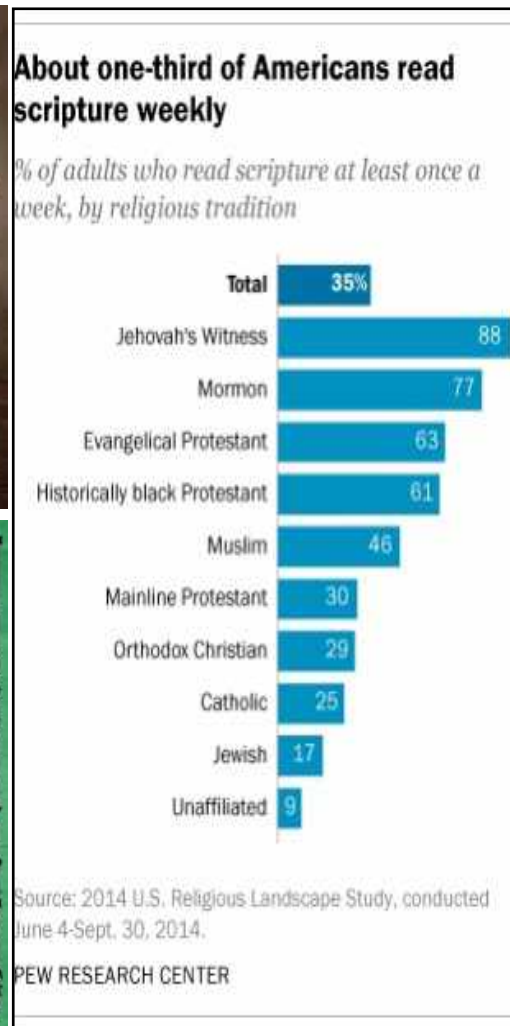


March 15, 2020

Connect with a friend over coffee and cookies following the service.



\$20 TICKET  
THUR 4/23/20  
FUNDRAISER FOR CAMP

**CARRABBA'S**  
ITALIAN GRILL

COMES TO RIVER OF GOD CHURCH

SILENT AUCTION & DINNER  
\$200 SPONSOR A TABLE  
DONATE ITEMS TO AUCTION

Flower Sale  
FUNDRAISER  
for camp  
See a camper SOON!

Forms for sellers are in the lobby today

Giving is worship!  
TEXT "GIVE" TO  
616-583-3152

**GUTS TO SERVE**  
A MISSION TRIP FOR HIGH SCHOOLERS  
traveling to IHOPKC for 3 days  
serving others in our city  
July 24 - Aug 2, 2020  
See Julie Braun 616-430-6025

**STONE BY STONE**  
2020 AIM  
Women's Conference  
May 1 - 3  
River of God Church  
Byron Center, MI

### Mid-Week Meetings - GET IN THE RIVER!

- Home Group - Bi-Weekly on Sunday evenings - Chad & Meghann Stoike 218-3223
- Wednesdays 9:30 - Ladies Book Study - Counterfeit Gods - Julie Nelson leading
- Wednesdays 6:30 - 7:30 pm @ ROG
  - Prophetic Prayer Meeting - All welcome - Joel Walma leading
  - Counterfeit Gods Book Study - All welcome - Julie Nelson leading
  - Kid's Club K - 5th grade - Sheri Vrugink leading
  - Midstream 6th - 12th grade - Dorie Barron leading
- Wednesdays 6:30 - 8:30 Outreach Opportunity - Help needed!
  - Kid's Zone K - 5th grade at UICM in the Black Hills - Julie Braun leading
- Thursday 8:00 am GRAYCE at Rainbow Grille in Hudsonville
- Saturday 8:00 am Men's Meeting - studying Counterfeit Gods

Diamonds in the Rough  
**JR HIGH CAMP**

**DIGGING DEEP**

CAMP AO-WA-KIYA  
Shelby, MI  
JUNE 15-19

CAMP IS COMING UP!  
What you can do NOW:

1. Pray for Julie Braun
2. Pray about volunteering
3. Pray for campers and staff
4. Mark your calendar
5. Pick up application
6. Help your child earn \$\$\$
7. Sponsor a child's camp fee
8. Plan to attend the auction April 23 - Carrabba's Dinner

Diamonds in the Rough  
Kid's Camp 2019  
**DIGGING DEEP**  
JUNE 15-19

### SUNDAY MORNINGS 10 a.m.

We invite all ages to join us for the praise and worship portion of the service. A notice will appear on the main screen which will dismiss the children (3 year olds thru 8th grade) to Sunday School from the sanctuary. Infants are welcome to go into our nursery. A nursing mother's room is also available.

### WHAT IS OUR SERVICE LIKE?

Our worship service is best described by one word: diversity. You will see people sitting and standing. Hands raised, or lowered and resting. The songs may be upbeat and loud, or slow and soft. There may be words of prophesy spoken, or complete silence. Some people wear jeans, some wear shorts, some wear dresses and others wear suits. Most wear smiles, although tears are not uncommon and also fit with an environment that welcomes you, whatever stage of life or belief you may be at. We're glad you're here and we hope you find River of God a friendly, loving place.

### LEADERSHIP TEAM

**Randy Vrugink (Lead Elder) 450-8797**  
Julie Braun (Outreach) 430-6025  
Sheri Vrugink (Children) 581-3587  
Marcie Ray (Nursery) 706-3301  
Dorie Barron (Youth & Worship) 302-3192  
Aaron Walters (18-25 year olds) 558-6282

#### Elders:

Marty Braun 889-9129  
Jeff Davis 204-5144  
Chad Stoike 218-3223  
James Ruark 634-4010  
Joel Walma 540-0565  
Aaron Walters 558-6282

#### Deacons:

Adam Barron, Jeff Beyer, Rick Navis, Josh Nelson, Carl Norg, Shar Ross, Jim Schutte, Andy Syren, Travis Quitiquit

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The River of God separates into 5 rivers. The River of Life, the River of Love, the River of Learning, the River to the Lost and the River to the Least.

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# Welcome to



**River of God Church**  
Releasers of Life Byron Center, MI



A river symbolizes eternal life. It pictures the fullness of life with God and the eternal blessings that come when we believe in Him. As believers we need to be continually receiving from God and releasing life to others. ROG is committed to being "a releaser of life" in God's great Kingdom and for His glory. May you experience God's presence in a very powerful and life changing way, and may His amazing love become more real to you as we worship God together.