



Rose City Park
Presbyterian Church

Sunday – September 13, 2020

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Bible Study (Matthew) 8:30-9:30 am

Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/669099966>

To join by telephone, call [253-215-8782](tel:253-215-8782) and enter Meeting ID 669 299 966.

Worship 10:00 am

Use this link beginning at 9:45 am to attend

Worship: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/97884952311>

To join by telephone, call [253-215-8782](tel:253-215-8782) and enter Meeting ID 978 8495 2311.

Bring an item that represents God's call in your life for a just world and/or a green earth

The Worship Bulletin can be found at www.rosecityparkpres.org .

Kick-off Celebration and Fellowship on the Church Grounds 1:00-2:00 pm

Patio/lawn and sidewalks

Lectionary Readings

- **First Reading** Exodus 14:19-31
- **Psalm** 114:1-8
- **Alternate response** Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21
- **Second Reading** Romans 14:1-12
- **Gospel** Matthew 18:21-35

This Week August 13- September 19

Sunday, September 13

8:30 am **Bible Study (Matthew)** - Zoom

10:00 am **Worship & Coffee Hour** - Zoom

1:00 pm **Kick-off Celebration and Fellowship** --RCPPC outside
Tuesday, September 15 **Postponed to Sunday, September 20.**

7:00 pm **Regular Session meeting** - Zoom
Wednesday, September 16

7:00 pm **Devotional Prayer Service** - Facebook
Saturday, September 19

8:30 am **Men's Breakfast** - Zoom

Announcements

Kick-off Celebration and Fellowship on the Church Grounds Sunday, September 13 20

- * Talk/Laugh with friends old and new
- * Enjoy Ice Cream Treats
- * Create a Circle of Love with chalk drawings on sidewalks
- * Learn about the newly formed Environmental Group
- * Enter the GREEN Raffle—walk, bike, public transportation eligibility
- * Support "Family of Chickens" PCUSA Mission Project--purchase gift cards designed by the middle grades class
- * Take home a Stepping Stone Kit (Kids and Youth)

Please plan to comply with the following regulations, established by Multnomah County.

- * Masks are required.
- * Social distance of at least six feet from other people is also required.
- * Each person will sign in, for purposes of contact tracing should that be necessary.
- * The County's guidance limits outdoor gatherings of faith communities to 50 people. If necessary, we may need to rotate attendees.

Whether you come over to the church and do a drive-through ice cream sandwich pickup, or spend time chatting on the sidewalk, we think this kick off will give us all a welcome respite from Covid, as well as something to look forward to.

Mid-Week Devotion on Facebook

Paulette and David are posting a devotion Wednesdays on Facebook. It is usually up at 7:00 pm. Thanks for watching and posting comments All are appreciated.

FOOD MINISTRY

An outdoor BBQ is planned on September 25. Please contact George Johnson or Heidi K. if you plan to participate.

-SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

WILDFIRE RELIEF SUPPLY DRIVE

SUNDAY, SEPT. 13 – 9AM-1PM

MONDAY, SEPT. 14 – 9AM-1PM

ROSE CITY FUTSAL EAST

5010 NE OREGON ST, PORTLAND OR (between Halsey & I-84)

Rose City FUTSAL East will be on-site and accepting donations both days. Please help however you can!

Needed Supplies:

- Water/Food
- Hand Crank Radio & Batteries
- First Aid Kits
- Dust Masks
- Toilet Paper & Paper Products
- Bleach & Cleaning Supplies
- Shampoo/Soap & Hygiene Products
- Clothing & Shoes
- Air Mattresses/Sleeping Pads
- Sleeping Linens
- Tents/Trailers & Temporary Housing
- Dog Beds & Animal Food

Season of Peace

Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) congregations will begin observing a Season of Peace, a four-week spiritual journey designed to deepen the pursuit of peace, spanning from Sept. 6 through Oct. 4. The season is a time for congregations to focus on what it means to be a

peacemaking congregation and what it means to be people of peace. One way to start is by signing up to receive daily reflections via email. The reflections, known as the Path of Peace, also can be downloaded. The reflections focus on peace in relationships (Sept. 13-19); peace in community (Sept. 20-26) and holistic peace (Sept. 27-Oct. 4). Check out information and links to various resources on the Season of Peace website at <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/peacemaking/season-peace/>

Session Special Meetings

The [COVID-19 Response](#) web page contains brief information updates about issues Session is considering in their special meetings.

Thank You for your continued Financial Support

Your continued financial support under these unusual circumstances is necessary and so appreciated. If you are in a position to give, here are options:

1. Write a check and mail it to the church: Rose City Park Presbyterian Church, 1907 NE 45th Ave, Portland, OR 97213.
2. Make an Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) from your checking account to the church's bank account. If you are interested in doing this, please contact the office at 503-282-0965 or office@rosecityparkpres.org.
3. Have you used your bank's online bill payment system before? You can send a check to RCPPC at no extra cost to you and no credit card fees to the church. Contact your bank for details.
4. You may also make a donation by clicking here: [RCPPC Donations](#).

Prayers

Continued Prayers of healing for Wayne Knepper.

Prayers for all the firefighters and people affected by the fires.

Prayers for all teachers, parents and children as they begin a new different school year.

Prayers for all those who have lost loved ones and for those who are sick.

Prayers for all the front line responders.

Prayers for all who have lost their jobs and all closed businesses.

If you want to be put on the prayer list please let Paulette or Carolee (office@rosecityparkpres.org) know.

Coming Up

Wednesday, September 23 Evening Devotional

Friday, September 25 Wy'East Food Ministry

Wednesday, September 30 Reading in the Evening

Wednesday, September 30 Evening Devotional

Saturday, October 3 Men's Breakfast

Sunday, October 4 Peace & Global Witness Offering

Tuesday, October 6 Special Session Meeting

Wednesday, October 7 Evening Devotional

Wednesday, October 7 Communications

Thursday, October 8 Building & Grounds

Friday, October 9 Wy'East Food Ministry

Tuesday, October 13 Sarah Circle

Wednesday, October 14 Evening Devotional

Wednesday, October 14 Social Action

Important Links

[RCPPC Website](#)

[RCPPC Events Calendar](#)

[RCPPC Facebook](#) **Please Visit Us on Facebook!**

[RCPPC Broadcaster](#)

[RCPPC Donations](#)

If you would like to join Rose City Park Presbyterian Church or learn more about us, please talk with David or Paulette or email paulette@rosecityparkpres.org

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Rose City Park Presbyterian Church is an inclusive spiritual community for all of God's people. We are committed to welcoming people of every race, language, age, gender, ethnicity, economic status, mental or physical ability, and sexual orientation into the full life and ministry of the church. We pledge ourselves to the reconciling work of God through Jesus Christ.

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