

**RICHMOND  
ALLIANCE  
CHURCH**

*Helping people know &  
follow Jesus Christ*

**- THE LORD'S DAY, AUGUST 13, 2017 -**

**JOHN 15:12-17**

<sup>12</sup> "This is My commandment, that you love one another, just as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> Greater love has no one than this, that one lay down his life for his friends. <sup>14</sup> You are My friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup> No longer do I call you slaves, for the slave does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you. <sup>16</sup> You did not choose Me but I chose you, and appointed you that you would go and bear fruit, and *that* your fruit would remain, so that whatever you ask of the Father in My name He may give to you. <sup>17</sup> This I command you, that you love one another."



***Sing To The King  
Call To Worship***

***This Is Amazing Grace  
Jesus Messiah  
Jesus Paid It All***

**Prayer**

**Giving of Our Offerings**

**(Children to Grade 5 Dismissed for Children's Church)**

**"Slaves Turned Friends"**

***Christ Is Enough***

**Church Family News**

**Benediction**

## This Week At RAC:

### Tuesday

7:00 pm - Summer of Prayer:  
Praying the Psalms  
(Board Room)

### Wednesday

6:30 am - Men's Morning  
Bible Study (Room 135)

### Sunday

10:30 am - Luke 8:40-56  
(Pastor Ron)

### Finances:

#### General Fund:

Last week: \$3,345.00  
Year To Date: \$135,525.76

Budget To Date: \$116,160.00

Benevolent: \$20.00  
Mortgage Reduction: \$90.00  
International Ministries: \$75.00  
Canadian Ministries: \$10.00  
BC Emergency Fund: \$100.00

Online giving is available through  
the church website!

Seniors Prayer Luncheon, Youth,  
Ladies Time-Out, & Home  
Groups are on Summer Break and  
will be resuming in the fall.

### Psalm 47:2

For the LORD Most High is awesome,  
the great King over all the earth.

Young Adults will meet this Friday,  
August 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm in the Fireside  
Room. See the website for more  
information.

**Wildfire Response** - If you are  
looking for ways to support churches  
and individuals affected by wildfires in  
the province, please see the District  
website to make a donation  
([https://pacificdistrict.ca/bc-wildfires-  
response/](https://pacificdistrict.ca/bc-wildfires-response/)). Donations can also be  
given in our offering envelopes. Desig-  
nate them: 'BC Emergency Fund'.

### Prayer & Praise:



**The Refugee Family** we are  
sponsoring, (Riaz, Victoria, and  
their boys: Christopher, Kenny, &  
Obaid) have passed a second  
immigration hurdle. Their refugee status  
has been approved. Pray for a speedy  
process in their desire to relocate to  
Canada from Thailand.

**Joyce Berg** has returned home after a  
lengthy hospital stay. She has  
recuperated from her pneumonia.

**Marie Boyer** (Bernadette's Sister) has  
severely broken her foot. If you would  
like to provide meal assistance, please  
speak to Bernadette. In addition,  
Bernadette's mother is in the hospital.  
Pray also that Bernadette would have  
the needed strength for these extra  
challenges.

**Jenn Best's mother, Marian,** is  
undergoing treatment for leukemia. Pray  
for strength, healing, and peace for the  
family.

*Sermon Notes*  
*August 13, 2017*

*Slaves Turned Friends (John 15:12-17)*  
*Pastor JD*