

# Church on the Rock E-Update#

## Thursday March 15, 2018#

Join us this Sunday as we continue our series "Re-Charge: The Spirit Filled Life" (Mar. 18<sup>th</sup> 9:30 & 11:15am)

- Pastor Dave preaching on "Re-Charge: Fruit of the Spirit".
- Nursery, Early Years, Kid's Rock and Rush (Jr. High) during the first service.
- Student pick-up at McMaster (10:35am at the Mills Library - end of Sterling St.) and at Redeemer (10:50am in the back parking lot).

### Summer Student Positions at Church on the Rock

- Despite the current uncertainty related Canada Summer Jobs grant process, Church on the Rock is trusting God to be able to take on several summer students.
- Two paid positions (12 weeks x 30 hours (May- July)) tasked with the planning and implementation of our Summer Kids Camp and Summer Youth Special Events. These are for post-secondary students who are returning to school in Sept. 2018.
- Four volunteer positions (with \$500 honorarium) June 27 -July 18 (~100 hours) tasked with supporting our interns in the preparation and implementation of our Summer Kids Camp. These are for current secondary school students (and those who will be secondary student in Sept. 2018).
- For a full job description and/or to submit a cover letter and resume please contact Tina [tina@churchontherock.ca](mailto:tina@churchontherock.ca) . Submissions are due by Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup> 12:00 pm. #

### Prayer Gathering (Mar. 15<sup>th</sup>) #

- Thursday evenings, 7:00-9pm at the Church Building, 2149 Upper James St.
- Praying for the ongoing ministry at COTR!
- Contact Cheryl Hozjan [Hozjan@rogers.com](mailto:Hozjan@rogers.com) for details

### Ignite (No Ignite during March Break – Resumes March 23<sup>rd</sup>)

- Youth ministry for students Grade 9-12. High fun, high faith!
- Join us for a great time of fun-filled connecting, worship and God's word.
- Meets at the Church building Friday nights from 7:00-10:00 pm.
- For more details contact Karra Overholt at [karra@churchontherock.ca](mailto:karra@churchontherock.ca)

### Merge - Young Adults (Mar. 20<sup>th</sup>)

- Join our Young Adult (18-25ish) gathering 1st and 3rd Tuesdays 7:00-9:30pm at the Church Building. An interactive time of connection, worship, teaching and discussion.
- Get connected via the "Church on the Rock Young Adults" Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/204721176405730/>
- For more info contact Pastor Andrew [andrew@churchontherock.ca](mailto:andrew@churchontherock.ca)

### Mom's Connect (Mar.21<sup>st</sup>)

- New moms (and little ones) are invited to get together for a time of connection and encouragement. Alternate Wednesdays 9:30-11:30am at the Thompson's 155 Bond Street N., Hamilton.

- For more information or if you are able to assist with providing baked goods or snacks contact Alicia Thompson [thompson.alicia13@gmail.com](mailto:thompson.alicia13@gmail.com)

### **Adrenaline (March 21<sup>st</sup>)**

- Jr. High Ministry (Grades 6-8), Wednesday evenings, 7-8:45pm at the Building.
- Join us for a great time of fun-filled connecting, worship and God's word.
- For more information contact Karra Overholt at [karra@churchontherock.ca](mailto:karra@churchontherock.ca)

### **Encounter God (Mar. 24<sup>th</sup>)**

- Would you like to get unstuck from some of the habits and hang-ups that hold you back? An opportunity to Encounter God in new ways, through holiness and healing.
- Saturday Mar. 24<sup>th</sup> 8:30am-5:00pm at the Church Building
- Cost is \$15, second time participants, \$10.00 (cover materials and lunch)
- Sign-up with Tina, [tina@churchontherock.ca](mailto:tina@churchontherock.ca), 905-388-0231 or online <https://www.churchteams.com/m/GroupBrowseNew.asp?filter=y>

### **Camp Sunday (Mar. 25<sup>th</sup>)**

- Join us as we take some time at our morning service to celebrate God's work through camp ministry. A great opportunity to meet with camp representatives about a number of summer camp opportunities both as a participant and/or volunteer/staff.

### **Kids Adventure Club (March 27<sup>th</sup>)**

- Kid's Adventure Club (for children SK-Grade 5) 2nd and 4th Tuesdays each month at the building on Upper James 6:30-8pm.
- Crafts, theme nights, crazy activities and making friends is what Kids Adventure Club is all about. Teaching biblical values through fun and games!
- Contact Nancy, [nancy@churchontherock.ca](mailto:nancy@churchontherock.ca) for details or to inquire about opportunities for serving on the Kids Club team.

### **Good Friday Service (Mar. 30<sup>th</sup>)**

- Join us for an inspirational Good Friday Service at Calvin, 10:30am.

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### **Easter Sunday Services (April 1<sup>st</sup>)**

- Join us for Easter Sunday Services, 9:30am & 11:15am.

### **"Games Night" Connection Event (April 7<sup>th</sup>)**

- Join us Saturday April 7<sup>th</sup> at the Church Building for an evening of board games and fun! Open house style; drop in any time 6:30-10:30pm.
- Bring your own game or learn a new one from our wide selection.
- Hot and cold drinks provided. Bring your own snacks. All welcome!#
- Contact Pastor Andrew for details [#">andrew@churchontherock.ca](mailto:andrew@churchontherock.ca)#

### **Dominican Republic Partnership - Wally Parr Frozen Meat Sale (April 8<sup>th</sup>-April 22<sup>nd</sup>) & Medical Supply Collection (April 15<sup>th</sup> -May 6<sup>th</sup>)**

- Join in on supporting our DR Partnership (including the School in Cotui, the Orphanage and the Leprosy Centre) through the purchase of Wally Parr Frozen Meats and by contributing to our Medical Supply Collection.
- Stay tuned for details.

## Prayer and Praise (April 22<sup>nd</sup>)

- Join us Sunday evening for an inspiring evening of worship and prayer! 7:00 pm. at Calvin.

## Combined Services Begin and Pancake Breakfast (April 29<sup>th</sup>)

- Join us through the late spring & summer for our combined Sunday morning services, 10:30am at Calvin. Looking forward to being all together!
- Pancake breakfast following the service on Sunday April 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Stay tuned for our Maple Syrup /Honey sale in support of our Building a City on a Hill Campaign.

## Building a City on a Hill

- Thank-you to the many who have prayed and pledged over the last few months toward our "Building a City on a Hill" fundraising campaign!
- If you haven't yet taken the opportunity to join us in our vision of "Building a City on a Hill", pledges and donations will continue to be received during our Sunday morning services.

## COTR Finances #

- Thanks to all of those who generously contribute to the ongoing mission of Church on the Rock with your financial gifts.
- Donations during our Sunday Morning Services can be made using Cash, Cheque, Debit, Apple Cash or Credit Card.
- Pre-Authorized Giving through your financial institution is available upon request.
- Donation can also be made with online banking services via Interac E-Transfers as well as online through Canada Helps  
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/810424952RR0001-church-on-the-rock/>
- Contact Tina [tina@churchontherock.ca](mailto:tina@churchontherock.ca) for more info or assistance.#

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## Praise and Prayer Requests

- Praise for two "Red Balloons" we celebrated last Sunday!
- Prayer that God would be at work through our latest sermon series "Re: Charge"
- Praise and Prayer for our overflowing Nursery, Early Years & Kids Rock. Pray as we get set to launch our "Serve One Sunday" promo for the summer ministry season.
- Praise for the "Riot Kids" who many years later have come back to COTR.
- Pray as we begin our campaign of "Sharing the Vision" for our City on a Hill campaign.
- Pray that God will continue to provide the resources for our 2018 budget.

If you would no longer like to receive these updates, please respond to this email. Thank you.#

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