

REINVENTING OURSELVES

People talk about reinventing themselves. They realize that the world and culture around them are changing, and their presentation, their product, their service is less relevant and less effective than before.

A performer has experienced some success, but their sales have peaked or their audience has lost interest, and they need to reinvent themselves to capture a new wave.

An educator has used certain methods for years, but now realizes that those methods are now less effective, and they to reinvent their teaching or administrative style.

A business or organization has produced the same product or offered the same service for years, but find their product, their service is less valued than before, and they need to reinvent themselves in a new global market.

A person is going through a career change, and they realize that they if they are to land a new job, they have to reinvent themselves, learn new skills, and market themselves differently.

Doing the same old thing doesn't work as well as it used to.

God says through the prophet Isaiah, "See, I am doing a new thing! Now it

springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the desert and streams in the wasteland" (Isaiah 43:19). Though we like the comfort of the familiar, even God does new things in new ways.

In this passage God further declares that past miracles would be nothing compared with the new things he wants to do now. He promises a new and delightful journey through the wilderness.

In these recent months, we have been experiencing God's newness at work. We have been reinventing ourselves with: new prayer emphases (an intercessory prayer team, after service prayer groups, prayer appointments, and soon a once-a-month Wednesday prayer emphasis), new ministry structures and strategies, a new integration process for newcomers, a new fiscal year change, a new (for me) staff meeting and management style, a new church communication guide.

I anticipate that we need to reinvent ourselves in other areas as well: small groups, the van ministry, worship services, children's summer VBS, annual meetings.

I would like this theme of *reinventing ourselves* to continue inspiring and motivating us to think and plan differently – how we can best visionize and do ministry – in 2012 and beyond.

What do you think? In what areas do you feel we could reinvent ourselves?

PASTOR'S CORNER

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FEBRUARY PREACHING

February 5 - Betrayal & Self-Deception, Matthew 26:14-16

February 12 - An Intimate Meal with Difficult Moments, Matthew 26:17-30

February 19 - The Rock Crumbles, Matthew 26:31-35

February 26 - Pastor Rick Wallace



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REGULAR WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sundays

8:30 a.m.
 Daybreak Worship

9:45 a.m.
 Sunday School for All

11:00 a.m.
 Wellspring Worship

11:00 a.m.
 Japanese Worship
*(1st Sunday of the month the
 Japanese join the English
 Worship.)*

Wednesdays

6:30 p.m.
 Awana Clubs–Youth Group
 Prayer Gathering

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 STAFF**

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 Rev. David Smith

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**Children’s Ministry
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 Bethany Meyer – Wellspring
 David Svenson, Wally Borner
 – Daybreak

LINKS . . .



ARTWORK ABOUT JESUS’ PASSION AND RESURRECTION

February through Easter, you are invited to create artwork about Jesus’ Passion or Resurrection. This artwork – any media, all ages to participate – will be displayed at the church during this season. Following the Gospel of Matthew, from which Pastor Dave will be preaching, here are a list of possible themes and texts. Include your name and the title of your artwork.

Be prayerfully creative!

- The plot against Jesus, 26:1-5
 - Jesus anointed at Bethany, 26:6-13
 - Judas agrees to betray Jesus, 26:14-16
 - The Lord’s Supper, 26:17-30
 - Jesus predicts Peter’s denial, 26:31-35
 - Gethsemane, 26:36-46
 - Jesus arrested, 26:47-56
 - Before the Sanhedrin, 26:57-68
 - Peter disowns Jesus, 26:69-75
 - Judas takes his own life, 27:1-10
 - Jesus before Pilate, 27:11-26
- The soldiers mock Jesus, 27:27-31
 - The crucifixion, 27:32-44
 - The death of Jesus, 27:45-56
 - The burial of Jesus, 27:57-61
 - The guard at the tomb, 27:62-66
 - The resurrection, 28:1-10
 - The guards’ report, 28:11-15
 - The Great Commission, 28:16-20



HELP HUNGER IN OUR COMMUNITY! . . .

The Rose Hill Deaconesses are having their annual food drive for Keystone Community Services, our community food shelf in Roseville. The need is still increasing as the food shelf is seeing many new families coming in every month for groceries. In addition to this, the cost of the perishable food that the food shelf must purchase has recently doubled. They need our help now more than ever. If you would like to help, we will be accepting donations for non-perishable food on February 12, 19 and 26. You will be making a difference in someone's life. Watch for signs in the gathering space.

This is a list of the Most Needed Food Shelf Items

Food

- Canned meat products
- Boxed dinners (Hamburger Helper, etc.)
- Macaroni and cheese
- Canned pasta (ravioli, etc.)
- Hearty soups
- Pasta & Rice
- Cooking oil
- Flour & Sugar



Personal care items

- Bar soap
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Laundry detergent
- Paper products
- Toothbrushes
- Diapers



**Saturday, February 11
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**

We will be going to the Coon Rapids location. Sign Up on the bulletin board or email to rhac@rosehillcma.org



MINISTRIES

ALLIANCE WOMEN

We will meet Monday, February 6, in the Fireside Room at 9:30 a.m. Our speaker will be Carolyn Dean who works with CAMA Services in Laos. Carolyn went first to Thailand in 1984, but has been serving in Laos since 1996.

PRAYER CHAIN

If you would like to submit a prayer request to the prayer chain, you may do so by emailing it to rhac-prayer-chain@rosehillcma.org



PRAYER GATHERING

Join us Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room for a regular time of prayer.

QUIZING & TALENT SHOW

You are invited to the **Saturday**, February 18, talent show and Northwestern District quiz meet at Rose Hill Church. You are also invited to the quiz meet on March 17 at Rose Hill. Both events are at 2:00 p.m. Questions? Contact Carol Svenson.



February Youth Group

**Wednesdays,
6:30 p.m.**

Attention Moms!

You are invited to a get together with Rose Hill Mom's on Friday, February 17 from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.



Come for a time of coffee and conversation and we'll be sure your kids are well cared for.

Please let us know you plan to join us by RSVP to jodiemaki@earthlink.net Questions? See Diane Grindahl or Jodie Maki.

GIRLS DAY INN ... coming

**Saturday,
March 3, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

Mark your calendars now ... registration, along with a lunch option, will begin shortly. This will be the same format as before. Watch the Women's Ministry bulletin board for registration forms/lunch menu and the church bulletin for full details. This is a time to work on "your" project and hopefully be able to cross something off your "to do" list by the end of the day!

MARCH 2012						
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Girls Day Inn-
My Day!

GOVERNING BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

- ❖ Recommended to the congregation a church fiscal year change from January through December to July through June.
- ❖ Recommended to the congregation the 2012 budget.
- ❖ Approved a International Family Night Ministry Description.



SAVE THE DATES
Saturday, May, 5 & Sunday, May 6



Join us for a time of Prayer & Praise for Weekend of Service. March 15, 7:00 p.m. at Christ Temple Apostolic Church, 2651 Hamline Ave. N. Roseville. Registration for W.O.S begins March 25. Contact Faith Norstrud with your questions.



“FARE FOR ALL EXPRESS” DISTRIBUTION . . .

Tuesday, February 14 3:00-5:00 p.m.

2012 Dates
 Mar 13, April 17,
 May 15, June 19,

Real Life church
 2353 Chatsworth St. N,
 Roseville.
 Frozen meats & veggies
 are up to 40% savings.



Saturday, February 11 4:30-7:30 p.m.

Child care provided for Ages 0-6th grade

We will have supper followed by fun activities like crafts & games. The cost is \$5 per child (max \$15 per family)

Parents...this is a night out for you!!
 Please **sign up** on the bulletin board on the lower level (by room 105) **by Sunday, February 5th!!**

Just sign up and bring your kids to us on Saturday, February 11, at 4:30 p.m. There will be activities for the kids to keep them happy and occupied while you are “Out on the Town.” We need each family to be sure to fill out the Children’s Ministry registration form so that we have all the pertinent information we need. *(If we have one on file for your family, it is not necessary to fill it out again.)*

There will be someone at the bottom of the stairs to sign in your kids at the beginning of the evening and when everyone has arrived, we will lock the outside doors for security. Please enter the building through the North Parking Lot Door. We request that you please return promptly by 7:30 to pick up your children.



Big Sandy Camp & Retreat Center

Fight Like a Man

“For we are not fighting against people made of flesh and blood, but against the evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against those mighty powers of darkness who rule this world, and against wicked spirits in the heavenly realms.” Eph. 6:12 NLT

Men's Winter Retreat

February 24-26, 2012

Deadline for group rate, Feb. 15th.



The C&MA Men are pleased to announce that the Speaker for the 2012 Men's Winter Retreat will be Rev. Todd Braschler, a pastor, musician, author and conference speaker. If you'd like to get a preview of Todd's ministry, please check out this [YouTube video](#). It's going to be an unforgettable conference.

Registration information is available on line at www.bigsandycamp.com or on the church bulletin board. Cost: \$110. (Five or more – group rate \$99. Deadline Feb. 15.) Questions? See Jeff Carpentier or Glen Grindahl.

Prepare to see God move among us!