you have questions, please ask, check our app, scan the digital QR code on the back of the Bulletin, or stop by The Welcome Center on our main lawn.

# Upcoming Events

We have lots of upcoming events! Don't miss out: check the RMBC Website and App, or the Info Phone Line at 559-354-6672.

# Contact Details

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# RMBC JOURNAL

REEDLEY MB CHURCH | 1362 L Street | Reedley CA 93654

## WORSHIP TODAY

### Sunday - March 10, 2024

I believe that every Christian here, no matter your age, or how long you have been a Christian has a least one style of evangelism that God wants you to use. Today, I will share 6 different styles of Evangelism. Which style of evangelism best describes you? Our scripture today will be in John 1.

If you are visiting with us today, we encourage you to download our app (search: Reedleymbc), visit our website (Reedleymbc.org), or visit our Welcome Center where you can get more information and a gift.

## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Our Missionaries of the Week are Amber and Paul Carter. This couple is leading a church plant in East Germany. Mountain View Church in Fresno is the sending church and Reedley MB Church also supports them financially and spiritually. Originally RMBC was Amber's home church. The Carters will be worshiping with us today and will be presenting from the pulpit their updates and prayer needs. They thank you for your support both financially and spiritually.

Mission Information Meeting & Lunch TODAY at noon in the Fellowship Hall - If you are interested in going on and/or supporting mission trips, we will be sharing information on future mission trips. Join us in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be provided.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Easter Floral Cross - You are invited to bring fresh flowers on Sunday, March 31st, to help decorate the cross which will be outside on the Church Green. Before you go home, gather your family and friends at the beautiful Resurrection Cross for a cell phone photo.

Choice Books thanks you for your participation in its ministry by using the FREE surplus books displayed at the entrances to our sanctuary and Chapter One School. Your volunteer donations of \$470 in 2023 were appreciated. Locally, retail displays are now at CVS Pharmacy. Save Mart, and Dinuba Walmart. When visiting these stores feel free to straighten out the displays as needed. Thanks! ~ Don Enns, CB Warehouse Volunteer

Social Media Coordinator - RMBC is looking for a skilled Social Media Coordinator to generate and maintain a strong online presence for the Reedley MB Church. Your role is to implement online promotion and connection strategies through social media accounts. The ideal candidate for this role will serve as RMBC's storyteller and customer advocate across social channels by developing content to educate and engage RMBC's community with compelling content. This is a paid, part-time position for someone who is inventive, collaborative, passionate about social media, and excited to help craft and execute RMBC's global community Simple Church strategy. If you are a creative story teller with an interest in communicating with the community through online channels, we would like to meet you. Contact the office at 559-638-8123 or kelly@reedleymbc.org for more information.

#### STEWARDSHIP

Received to Date (60%)

Annual Goal

#### Morning Worship - 3/3/2024 651 2,003,870

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Meeting Reminder -** All meetings on church campus need to be scheduled and approved a minimum of 10 days in advance. To coordinate, contact Sheila Penner, Hospitality and Facility Use Coordinator.

Wednesday Night Fellowship Meals - Join us as we eat together in the Fellowship Hall from 5:30 to 6:10pm. Advance reservation required. Sign up by 11am on Monday for that Wednesday's meal. Use the app, website, see Sheila on Sunday mornings, or email sheila@reedleymbc.org. Pay for your meals by cash or check at the door. Cost \$6 for featured meal, \$4 for kid's meal option or \$25 per household. Sign up by noon March 11th for March 13th meal. Featured Menu is: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Caesar Salad, Bread Stick, and Orange Creamsicle Cake. Kid's Option is: Buttered Noodles, Fruit, Bread Stick, and Orange Creamsicle Cake.

**USMB Gathering 2024 -** July 23-27, in Omaha, Nebraska. Pastors' conference is July 23-25, and the convention for everyone is July 25-27. The theme is "Salt and Light: Faithful living in a secular culture." For more information, visit <a href="https://www.usmb.org/usmb-gathering-2024">www.usmb.org/usmb-gathering-2024</a> or call 1-800-257-0515.

Spring Break Mission Opportunity - Joni and Friends Family Retreat. Volunteer at the Joni and Friends Central California Family Retreat in Wonder Valley March 24th - 29th, training provided. For more information and an application, see the link on the app or website. (17 years or older) Cost is \$600. Once you apply and are accepted, you will be given a fund-raising page so that people that want to support you can give a donation on your behalf. Step out in faith and let God use you to be a blessing! Contact Christa Scott for more details! (559) 908-7379

**Dress-A-Girl** - Some little girls have never had a pretty dress. If you would like to show them the love of Jesus by sewing a dress, kits are available in the front foyer with everything you will need. The dresses are sent to the mission field to help protect girls from human trafficking. For more information, contact Judy Isaak at 859-2735. Thank you for making dresses for DAG. \*Donations of fabric, thread, and notions are greatly appreciated.

#### MEN'S MINISTRY

**Forged Men's Opportunities!** God's Plan for our life is that you grow as a Christian. Join us Mondays, 7-8pm, in the Student Center, and Thursdays for Lunch Bunch at 12 noon in the cafe.

Cross Trainers Basketball: Wednesdays at 7pm, Immanuel

Pickleball: Thursdays at 7pm, at the RMBC Court

Contact mike@reedleymbc.org for more information on Men's Ministry.

#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

#### Women's Ministry Event - Journaling to Jesus

Join us Tuesday, March 19th, at 7pm, in the Fellowship Hall as Maggy Wheeland shares her method of Prayer Journaling. Read, Record, and Request.

W.O.W. Women of the Word - W.O.W. is a community Bible Study that meets Tuesdays, 9-11am, in the Student Center. WOW will be starting a new Bible study on Tuesday, March 19th, 9am, in the Student Center. It is a study of the book of "Isaiah" by Melissa Spoelstra. Learn how to strive less and trust God more. This would be a great time to invite a friend, start a Bible study if you've never done one before, or come back to WOW if you've missed for awhile.

M.O.M.S. Bible Study - Thursday, March 14th, 9-11am, Session #4 "Ruth - loss, love, and legacy" by Kelly Minter. "An Encounter" as the story of Ruth continues in Bethlehem.

Women's Wednesday Night Bible Study - meets from 6:45-8pm in the Student Center Room SC 206, with a study of 1-2 Peter, "Living Hope in a Hard World" by Lydia Brownback. Contact Julie Hofer 281-4515 for details.

Contact michelle.hiett@reedleymbc.org for more information on Women's Ministry.

#### COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

**Sunday School -** Meet in the Student Center, SC 202 at 10:40am.

**Sunday Nights - Meet in the Student Center at 6pm.** 

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Sunday School for All Ages:** 2 years old - 4th grade are in the Children's Center and 5th & 6th graders are in SC 207.

Nursery (birth through Age 2) is available in the Children's Center. There is also a parent room in the foyer of the sanctuary where the service is live streamed each Sunday. It is next to the Women's Restroom.

Children's Church (Age 3 through Kindergarten): Children meet in the breezeway when dismissed from the worship service. Children's Church is in the Tree Top Room in the Children's Center.

**Kingdom Kids (1st - 3rd grade)** Children meet in the breezeway when dismissed from the worship service. Kingdom Kids is in the Vineyard room in the Children's Center.

Contact tanya@reedleymbc.org for more information on Children's Ministry.

# "Which style of evangelism best describes you?" (John 1) (pg. 886)

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I.	You may have the	(John 1:1-42)	style of evangelism.
II.	You may have the	(John 9:1-12)	style of evangelism.
III.	You may have the	(Acts 2:14-18)	style of evangelism.
IV.	You may have the	(Acts 9:36)	style of evangelism.
V.	You may have the	(Acts 17:22-34)	style of evangelism.
VI.	You may have the	(1 Corinthians 9	style of evangelism. :22)

DATE: March 10, 2024

MEETING: RMBC Sunday School Equipping Class in the Fellowship Hall

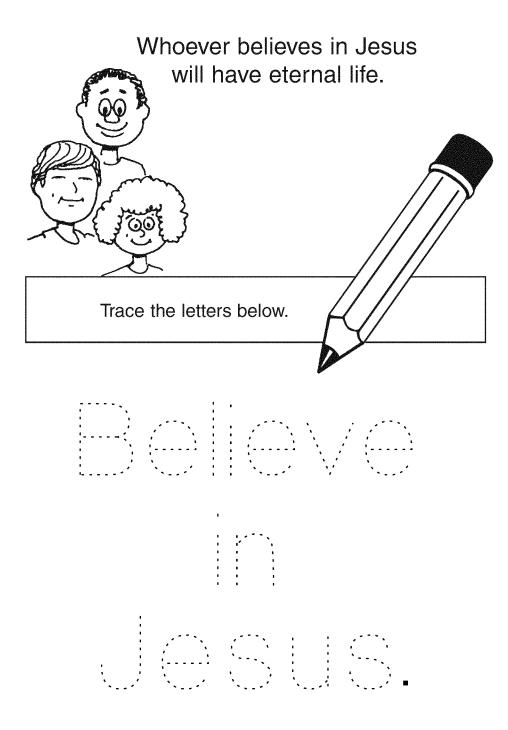
Time	Activity	Sample Sunday School Class
10:40-11:00	<b>Body Life Prayer Time</b>	-Show Video
11:00-11:30	Small Group Discussion	-Scripture
11:30-11:40	Large Group Discussion	-Share
11:40	End Sunday School Class	-Supplication

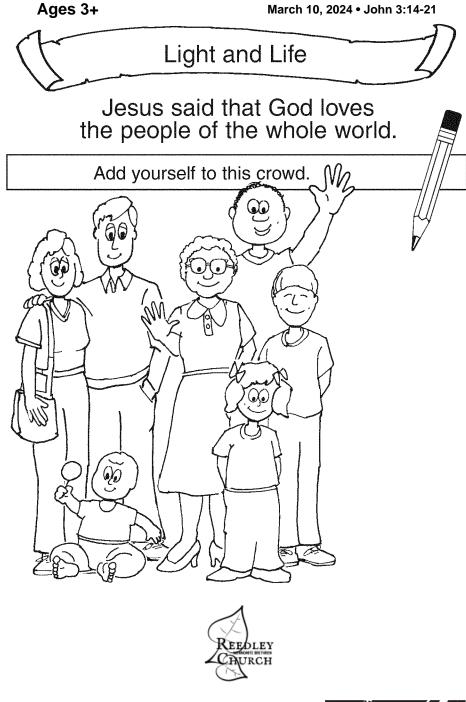
## \*\*\*Please text Sunday School Attendance to Pastor Mike Schellenberg - (559)-393-3000

- 1. Read John 1 and John 9 and Acts 2.
- 2. Prayer time: Go around your group and ask for prayer requests. Pray together.
- 3. Ice Breaker Question #1: Jeff mentioned that he loved Dallas, Texas in his opening story about the evangelistic eye doctor in Dallas, Texas. Do you have a favorite city outside of the state of California? What is the name of the city and why do you like it so much?
- 4. Ice Breaker Question #2: The eye doctor would have the patient read "God loves you and has a wonderful plan for your life." This was a very creative approach in witnessing. Do you know of any other creative approaches in evangelism? Please share.
- 5. Ice Breaker Question #3: Jeff mentioned six different styles of evangelism found in the New Testament. Which style are you most comfortable with? In other words what is your preferred style and why? Is there any evangelistic style that "scares" you?
- 6. Ice Breaker Question #4: Go around the group and share how you became a Christian. (As a side note: Jeff believes that while there are exceptions most people became a Christian through the influence of a family member or friend.) Please share.

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- I. You may have the...**Relational** style of evangelism. (John 1:1-42)
  - Can you think of anyone you know that uses the relational style of evangelism?
- II. You may have the...**Supernatural** style of evangelism. (John 9:1-12)
  - Can you think of anyone you know that has been dramatically saved, healed or delivered that testifies about the supernatural power of God?
- III. You may have the...**Proclamational** style of evangelism. (Acts 2:14-18)
  - Peter in John's Gospel denies knowing Jesus but in Acts 2 he gives perhaps the greatest evangelistic message in church history. What happened? How did Peter changes from denying Jesus to preaching Jesus?
  - Can you think of anyone that uses the proclamational style of evangelism?
  - Why is this style very rare?
- IV. You may have the... Observational style of evangelism. (Acts 9:36)
  - Dorcas tried to observe needs and help others. Jeff shared how Pastor Mike uses basketball and Dennis and Colleen Friesen lead people in the food distribution. Can you think of others that use the observational style of evangelism?
- V. You may have the...**Intellectual** style of evangelism. (Acts 17:22-34)
  - Jeff mentioned that CS Lewis and Josh McDowell used the intellectual style of evangelism. Can you think of others that use this style of evangelism?
- VI. You may have the...**Incarnational** style of evangelism. (I Corinthians 9:22)
  - Paul became all things to all men so he could evangelize. Can you share any other helpful advice for improving evangelism/outreach?
  - Hard Stop at 11:40 AM





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