

## **Greetings RockSOLID Family!**

How do we take care of our families when there are so many details, so many issues, so many worries, so much that can go wrong and right? The only sure foundation, the only “secret” sure to give us what we need:

*...Surrender...*

“Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain.” (Psalm 127:2)

Seem overly simplistic or cliché? The next time you face an issue with your family, anxiety over some family concern, invest more time in prayer than in worrying—get on your knees before God and surrender your heart and the situation to Him.

You’ll then be in exactly the right place to truly receive His wisdom and listen for His will.

You’ll be operating out of His resources instead of your own.

I recently read an old devotional with a lot of wisdom for us:

*You will never take care of your loved ones so well as when you are faithfully holding them up to God. You, as wise as you may seem, will only get in the way. Only that which comes from God can solve your difficult problems. You, of yourself, cannot convince anyone to turn to God. Life is full of trouble and hard times—God alone holds our hearts in His hand. He strengthens you as He strengthens all who trust in Him. Stay continually in God’s presence if you want to lead your flock safely. “Except the Lord keep the city, the watchman watches in vain.” (Psalm 127:1)*

*You will only hear God speak as you quiet yourself to listen to Him. Does this seem like a waste of time? You will accomplish more in your outward duties by completely leaning on your Lord within. If you want to do the will of your heavenly Father, you will be inwardly fed by discovering that will from God Himself.*

**Fenelon (1651-1715, France – From the devotional book, The Seeking Heart)**

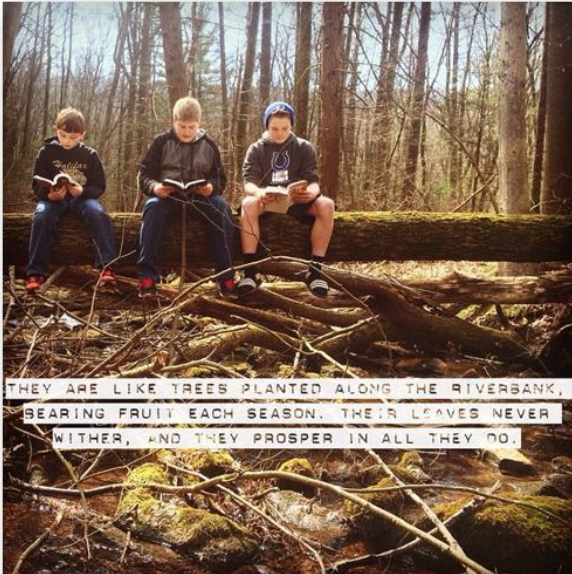
**Worth repeating and remembering: “You will never take care of your loved ones so well as when you are faithfully holding them up to God...Only that which comes from God can solve your difficult problems...Stay continually in God’s presence if you want to lead your flock safely.”**

**Be a *Psalm 127* Household...now that’s a RockSOLID Family! ☺**

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## **RockSOLID Families = RockSOLID Students: Parent Ministry Survey**

### **2015 Experience Confirmation Retreat**



We had a fantastic weekend at the Experience Confirmation Retreat at Camp Hebron with this year's confirmation class! PRAISE THE LORD! ^Enjoy this BibleGram^

RockSOLID FAMILIES=RockSOLID STUDENTS



RockSOLID Parent Ministry Survey

**\*\*\*IF YOU DID NOT ALREADY: Please take 10 minutes to complete this survey to help us grow students & families in Christ!\*\*\***

We're excited to receive your feedback through a quick survey we have created to discover ways that we can better minister to families in addition to students. Please take just ten minutes to complete this survey to help us better serve our mission of raising up life-long followers of Christ! You have several options to do this:

1) The easiest might be to use our online version by going to this link: **Click the picture above or copy the link below...**  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/RockSOLID-Parent-Survey>

2) If you prefer a paper copy to remind you or give you more time to think you can print of the attached document (Word & PDF Versions), or you can use the copy we mailed out along with other flyers this past week.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this, we really are excited to hear your honest and constructive feedback! Pray with us that we will be able to become stronger families, because RockSOLID Families=RockSOLID Students!

## **Creation Fest 2015!**



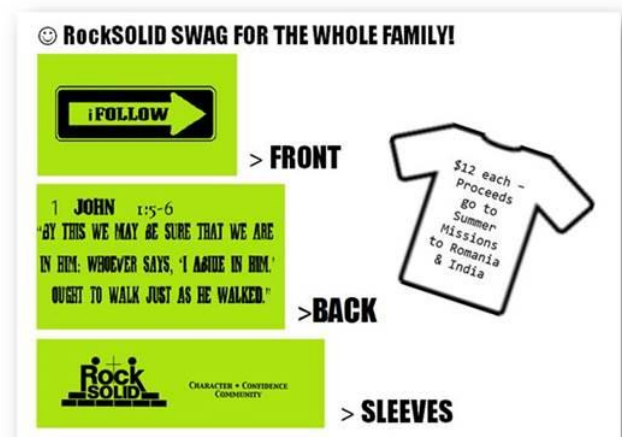
**SIGNUPS HAVE BEEN MAILED OUT FOR CREATION 2015! This is one of the highlights of our summer, don't miss it!** Creation's theme is "A Tribute to Our Creator." From the moment you step on to the grounds and set up your camp, there is a sense that this place and this time is about Jesus. At times it feels like a family gathering because you get to meet and have fellowship with people from all over the globe who love the Lord. There are many activities, games, music and speakers, and of course those special times of fellowshiping with friends at your campfire.

**[^Click the picture above for a link to the Signup Form^](#)**

## **RockSOLID T-Shirt Orders Open to All! – Proceeds Benefit Summer Missions**

*It's been a few years, time to design a new RockSOLID T-Shirt with the help of our students. This time, we want to open it up to everyone—youth, families, all-ages in the congregation—so that we can give all proceeds to the summer Romania & India Missions.*

**\*\*\*PLACE YOUR ORDERS NOW! THE ORDER FORM IS ATTACHED, AND CAN BE FOUND IN THE CHURCH OFFICE! ONLY TWO WEEKS LEFT TO ORDER!\*\*\***



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***"May you experience the love of Christ, though it is so great you will never be able to fully understand it. Then you will be filled with the fullness of life and power that comes from God." (Ephesians 3:19)***

***Serving Him together,***

Pastor David & the RockSOLID Team