

ROLLING HILLS NEWS

FEBRUARY 2009

THE FINANCIAL SERIES



At different times in our lives, most of us have been in the **RED** financially. Red means being overextended with

no consistent application to get out of debt. If you are like our family, we would rather live consistently in the **BLACK**. Black means living within our means while saving and giving, which honors Christ.

“...live a more peaceful, balanced, freed-up and generous life.”

Beginning January 25, 2009, we embarked on a **RED TO BLACK** spiritual journey to learn to stay in the black and, as a result, live a more peaceful, balanced, freed-up and generous life. The Bible is packed with wise counsel about our financial life and, in the coming weeks, we will look at and study this counsel.

In addition to the Sunday services, I am requesting that every adult Community Group study and discuss these financial concepts. Through video, each adult small group will hear from renowned experts on the subject of biblical financial management. I am asking every group leader to lead your group through this powerful information. Even if you feel

you know this information, you will be receiving it so that you can impart it to others who are not as far along in their financial success.

In addition to the series and the study, we are offering a **Red to Black Financial Seminar** and an **Estate Planning Seminar**.

The Financial Seminar is Saturday, February 7, starting at 8:30 AM and ending at 4:30 PM.

The **Financial Seminar** is an overall study about every major area of finances. It will be led by Charlie Marsolini of Crown Financial Ministries. Because it is such a powerful seminar for everyone, no matter your age or your financial situation, we are committed to pay for childcare for young families! Get more information about this offer when you register for the seminar.

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THE SMALL GROUP TOPICS:

The Big Picture Rick Warren
Dedicate It All To God Chip Ingram
Plan Your Spending Ron Blue
Giving as an Act of Worship Chip Ingram
Saving and Investing Ron Blue
God's Solution to Debt Howard Dayton
Enjoy What God Has Given You Chuck Bentley

FEBRUARY EVENTS

TUES., 3
WOMEN'S SEASONS
BIBLE STUDY BEGINS

SAT., 7
FINANCIAL SEMINAR

SUN., 8
CHILDREN'S BAPTISM CLASS

WED., 11
HEARTS AT HOME

SUN., 15
LIFE DEVELOPMENT (PART 1)
ADULT BAPTISM CLASS

TUES., 17
LIFE DEVELOPMENT (PART 2)

THURS., 19
WOMEN OF WORTH

SAT., 21
KUTLESS CONCERT

SUN., 22
ALL CHURCH BAPTISM

THURS., 26
ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

Visit us online at *rollinghills.org*

SERVICE TIMES Sunday 9 & 11AM • OFFICE HOURS Monday – Friday 8:30AM – 5PM

ATRIUM CAFÉ HOURS Monday – Friday 8 – 10:30AM Sunday 8AM – 1PM

CONTACT Phone: 503-638-5900 Fax: 503-638-8267 • *info@rollinghills.org*



BAPTISM

Ready to publicly declare your faith through Baptism? Join us. **Elementary Orientation Class:** Sunday, February 8, 1:30 PM, Front/Fireside Room. Children MUST be accompanied by at least one parent/adult.

To sign up, email Pastor Jeff, jeff.mattson@rollinghills.org

Adult Orientation Class (6th grade and older): Sunday, February 15, 12:45-1:45 PM in the Future Bookstore. This class is required before baptism. No pre-registration required.

Baptism Celebration is Sunday, February 22, 1:30 PM in the Worship Center.

Terri Pace > 503-638-5900, terri.pace@rollinghills.org

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Effective church ministry is established when God's people meet together, love each other, and are united in purpose. That's what Adult Community Groups are about!

Register at the Community Group station after services or online at rollinghills.org/community-groups

Life Development 101
On February 15 & 17, learn about the history, mission and vision of Rolling Hills. Discover the significance of your role as a member.

Register for this important class at rollinghills.org

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Seasons Bible Study Spring Term starts Feb. 3! Ladies, it's not too late to join us for Bible study. Morning (including the children's program) and evening options available.

Seasons Morning: Linda Lockyear
503-682-1235, linda.lockyear@verizon.net

Children's Program Leader: Lisa Mercer
503-579-9171, themercers@verizon.net

Seasons Evening: Donna Enbysk
503-691-2359, enbysk@aol.com

Women's Prayer Fellowship

Join us as we worship God through prayer, song, sharing and fellowship with other women. Support RHCC staff and ministries in prayer, as well as pray for personal needs. If you haven't experienced group prayer before, please come & join in as you feel comfortable.

Colleen Jost > 503-885-1288,
jostc@hotmail.com

Shelby Peterson > 503-692-1336,
shelbypete@aol.com

Hearts at Home: On February 11, we invite expectant through early elementary school moms to join us for this fun morning of refreshment. Pastor Travis Waits & wife Jaime will share about "Passion, Pleasure and Poop: Having great sex with a toddler wrapped around your ankle." Cost: \$5 payable at event. Register your children online February 4 or at the Women's Ministries station February 8.

Heidi Tillotson > 503-825-1447

Children's Registration
503-638-5900 ext. 314

Women of Worth: For women

50, 60, 70 & better! Don't miss February's luncheon on February 19! Coldwater Creek will show off the newest fashions and our own Judy Blanchard will share about being "Better than Barbie." Tickets: \$10 (\$13 after Feb. 15) available at the Women's Ministries station Feb. 8 & 15.

Bettejo Lowe > 503-610-1234,
bjlowe@aol.com

WHOLENESS MINISTRIES

Betrayed Heart Women's Bible Study provides encouragement and guidance through the healing process from sexual betrayal in marriage. Beginning Tues. eves, February 3, for 12 weeks. Please contact Diane Manchester, diane.manchester@rollinghills.org to register.

Celebrate Recovery A biblically based spiritual plan of action to grow and become free from our hurts, habits and hang-ups through the healing power of Jesus Christ. We welcome all who are willing to reach out and grasp the hand that Jesus is offering. Meets on Wednesdays evenings. More details at rollinghills.org

New CR Step-Studies starting for both men and women! **Men's Group:** Tuesdays, 7 PM. **Women's Group:** Mondays, 7 PM. To register contact Pastor Travis at travis.waits@rollinghills.org

Redeeming Betrayal Support Group offered through Celebrate Recovery (CR). Women, if you have experienced sexual betrayal within your marriage, this is an opportunity for support as you heal. Meets during CR small group time, Wed. eves, begin. Feb. 4.

Safe Kids Strong Kids Learn skills to help protect your kids from sexual abuse. **Free seminar** for parents of birth - 5th grade kids. Sunday, March 1, 9 AM in the Future Bookstore. No need to register—just come!

YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRIES

ThereforeGO We are a group of young adults (ages 18-30) trying to figure out how to display Christ's love in practical ways to one another and the world. We gather to study the Bible every Sunday at 5 PM in the Atrium. Chris Nye > 503-638-5900 x262, chris.nye@rollinghills.org

THE FINANCIAL SERIES **RED TO BLACK**
MANAGING OUR FINANCES GOD'S WAY

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You may register for the Financial Seminar online or in the Atrium or South Entry. Parents, please encourage your students to attend this seminar. Parents and grandparents, this might be a great gift to give your family! The cost of the seminar is \$30 for each person, which includes a tremendous notebook and lunch. Scholarships are also available for individuals, if necessary. Parents and adults, don't you wish you would have learned some of these financial principles early on in your life? Linda and I have attended this seminar before, and we plan to attend again.

The Estate Planning Seminar is on Thursday, Feb. 26, 6:30- 8:30 PM.

This seminar will give you a step-by-step process to help you through the complicated areas of property ownership, taxation, a living trust and guardianship. It will also help you in finding God's plan of stewardship for your estate, as well as the mechanical processes that must be in place to make sure that it is carried out. **There is no cost nor obligation.** Register online at rollinghills.org/estate-seminar.

JOIN US SUNDAYS!
UPCOMING SUNDAY TOPICS

FEBRUARY 8

GIVING AS AN ACT OF WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 15

GOD'S SOLUTION TO DEBT

FEBRUARY 22

SAVING AND INVESTING

VISIT US AT ROLLINGHILLS.ORG/FINANCIAL-SERIES TO LEARN MORE!

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Cold Weather Shelter

Rolling Hills, in partnership with Tualatin Methodist Church, sheltered homeless members of our community during December. RHCC volunteers provided transportation, food and hospitality to our guests. Thank you, Rolling Hills, for stepping up to the plate.

"One of our guests was desperately in need of a pair of pants, size 33-I prayed, when looking at the mountain of garbage bags containing donated clothing, that I would quickly find his size. On top of the first bag I opened was a pair of size 33 pants."

Gerry Pruyn

MARRIAGE MINISTRIES

What couples are saying about **MARRIAGE REFRESH** on January 11.

"This was a very refreshing and encouraging event."

Bob & Elise Firth

"It was good to be reminded about celebrating our differences and to always encourage others especially our spouses."

"Insightful, usable, humorous & immediately actionable."

SINGLES MINISTRIES

Single Adult Ministry (SAM)

Ages 40+, Sundays, 10:45 AM-12:15 PM, in the South 3rd Floor Large Room. Relevant speakers and fellowship with other Christian singles. Visit rollinghills.org/singles-ministry for SAM Topics.

Ignite – Singles Co-ed Class for 20's & 30's. Join us Sundays at 11 AM in the South 3rd Floor Small Room.

Sam Haley > 503-638-5900, sam.haley@rollinghills.org

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

CHECK OUT ROLLINGHILLS.ORG/SERVE TO FIND MORE WAYS TO SERVE!

Volunteers for TreeHouse at Easter Services
Come serve some of the coolest kids on the planet in the TreeHouse at Easter as our church welcomes many visitors!

Lori Curran > 503-638-5900, lori.curran@rollinghills.org

Jr. High Camp Leaders Needed
We are looking for adults who would like to invest in the lives of Jr. Highers. It's an experience you'll never forget!

Jen Gulbrandson > 503-638-5900, jen.gulbrandson@rollinghills.org

MEN'S MINISTRIES

Mark Your Calendars for the Men's Retreat

on October 16-18 at Cascades Camp. It's one hour closer than Wildhorse Canyon and offers paintball, mountain biking, a Rubicon 4x4 course and horseback trail riding. Don't miss it!

Chuck Dalby > 503-631-2405,
chuckdalby@alwayslookinggood.com

Is Your Men's Group Looking For Excitement and Adventure?

Looking for a one-day hiking trip or a mini-Retreat for a night or a weekend? We've got adventure just waiting for your Men's Group. Come by the Men's Ministries station for more info!

Aimee Heck > 503-638-5900,
aimee.heck@rollinghills.org

Men, join a Total Impact Men's Group! Several new or expanding men's groups are available, meeting almost every day of the week. Most meet in the morning but some evening groups are also available.

Check out the listing at rollinghills.org/mens-groups or come by the Men's station.

Dave Carr > 503-638-5900,
dave.carr@rollinghills.org

REACH MINISTRIES

RHCC Missionary Open House RHCC partners with 20+ missionaries and on Sunday, March 1, 12:30 PM in the Future Bookstore, a few of them will be here to talk about their ministry. Come learn about and encourage our missionary partners. Contact Terri for more info.

Eternal Impact Vision Dessert Hear John Garrick share about what God is doing through Eternal Impact to inspire an emerging generation to live out the character of Christ both here and around the world. Saturday, February 28, 6:45 PM.

Juli Knofer > 503-655-4500,
office@eternalimpact.org

CAMP TILIKUM • JULY 6 - 10, 2009

Registration begins April 20. 1st-5th graders (Fall 2009) and their friends will head out to Tilikum for an AMAZING week in God's creation. **Guaranteed to be a blast!**

For more information about Camp Tilikum, contact TreeHouse at treehouse@rollinghills.org

"Jr. High camp is the best week of our year!"
Jen Gulbrandson

HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRIES

CHECK OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN HIGH SCHOOL • GO TO HSMWIRED.COM

McFormal – Friday, February 20 • 7 PM-12:30 AM

This formal evening will begin at the church with burgers and fries. We will then go Cosmic Bowling, returning to the church for pickup at 12:30 AM. Cost \$20/student.

High School Camp • July 12-17, 2009

An amazing week of connecting with staff, friends and God! More info coming soon!

High School MEETS:

Amplify • Sundays @ 11 AM in the FC

Axess • Wednesdays @ 7 PM in the FC

JR. HIGH MINISTRIES

CHECK OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN JR. HIGH • GO TO 678LIVE.COM

Jr. High Camp • August 2-7, 2009

A wonderful time for students to make friends, connect with the ministry and grow closer to God. Sign up online at 678live.com. Cost \$365/student.

Jr. High MEETS:

Elevation • Sundays @ 11 AM in the Back Room

Fusion • Sundays @ 6:30 PM in the FC

(Note: No Fusion on February 1)

For more information, contact Zoe Anne

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