

# RLAG NEWS

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*We exist to express our love  
to God, grow in our  
relationship with God, and to  
tell others about God.*

## From the Desk of...Pastor Alan Klasi, Senior Pastor

### On the Other End of Hope

The apostle wrote his second letter to Timothy and he knew his time on this earth was running short. He was only human and had to wonder if all that he'd worked for and all the beatings, imprisonments, and stoning, and persecutions that he'd endured in life had been worth it.

Not only was he thinking about what he had endured but he was also still in the midst of going through it.

He had this to say;

**2 Timothy 1:12 (NIV) That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet I am not ashamed, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to**

**guard what I have entrusted to him for that day.**

I was talking with my mom just weeks before she passed away. I asked her if she was afraid. Even in her weakened state she looked at me with all certainty and said, "Why would I be afraid? I get to see Jesus soon."

Paul's hope, mom's hope wasn't just in the idea that they had hopeful feelings for their future. No, tied on the other end of their hope was not just positive feelings and thoughts but Jesus was on the other end.

As a boy I read all the Little House on the Prairie books. They'd heard stories of other farmers who in the blinding snows of the prairie winters had gotten lost and froze to death just going between the

house their barn. So Pa took his long rope and tied one end to the house and the other to the barn door. There were storms that winter where if he didn't have the rope he may have gotten lost between the barn and the house too. But every time he went out and grabbed that rope he knew what was on the other end. So he had all hope that he'd be fine.

Paul knew on whom he had believed in. My mom knew on whom she had believed in.

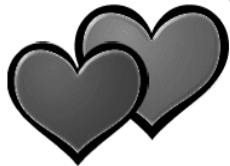
Why? Because their hope was like a rope that they knew who was on the other end if they just never let go of the rope.

Hope knows who's on the other end of the rope.

**FEBRUARY 18, 2012**

**6-8pm**

# Valentine's Dinner



*Come join the CIA  
Youth Group for a  
home cooked meal,  
skits, games, and  
prizes!!*

**RICE LAKE  
ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD  
CHURCH**



***\$6 per person  
\$10 per couple***

**Childcare  
Provided!**

**Purchase tickets in  
advance after Sunday  
morning service or see  
Lance or Val Corton**

***All proceeds go towards  
the CIA Youth Group's  
future ministry  
endeavors***

## ***SUMMER CAMPS!!***

Save the dates!  
Start saving money now!

Pre-Teen – July 8-13  
Junior High – July 15-20  
Senior High – July 22-27  
SuperKidz – July 29-August 3



Cost for a week full of fun, fellowship,  
growing in Christ, and meeting new  
Christian friends... Only \$150

\$25 registration will be due 2 weeks  
prior to camp with completed  
registration form.



# February

# 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Youth Practice 6pm Family Ministries 7pm	2 Construction/ Choral Clubs 3:45pm	3 Adult Night Bowling 6pm	4
5 Prayer 8:30am Sunday School 9am Worship 10am	6 Celebrate Recovery 7pm	7 Intercessory Prayer 9am	8 Youth Practice 6pm Family Ministries 7pm	9 Honor Society 11:30am	10	11
12 Prayer 8:30am Sunday School 9am Worship 10am Annual Business Meeting 2pm	13	14 Intercessory Prayer 9am 	15 Youth Practice 6pm Family Ministries 7pm	16 Construction/ Choral Clubs 3:45pm	17	18 Valentine's Dinner 6-8pm 
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## **NEW!!**

February 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>  
3:45-5:00pm  
RLAG

**Construction Club**  
Boys kindergarten thru  
middle school  
Build, Fix & Create!

**Choral Club**  
Girls Kindergarten thru  
middle school  
Move, Sing, and Praise!

## **ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING**

February 12<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm  
All members are  
encouraged to attend!  
There will be an election  
for two (2) board  
members. Nominations  
are open through  
Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. No  
absentee votes will be  
taken per advice from  
General Council Legal  
Dept.

## **WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASSES**

Every Wednesday evening at 7pm there is something for everyone!

Adults            Teens (grades 7-12)

Missionettes for Girls (grades 3-6)

Awana's for Children (Age 3 thru 6<sup>th</sup> grade)

**Make it a NEW WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADVENTURE!**

## **CELEBRATE RECOVERY**

Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>  
@ 7pm – New class for  
adults to help us  
through our hurts,  
habits & hang-ups.

## **HONOR SOCIETY**

Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup> @  
11:30am All those 50+  
are encouraged to join us  
for a time of gathering and  
fun! Cost for the meal is  
\$3.50 Please sign-up!

# February Schedule

	<b>February 5</b>	<b>February 12</b>	<b>February 19</b>	<b>February 26</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Harlan Fredrickson Esther Fredrickson	Jeanette Kurschner Alyssa Hustad	Scott Yeazle	Steve Hellstern Katy Prissel
<b>Worship Team</b>	Susan Klasi (Piano –Katie) Katy Prissel Joy Miller	Susan Klasi (Piano –Katie) Sheryl Miller Judy Bemis	Susan Klasi (Piano –Katie) Katy Prissel Vikkie Corton	Susan Klasi (Piano –Katie) Sheryl Miller Judy Bemis
<b>Specials</b>	CIA Youth Group	Joy Miller	Katie Miller	Jen Fonfara
<b>Computer</b>	Alex Tellez	Vikkie Corton	Cole Klasi	Brianna Cisar
<b>Sound</b>	Eric Corton	Scott Yeazle	Eric Corton	Scott Yeazle
<b>Nursery</b>	Melinda Bossany Brittney Bossany	Tammy Nelson Alex Tellez	Missi Hubbard Katelyn Hubbard	Tammy Nelson
<b>J.A.M. Kids</b>	Susan Klasi Cole Klasi Ashley Barthem	Jeanette Kurschner Brianna Cisar Alyssa Hustad	Lance & Val Corton	Susan Klasi Vikkie Corton Dakota Blanch