

# STAY CONNECTED

**The Mission of the Rock Church...**  
is to Save, Equip and Send out a motivated ARMY of believers who engage every segment of society while remaining true to our DNA.



**Miles McPherson** is the Senior Pastor of the Rock Church and author of Do Something! Make Your Life Count. He is also the founder of DoSomethingWorld.org, which unites churches, governments and organizations across the globe to be a catalyst for change in their own communities. The Rock is one of the largest churches in the US and home to over 100 outreach ministries. In 2010, the Rock Church donated 228,000 hours of community service to the City of San Diego.

## SERVICES TIMES

**Sunday** • 8AM • 10AM\* • 12PM • 5PM • 7PM // **North County** 5PM • 7PM  
*\*Interpreting for the deaf is available at the 10AM service.*

**Children's Services** • 8AM • 10AM • 12PM • 5PM // **North County** 5PM  
*Children's service for infants through 5th grade. Special Needs available at 10 AM and 12 PM.*

**Junior High** • 10AM • 12PM • 5PM // **High School** • 5PM & 7PM

**RockTV: Sundays** • 11PM • **San Diego 6** // **Rock Radio: KPRZ 1210** • M-F 4:30PM

**Rockpile Bookstore**  
www.rockpilebookstore.com • 619.764.5282

**Rock Thrift Store**  
www.rockthriftstore.com • 619.876.4187

Monday - Friday 10AM - 9PM  
Saturday 10AM - 6PM  
Sunday 7:30AM - 9PM

Monday - Saturday 9AM - 7PM  
Sunday 9AM - 6PM  
Donations Accepted Daily 9AM - 6PM  
3191-B & E Sports Arena Blvd.

**Rock Academy and Preschool** • www.therockacademy.org  
The Rock Academy is a WASC-accredited, college preparatory K-12 school. Call 619.764.5200  
The preschool is a fully licensed, infant-to-5-year preschool. Call 619.764.5205

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**619.226.ROCK** • **www.therocksandiego.org** • **www.therocknorthcounty.org**

## WAYS TO GIVE:

<h3>GIVE NOW</h3> <p>Drop off your gift envelope in the lobby.</p>	<h3>GIVE ONLINE</h3> <p>For fast and convenient gifts visit sdrock.com/give</p>	<h3>TEXT GIVE 2</h3> <p>Text or email your gift (i.e. 25) to sdrock@mogiv.com</p>
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Fill out this form and drop it at the Info Booth in the lobby.

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**Campus:**  Pt. Loma  North County

- Male  Female  Married  
 Single  Widow(er)  Divorced  
 Military  Police  Firefighter

Name(s) and birthday(s) of household member(s):  
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Receive Rock News! Text "SDROCK [your email]" to 95495.

# THE CAST OF CHRISTMAS



ROCK CHURCH | 12.11.11



**"EVENTS LIKE THIS GOT ME THROUGH CHRISTMAS AS A SINGLE MOM."**

**G**ive to a child what could be their only gift this season. Buy a toy at our online wish list or bring one to the table in the lobby on Sundays. Visit [toys-for-joy.org](http://toys-for-joy.org) today for more info on toys, donations and way you can become part of a child's joy.



Save the Date!  
**12.17.11**  
Lincoln H.S.

**TOYS For JOY**  
It's More Than a Toy.  
[toys-for-joy.org](http://toys-for-joy.org)

NEW WAYS TO CONNECT



# OUTREACH

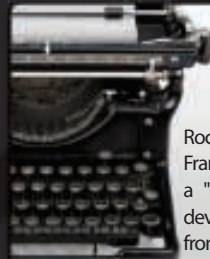
## UNITY 4 ORPHANS NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Do you have a desire to help ease the tremendous suffering orphans endure worldwide? Find out how you can partner with Unity 4 Orphans and "Be" the difference in an orphans life for Christ. Email [unity4orphans@gmail.com](mailto:unity4orphans@gmail.com) or visit [sdrock.com/ministries/orphans](http://sdrock.com/ministries/orphans)

## GAIN A STEP OVER THE HOLIDAYS

Register TODAY for the Speed, Agility & Explosion Camp to be held in Rock Park on December 28 - 30 from 9AM - 12PM. Camp open to males & females age 7 - adult. On sale for \$25 or \$35 after December 18.

REGISTRATION: [sdrock.com/ministries/personaltraining](http://sdrock.com/ministries/personaltraining)



## GET THE WORD OUT — WORKSHOP —

Rock Church Writers Ministry hosts Dave Franco, Senior Writer at the Rock, as he presents a "Get The Word Out" workshop on story development. Join us Thursday, December 15 from 6:30PM - 8:30PM in Room 351.

## BLOOD DRIVE SUNDAY DECEMBER 18 8:30AM - 2:30PM

Christmas is the time to give. Please donate blood at the Rock Church blood drive on Sunday, December 18 from 8:30AM - 2:30PM. Lives depend on you! Stop by the Rock Park today for more information.

## JOIN ROCK FANTASY SPORTS FOR THE NBA SEASON

Those interested in competing in Christian-based NBA Fantasy Leagues (no gambling), sign-up fees will generate funds donated to a Rock Outreach ministry, designated by league winners. Deadline December 19!! REGISTER at: [sdrock.com/ministries/fantasysports](http://sdrock.com/ministries/fantasysports) or contact Delroy at [fantasy@therocksandiego.org](mailto:fantasy@therocksandiego.org)

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

PERVASIVE HOPE WORKSHOP // 12.11  
ROCK PARK • 9AM

PUPPETS MINISTRY: ROCK ACADEMY // 12.12  
ROOM 232 • 10AM

12-STEP RECOVERY BIBLE STUDY // 12.13  
4874 COCONINO WAY • 6PM

SURF MINISTRY: BIBLE STUDY // 12.16  
976 FELSPAR STREET • 8AM

THE KATINAS  
ALL SERVICES  
12.18

FUTURE OF FORESTRY CONCERT // 12.20  
705 16TH STREET • 6:30PM

>>FOR MORE EVENTS VISIT  
[SDROCK.COM/EVENT](http://SDROCK.COM/EVENT)

At the beginning of the year, Rock Church began broadcasting services around the world over the internet. Immediately, we began to see that we were creating an audience. More than 3,300 people from 112 countries were tuning in each week.

We had hoped to reach people that we normally wouldn't be able to, but it was still a surprise when it was revealed to us how God used Rock Church to reach one young lady in a place most could never find on a map.

From a town of 200 in a remote corner of Norway, Trine sent us a video that spoke about what Rock Live has come to mean to her, how it has changed her life and given her something to belong to.

It was just a simple video but has become popular among our staff. God, through Trine, reminded us He was indeed using our efforts to reach individuals on the other side of the world.

WATCH TRINE'S STORY AT  
[SDROCK.COM/STORIES](http://SDROCK.COM/STORIES)

## A HOLIDAY SOIREE LOVE UNWRAPPED

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2011

Semi-formal dinner, entertainment and prizes. A purchased ticket enters you to win a free Marriage Getaway. **TICKETS ON SALE** @The Rockpile. \$100 per couple. No childcare.



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## MESSAGE FROM PASTOR MILES



Dear Family,

2011 has flown by and as I reflect on the past eleven months I am reminded of how much we have to be grateful for. I want you to know that your partnership and support of the Rock Church is something I deeply and profoundly value.

Since January 1, 2011 the Rock Church has contributed over 455,000 volunteer hours to San Diego, launched Rock TV on CW 6, and started a LiveStream Sunday experience through which we are reaching a global audience.

While these accomplishments are exciting and have been used by God to expand His Kingdom in San Diego and the world, they are just the beginning! In 2012, I believe God is calling us to even greater places of faith and trust so that Pervasive Hope can be established in San Diego and to the ends of the earth. As you think about making a year-end donation, I pray that you will consider giving to the Rock to further support this vision.

This season, as you celebrate Christmas, remember that Jesus Christ, sent by the God of all hope, is the gift that matters most.

Your Pastor,  
Miles McPherson



## YEAR-END GIVING

Many of you are finalizing plans for year-end giving. Since the IRS requires delivery or postmark by December 31, please deliver or make any gifts to the Rock by Friday, December 30 to ensure accurate accounting. We are so grateful for your generosity! Giving statements are mailed end of January. Update your address in the side panel in this bulletin. For questions, call 619.226.7625.

## IMPACT195 EQUIPPING WORLD CHANGERS

IMPACT195 launches their new winter term, January 10.

**First week is FREE** - Receive worship, challenging teachings and a complimentary gourmet lunch or dinner. Plus, all incoming 2012 students will receive an iPad2! **JANUARY 10 - 13**

3247 Mission Village Drive, San Diego, CA 92123  
**9AM - 1PM & 5:30PM - 9:30PM**

Call 619.764.5249 for more information or log on to [i195.org](http://i195.org)



## DEC. 23-25

### SAN DIEGO

Friday, Dec. 23\* • 6PM, 8PM

Saturday, Dec. 24\* • 9AM, 11AM, 6PM, 8PM

Sunday, Dec. 25 • 12PM

### NORTH COUNTY

Sat, Dec. 24 • 6PM

\*SNOW DAY: There'll be sledding, snow ball fights, a giant Christmas tree, a Christmas story walk, lots of fantastic food and train rides for the kids. Then you can warm up with a hot cup of cocoa.

All services are family friendly so Rock Kids will not be available. Interpreting for the deaf is available Dec. 24 at 9AM and 8PM.

FOR MORE INFO, VISIT [SDROCK.COM](http://SDROCK.COM)