

WOMEN AT ROCK

1. At RFC there are no racial, ethnic, social, sexual, educational or economical divisions.
2. At RFC women are highly valued as a gift to the body of Christ.
3. At RFC women are first class members, equally esteemed with men.
4. At RFC women can and will serve on the pastoral leadership staff and in leadership positions.
5. At RFC women are given a voice to preach, teach and proclaim the Good News to both men and women.
6. At RFC women are encouraged to function in the fivefold ministry offices of apostle, prophet, pastor, teacher and evangelist.
7. At RFC men are not too proud to learn and grow from the wisdom of a woman.
8. At RFC we are thankful God created, empowered and equipped women for Kingdom purposes.

Dear Tim,

Part 2: Invest in Prayer

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PRAYER INSIGHTS

1 Timothy 2:1 NLT I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them.

Philippians 4:6 NLT

1. Our prayers make a big _____.

James 5:16 NLT

2. When we don't know how to pray the Holy Spirit will _____ us.

Romans 8:26-27 NLT

1 Corinthians 14:14-15 NLT

3. Prayer is a _____, not an event.

1 Thessalonians 5:17 NLT Never stop praying.

Ephesians 6:18 NLT

1 Timothy 2:2 Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity.

4. Prayer is meant to be politically _____.

1 Timothy 2:3-6 This is good and pleases God our Savior, ⁴ who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth. ⁵ For, there is one God and one Mediator who can reconcile God and humanity—the man Christ Jesus. ⁶ He gave his life to purchase freedom for everyone. This is the message God gave to the world at just the right time.

5. We have direct _____ to God through Jesus Christ, our High Priest.

John 16:23 NLT

1 Timothy 2:7-8 NLT And I have been chosen as a preacher and apostle to teach the Gentiles this message about faith and truth. I'm not exaggerating—just telling the truth.⁸ In every place of worship, I want men to pray with holy hands lifted up to God, free from anger and controversy.

THE ROLE OF WOMEN

1 Timothy 2:9-10 NLT And I want women to be modest in their appearance. They should wear decent and appropriate clothing and not draw attention to themselves by the way they fix their hair or by wearing gold or pearls or expensive clothes.¹⁰ For women who claim to be devoted to God should make themselves attractive by the good things they do.

1. A woman's true beauty is _____ not outward.

1 Timothy 2:11-12 NLT Women should learn quietly and submissively.¹² I do not let women teach men or have authority over them. Let them listen quietly.

1 Corinthians 14: 34-35 NLT

2. Equality in spiritual gifts.

Acts 2:4 NLT

Acts 10:34-35 NLT

Joel 2: 28-29 NLT

Galatians 3:26-28 NLT

3. Equality in the _____.

1 Corinthians 1:10 NLT

4. Women were VALUED in Jesus' ministry.

- By teaching outside the temple Jesus opened the door for women and children to also hear his teaching.

- Jesus was anointed by women.

John 12:3 NLT

Matthew 26:7 NLT

- Jesus died for ALL.

- Jesus first revealed himself to women after His resurrection and told them to go and proclaim that he had risen from the grave.

5. Women functioning in LEADERSHIP.

- Overseer / Church Leader

1 Timothy 3:1 NLT This is a trustworthy saying: "If someone aspires to be a church leader, he desires an honorable position."

- Lois & Eunice

2 Timothy 1:5 NLT I have been reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also.

- Priscilla - Pastor

Acts 18:26 NLT

Romans 16:3-5 NLT

- Phoebe – Deacon

Romans 16:1 NLT

- Junia – Apostle

Romans 16:7 NLT

- Twin Sisters and Persis – Worked for the Lord

Romans 16:12 NLT