

# RBC RBC Newsletter

To know God and make Him known

Crossministries Russia

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*“My mouth will speak in praise of the LORD. Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever.” (Ps.145:21)*

## Great Experience

We had a great experience in RBC at the end of May. One of the directors of our ministry Johnny Cawthon – A pastor from America visited us in Samara. It was a great blessing for the RBC team and for Samara Church. Our team spent a wonderful and fruitful time with Johnny discussing our future plans and our vision in general for the team and for each one of us individually.

Johnny gave us a four day teaching ‘Anointed Preaching’. We as a team try to grow spiritually and to sharpen our skills to come closer to God and to be more effective in ministry. Holy Spirit moved amazingly changing us more and more in His image and helping us to achieve a higher level of relationship with God.



RBC invited people from different churches to two seminars which were given by Johnny Cawthon on such subjects as Dreams Interpretation and Hearing God’s Voice. We were greatly surprised how many people came to the seminars. More than 50 people came to each seminar. Among them there were many of our ex-students. At the end they testified how much they had received and how thankful they were to pastor Johnny for being refreshed in spirit. We were so happy to see people’s hunger for the Word of God!



Johnny also could minister to prayer people at two prayer meetings in our House of Prayer. He shared a Word and prayed for the people. The presence of God was there.

We also went to the rehabilitation center together with Johnny to minister to those who were addicted to drugs. We shared a Word and prayed for young people there. They were very open and received the word with all their hearts. We were full of joy and God used Johnny in a special way to meet their spiritual needs. We had a wonderful time worshiping God together and with all our hearts we felt that God touched the hearts of young people and they received more freedom in God.

Recently RBC team was busy giving another Kairos Course in Samara (from June the 6<sup>th</sup> till June the 11<sup>th</sup>). And we are going to Kirov to teach new facilitators there (June 17-19) and then to give Kairos Course together with new-taught facilitators (June 20-26). We are also busy developing plans for a new year.



## Women's Ministry

Women's ministry is a part of RBC. Natasha Nesterova is a head of it. She conducts a so-called Ladies' Club. The motto of the club is "Celebrate every day!" Rather often our women are overloaded with different kinds of responsibilities. They must work hard and they are hurt emotionally. And the purpose of this ministry is to help our women to find joy, peace, and freedom in the Lord. We want to help them to realize their potential and just to be happy. We do our best to help them to receive healing from God.

The women have their meetings every other week. At the beginning there is always a short inspiring teaching (20-25 min) following by different kinds of activities which include creativity of all kinds. Ladies enjoy it greatly. A very special part of the meetings is cooking something very tasty. A lady who is a professional cook teaches the others and shows them practically how to cook. Then they eat this food. Everybody just loves it! Ladies themselves prepare something special for every meeting: songs, dances, drama, games and they minister to each other with their gifts. There are some women from a new-born church "Salt of the Earth" (which was started in a Gypsy people group) who take a very active part in the Club activities. God allows them to activate their potential there. There are 3 women in the team leading this specific ministry. All of them are our ex-students.

All ladies are very thankful to God for this ministry.

### Prayer requests:

- Please pray for successful running of Kairos Course by the end of this year and next year. Ask God to open new cities and new churches for Kairos according to His will.
- Pray for RBC team, please, because we need His blessing and wisdom in understanding God's strategy in putting in life His plans for the team in all directions. May His will be done in Samara and in our lives.
- Pray for God's provision concerning both the ministry and our personal lives. We really have this need.
- Pray please for new ideas from God for the Ladies' Club
- Pray for God's wisdom for the team leading the ministry
- Pray please for God's provision for the ministers to be able to do small gifts to the ladies

*We thank God for each one of you! Without your prayers, your support RBC ministry would not be possible. Thank you for your cooperation and care. We pray that abundant blessing of the Father will come and dwell on you.*

*With love in Christ, RBC team.*

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