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'We are God's People'

ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

. . building ministry with children, youth and families so that our community may flourish.

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5th Sunday of Easter Mother's Day

Scripture Readings and Message

1st reading: Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16 2nd reading: 1 Peter 2:2-10 Message: 'We are God's People'

When You Pray, Please Remember Those in Nursing Homes and Home Bound

Marcia Winscott
Joe Fisher
Dick Figley
Bea Roebuck
Jerry Schaadt
Barb Williams

Prayers For Our Community

Barry Harner Don Campbell 'Tyke' Black Dick Wolford Barb High Pat Frysinger Riglee & Ross Kersten Archer **Dudley Shrider** Susann Gurlev Paula Michael Sam and Lucille Zizelman Erin Gall Charyl Luth Alex Tisdale, son of Patsy Knight Carol Berry Diane Sheets Elle Lona Charles Browning Bob Berry Denise, friend of Peg Williams Mike and Linda Henkle Those giving birth during Covid-19 Families with Covid-19 Those behind the scenes working Gov. DeWine Lt. Gov. Husted Dr. Amy Acton Families grieving due to Covid-19 Senior Class of 2020 those paralyzed by fear and anxiety Hallie Temple grieving family of Billie Tullis local farmers grieving family of Jon Vickery, Pastor Chip's uncle

Military Personnel with RUMC Connections

Michael Black, Jr.

Casey Louth

Garth Louth

Kent Ransbottom, National Guard.

Shaun Hunter

Matt Billeter

Sierra Williams

Kyle Zizelman

RUMC College Students

Tessa Thatcher Griffen Waltmire Bailey Strickler Austin Habegger

Praises To God For...

spring flowers brightening our days, those who are creating worship for us to view on line, our church family, the gifts of those who serve their neighbors, the prayers from friends...

Prayer Contact Team Members

Ann Hileman, Misty Bolenbaugh, Diane Sheets, Karen Nuttle, Tami Suzuki, Kara Fisher, Lucille Zizelman, Jean Henkle, Kristen McDorman, Kathy Fisher, Trenna Browning, Kelly Twigg, Barb Pedroza, Kara Ransbottom, Jill Yoder, Machell Price.

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CRISIS CARE

Crisis Care is available to folks in need of emergency assistance. If you know of anyone in need, please contact Ann Hileman, Karen Sapp, Pastor Chip, Casey Nuttle, or Dan Henkle.

BUILDING TEAM UPDATE

The next regular meeting of the Building Team will be determined at a later time.

Building Team

Kathy Bransteter Matt Fisher Randy Linn
Matt Suzuki Casey Nuttle Kara Ransbottom
Machell Price Chad Ransbottom Nathan Rupp
Dick Sherrick Pastor Chip

CHURCH PRECAUTIONS BEHIND THE SCENES

For your ease of mind, we wanted to remind you of what is happening here at the church. We provide anti-viral



Kleenexes and hand sanitizers throughout the church. We sanitize faucets, sinks, water fountains and toilets. Backs of the pews and arms of pews, hand railings, doorknobs, door handles, and light switches are

cleaned. We sanitize countertops, tables, chairs and soft chairs with arms. We also spray rooms with Lysol as needed. Other cleaning is done as well, but we wanted to assure you these are some of the things we are paying close attention to for the health of our community.

BEING NEIGHBORLY

SENIOR CLASS OF 2020 CARD SHOWER

Please take the time to shower our graduates with cards
of congratulations:



Abigail Browning:
P.O. Box 37 Willshire, OH
Preston Browning:
P.O. Box 37 Willshire, OH
Trey Ransbottom
317 West Market St. Rockford, OH

"PEACE OF CHRIST TO YOU" CHALLENGE:

Take the time to call at least 5 people out of the church directory. Check in and just say "Hello" or "The Peace of Christ be with you". Little things like this can make a world of difference in someone's day.

Upcoming Activities Planned

May 10 & 17 Drive-In Worship 10am
Rockford Community Building Parking Lot

@ 420 Holly Drive. Rockford Belle Community and Rockford United Methodist churches Broadcast on WRKD 101.03

May 24 New Open Church Date

May Mission Focus: Parkway Ministerial Association

ROCKFORD COMMUNITY DAYS POSTPONED



THANK YOU TO THE BI-CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE for all their hard work over the years.

May Newsletter is online www.rumcoh.org

The Peace Of Christ Be With You

Last Week May 3, 2020

Online giving 5/4/20-5/8/20 \$1265.75

Mailed in offerings as of 5/3/20 \$3219.50

May/June Upper Room Devotionals

There is a white mailbox on a free standing post at church Door 2 ramp for people to stop by and pick up an

Upper Room Devotional.



Free Chicken Dinner after Drive-In Worship May 10th. Drive through the alley beside Belle Community Church.

Mother's Day

We plan on recognizing mothers with a small token later in June with Father's Day.

Happy Mother's Day to all who mother us in our lives sharing Christ's love with us daily. Have a blessed day.

The Motherly Love of God