

I. THE _____ OF HEROD (vv. 1-5a)

A. The _____ of James (vv. 1-2)

B. The _____ of Peter (vv. 3-5a)

II. THE _____ OF THE CHURCH (v. 5b)

Finances

Giving to August 8th: \$212,051.00

Budget to August 8th: \$188,384.52

Benevolence to Aug. 8th: \$ 2,232.70



You can place your offering in the box at the back, give through Interac, or online through the church website.

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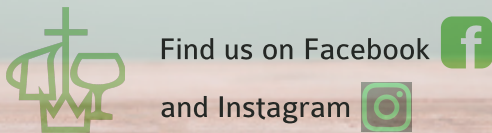
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August 17, 2025

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES:



*The
Gospel
to
the
World*

RIVAL KINGDOMS
(Acts 12:1-25)

Call to Worship

Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)

The Lord Is By My Side

Scripture Reading - Psalm 138

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

You Alone Can Rescue

Pastoral Prayer

Announcements, Children Dismissed

Sermon (Pastor Ron)

Christ Our Hope In Life and Death

Benediction

HELPING
PEOPLE
KNOW AND
FOLLOW
JESUS CHRIST

WELCOME!

We are a multi-cultural, inter-generational church, dedicated to helping people grow in their relationship with, and commitment to the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are looking for a church home, or exploring the issue of faith and spirituality, you are welcome here.

Thursday

5-7 pm - Young Adult Badminton

Next Sunday

10:30 am - Worship Service

Pastor André preaching

(Children will be dismissed for their class during the sermon time)

Coming Up

Sept. 7th - Fall Kickoff BBQ

Sept. 10th - Women's Bible Study Fellowship ("BSF") begins here at RAC

Sept. 14th - Adult Bible Class Begins ("The Beginning: A Study of the First Chapters of Genesis")

Week of Sept. 28th - Community Groups Resume

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Aug. 15 - Barry Kwok

Aug. 19 - Jacob Larden Aug. 22 - Sean Tangsoc

CONTEMPLATION CORNER

"The secret of joy is Christ in me;
not me in different circumstances."

- Elisabeth Elliot

Missions

Eric & Hannah Walter (serving in SE Asia with MAF) write:

Pray that God's name would be glorified as we work with local government officials and the local airlines. We sometimes run into issues of corruption, and we need God's guidance in how to address these issues in a way that shows appropriate respect and care for the people involved but that also holds onto our value of integrity and that honors the Lord. Pray for wisdom and protection.

Copies of letters from our sponsored missionaries are available by the Mission display in the foyer.

Prayer & Praise

Helen Haveruk has been suffering from severe back pain caused by a fracture in her spine. Pray for healing.

Please continue to pray for **Delsa Constantino** as her sickness is progressing. She has experienced some strong side-effects from her treatments, and asks for prayer for strength.

Pray for the ongoing situation in Gaza, that God would give wisdom to the nation of Israel, and that peace would come to the region.

Pray also for the ongoing war in Ukraine, that the hostilities would come to an end.

Pray for our seniors and shut-ins, many of whom deal with ongoing health issues.

If you have a specific need you would like prayer for, please call us at the church, send an email, or text Pastor Ron or one of the Elders.

FROM THE LIBRARY

Check out these new Bible books: ***Daniel's Prophecies Made Easy*** by Arno Fries, and ***Discovering Daniel*** by Tsarfati & Yohn, a Messianic Jew and a Mennonite Gentile.

Others: ***Revealing Revelation*** and ***Israel and the Church*** by Tsarfati. The latter speaks to something Pastor Ron shared in a recent sermon.

For our Youth and young at heart, read how ***A Horseback Preacher*** and ***Gold Medal Winner*** had an impact on the growth of Christianity.

Seasons of Sorrow by Tim Challies helps with grief after the loss of a loved one.

- Annette



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Rival Kingdoms

(Acts 12:1-25)

Sermon Notes (page 2)

Pastor Ron

III. THE _____ OF GOD (vv. 6-25)

A. The _____ of the Apostle (vv. 6-19)

B. The _____ of the King (vv. 20-23)

C. The _____ of the Word (vv. 24-25)