

“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life
in Christ Jesus our Lord.” Romans 6:23 NIV

November 7, 2010

Welcome to



a community loving God and loving people.

We're So Glad You're Here!

We plan to celebrate Christ's love for seventy-five minutes tonight and we hope you'll sing, pray, laugh and learn along with us. We've worked hard to make our time together just like family. So sit back, relax, and enjoy the service. You're definitely among friends here at Church Requel.

This Week: Belong Series

We begin our new membership series with the question, "What does it mean to be a Christ-follower?" Tonight is important for two reasons. First, if you haven't become a Christ-follower yet you'll be given that opportunity tonight. And secondly, if you already are a Christian, you'll learn a simple way to present the gospel story to someone else!

Next Week: Baptism Teaching

Have you been baptized as an adult? Next week we'll talk about the importance of baptism as a response of obedience to Christ. Know someone who might want to be baptized? Make sure to invite them for next week's service!

Info Card

Would you do us the favor of filling out the green Info Card from top to bottom? We will keep you posted on what's happening at Church Requel. Drop off your card in one of the offering baskets as you exit. Thanks!

White Donation Envelope

We appreciate your worship by giving tithes and offerings to support the ministry of Church Requel. Use the white envelope in your program and drop in one of the offering baskets on your way out.

Prayer Requests and Praises

Do you have something you'd like us to pray about? After our communion time, we'd be happy to pray for your need. Fill out the peach prayer request card and drop it on the communion table.

Communion Tonight

Tonight we will celebrate communion together. We invite you to participate if you are a Christ-follower. You do not need to be a member of our church. Take the bread and cup back to your seat individually when you're ready.

5 Action Steps: How Does God Want Me To Respond?

1. _____ that God has not been given first place in your life and ask Him to forgive your sins.
2. _____ of my sins. Turn from sins and turn toward God.
3. _____ that Jesus died to pay for your sins and that He rose again on Easter, and is alive today!
4. _____ God's free gift of salvation. Don't try to earn it.
5. _____ Jesus Christ to come into your life and be the director (LORD) of your life.

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Membership Classes Begin This Week!

Tonight we begin the process of taking in the charter members of Church Requel. Twenty-eight of us have decided to begin this step together this evening.

“What’s membership mean and what’s required to be a member?” you may be asking. That’s what our membership class is designed to teach. And here’s the really great news: you can complete most of the class just by coming to church every Sunday night in November and the first two weeks in December.

That’s right! We’ll be teaching our membership class as our sermon series.

We’ll have more details for you in the future, but I wanted you to know now about this opportunity so you could make CR attendance a priority. In addition to the sermon series, we’ll be scheduling a two-hour membership seminar called the Belong Class. Here are the dates and times when you can attend the final session. These are all identical. You just need to pick one time when you can come. All classes will be held here at OCF:

- Saturday, December 4th 9am - 11am
- Sunday, December 5th 3pm - 5pm
- Tuesday, December 7th 7pm - 9pm

What if you don’t wish to be a member. No problem. You’ll want to come every week anyway to continue your worship experience and also to learn how Church Requel plans to fulfill it’s mission and vision. I’m really looking forward to becoming partners with you in this Church Requel ministry!

With great affection and appreciation - Pastor Mark

Help Set Up Or Tear Down

We could use more hands in our setup team and in our tear down team. We setup every Sunday at 2PM. Mostly what is required is a willingness to help carry things from our room downstairs up to the chapel. This only takes about an hour - you could go back home and come back for the service. We could also use help putting things away after the service. The tear down only takes about 45 minutes. If you could stay and help, you’d free someone else to go home early. We appreciate your help!

Children Need Help

We now offer two separate classes one for preschool children and one for elementary children. However, over the last month we’ve lost two teachers. Could you help - even for just one week out of every six? Our fastest growing demographic is our children! That’s the good news. But our dedicated children’s workers are now volunteering more than they planned and are missing out on our adult worship services. If you are willing to invest into the lives of our children, please talk to Steve or Jessica or Pastor Mark.



The Mission of Church Requel is to be a community loving God and loving people.

The Basis for Membership:

“You are a member of God’s very own family... and you belong in God’s household with every other Christian.”

Ephesians 2:19 (LB)

“So we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.”

Romans 12:5 (ESV)

“Let us not give up the habit of meeting together,... let us encourage one another all the more.”

Ephesians 10:25a (GNT)

Key Truths:

1. The church is _____.
2. God expects you to _____ to a church family, the body of Christ.
3. A Christ-follower without a family, not belonging to a body is a: _____.

Belong Class Outline

- Our Salvation
 - session 1: Becoming a Christ-follower
 - session 2: Understanding Baptism
- Our Statements
 - session 3: Mission Statement of CR
 - session 4: Purpose Driven - The 5Ms
 - session 5: Our Core Values
 - session 6: Essentials - What We Believe
- Our Strategy - session 7
- Our Structure - session 8
- Our Summary - session 9
 - Wrap Up / Q&A / Membership Agreements