



## MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP: July 27, 2003

**Dunamis:** Why not come together with your Small Group? Join us at **7:00 on Tuesday, July 29** at Calvary Baptist (6866 Linda Vista Rd.) as we stand in the gap for our church and the city, especially those that participated in the Gay Pride Festival this weekend.

**Single Parent's Ministry Bonfire:** Join us on Saturday, August 2 at 7:00 at Mission Bay (next to the Hilton) for some fun and fellowship! For more information, or to help out, please contact Patty Hjort at [pattyh42@msn.com](mailto:pattyh42@msn.com)

**Women's Retreat:** The deadline to register is this weekend!!! If you haven't already registered, it's not too late! Contact Julie 619-997-0195 or Karen 619-225-0145 to register or to contribute to our scholarship fund.

### Title: New Beginnings - Salvation Part 4

**MEMORY VERSE:** Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. **2 Corinthians 5:17**

### SERMON REFLECTIONS

1. In Christ, we are a new creation. What does it mean to be a new creation? (**1 Cor 6:15-17, John 15:5-8, Eph 1:3**) How would you explain this to a non-believer? Why is the concept of a new creation important? Once you are a new creation, can it be taken away?
2. Last week we asked, "Is there someone in your life that God has put on your heart to share Jesus with?" You were to spend some time with your accountability partner, and pray about how and when to share with that person. Who did you give an Audio Adrenaline Flyer to? What happened? Be specific. (Facilitator's, please include the praise reports to your report this week)

### CLOSER WALK

The untamable tongue – What do the following verses say about gossip? **James 3, Proverbs 16:28, Proverbs 20:19, Romans 1:28-30**. For the Christian, edification is the alternative to gossip (**Romans 14:18-20**). Spend some time building one another up by going around the group and finishing the statement, "One thing I like about you is \_\_\_\_\_"



## Announcements

**Got skills?** Skills that bring order, see details, and would bless others? The ROCK Administrative Team needs your help! If you have free time a few hours a week that you can help our Small Groups, Worship, or Youth Ministry with data entry, phone calls, and other office duties, we would be blessed to have you! To volunteer or intern with our staff, please contact [melissak@therocksandiego.org](mailto:melissak@therocksandiego.org) or ext. 242.

### Calendar of Events:

- **Dunamis:** Join us on Tuesday, July 28, as we gather to pray for our city and the homosexuality that is so prevalent in our community!
- **Single Parent's Ministry Bonfire:** Join us on Saturday, August 2 at 7:00 at Mission Bay (next to the Hilton) for some fun and fellowship! For more information, or to help out, please contact Patty Hjort at [pattyh42@msn.com](mailto:pattyh42@msn.com)
- **All Coaches, Facilitators, Hosts, and Apprentices** – Mandatory meeting on **Sunday, August 10 from 12:30 – 3:00 in the Sanctuary.** Join us as we cast the vision for year four of Small Groups here at The ROCK.
- **Attention All Ladies!** Sign up for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual ROCK Women's Retreat! The cost is \$139.00. The deadline to register is this weekend! *Please prayerfully consider and making a financial contribution to help a sister attend!*

ROCK University, welcomes everyone at the ROCK to participate in some exciting upcoming events. "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you." **James 4:8**

- **Hume Lake**, September 13-19th. Faith Class/ Wilderness Trip. In the majestic Sierra Nevada Mountains. Enjoy a week of hiking, camping, & especially increasing your faith.
- **Grand Tour to Israel**, November 9-22nd. A 14 day adventure to the beautiful city of Jerusalem and surrounding towns. Walking through the Bible and experiencing where our faith began. For more information, contact [octaviaj@therocksandiego.org](mailto:octaviaj@therocksandiego.org) or ext 239.