

# BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!

## ROCC CHILDREN'S NEWS

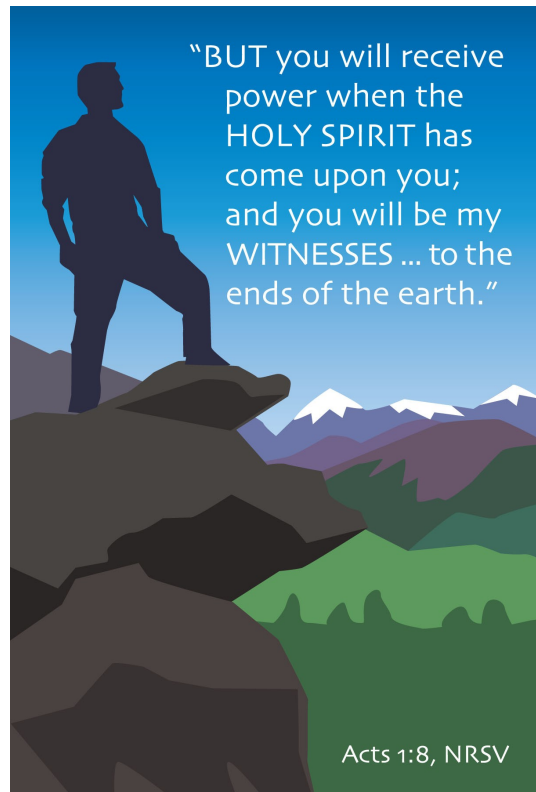
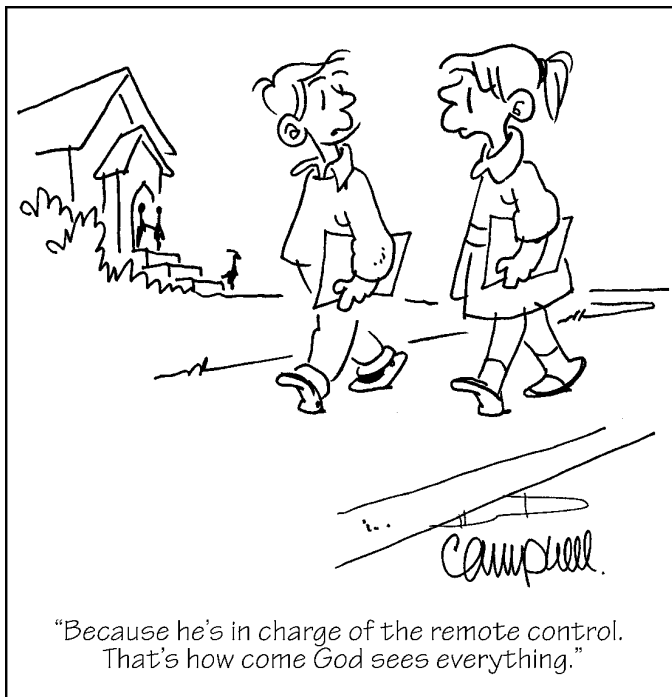
### WE ARE ALL DISCIPLES!

April was fun, wasn't it? Remember how we learned about being disciples for Christ. We joined both of our Children's classes together so that we could "*Follow Jesus*" by ...

- † taking a walk across the banner,
- † then hanging the banner in the sanctuary,
- † and finally having our leaders wash our feet.

After they washed our feet we talked about how Jesus washed the feet of His disciples and why He told us to do just as Jesus did for His disciples. We learned that we can be disciples in many ways.

Oh, by the way, don't forget that we made "resurrection rolls" and discovered that when the tomb (the rolls) opened up Jesus was no longer in the tomb. Wasn't that fun?



### WHAT'S GOING ON IN OUR WORLD?

Have you really thought about all the things we are doing at ROCC? Here's one: We are learning to "*Inform, Invite, Include, and Ignite*" our friends! All kids from 3 years old through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to join us in the Jesus Café on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm!

We have such a great time at the Children's activity nights! Remember the last one? We say '*thank you*' to the Men's group for giving us such a great deal on the food left over from the Easter Festival. Chaplain Cheri grilled the hot dogs while we kids played games. After the children and youth enjoyed a hot dog dinner they all had a blast with our first "*water fun night*".

The children and youth were able to donate over \$500 to the building fund through the Easter Festival and the T-Shirt sales. If you haven't got your T-Shirt yet there are still more left, two designs and lots of colors to choose from.

We will NOT be having the Children's activity night on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in May since it's Mother's Day.

Study while others are sleeping, work while others are loafing, prepare while others are planning, and dream while others are wishing.

William Arthur Ward



## Words of appreciation

Show your love for your mother, grandmother or aunt this Mother's Day by placing words of appreciation throughout the house for her to find.

### What you need:

- Construction paper
- Scissors
- Colored pencils
- Crayons
- Tape

**THANKS!**

### What you do:

1. Fold construction paper into fourths.
2. Cut paper along the folds to get four pieces.
3. On each rectangle, write words of appreciation, drawings and so on.
4. Tape the papers throughout the house. For example, a note on the refrigerator or pantry might say, "Thank you for making yummy meals for me." A note on a mirror might say, "You are beautiful inside and out!"



What does God mean when he commands us to honor our fathers and mothers (Exodus 20:12)?

Complete this word search to discover words that mean the same as *honor*.

admire • adore • appreciate • cherish • esteem  
look up to • praise • respect • revere • value

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