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**WORSHIP OCTOBER 11, 2020**

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**Series:**  
**'What if...'**  
**Message:**

**'What if...we seek God first?'**

**ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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

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**Scripture Reading**  
**Matthew 6:19-34**

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

Marcia Winscott Barb Williams  
Joe Fisher Jerry Schaadt  
Dick Figley

**Prayers For Our Community**

Barry Harner Don Campbell  
'Tyke' Black Elle Long  
Pat Frysinger Erin Gall  
Riglee & Ross Kersten Archer  
Dudley Shrider Susann Gurley  
Paula Michael Sam and Lucille Zizelman  
Alex Tisdale, son of Patsy Knight Bob Linn  
Charles Browning Mike and Linda Henkle  
Those behind the scenes working Dave Salway  
Tom Clouse Tracey Walters  
Norm Pankop Don & Linda Hays, Rhyan Martenies  
Dean and Sandy Ulrey Dick Wolford  
Esther Zizelman Joy Warthman  
Bea Salway's friend and his grandfather Tammy Hileman  
Susanne Pajor, friend of Nuttles spouses  
Grieving family of Bea Roebuck unspoken  
Sydney Rutledge, granddaughter of Linda Hart  
Dean French, Kathy Bransteter's uncle  
Grieving Family of Carolyn Crouch  
Children and their parents

**Military Personnel with RUMC Connections**

Michael Black, Jr. Shaun Hunter  
Casey Louth Matt Billeter  
Garth Louth Sierra Williams  
Kent Ransbottom, National Guard. Kyle Zizelman

**RUMC College Students**

Abi Browning Tessa Thatcher Griffen Waltmire  
Bailey Strickler Austin Habegger

**Praises To God For...**

the cards of birthday cheer, the prayers for healing, the peace that floods over us in the time of need, our harvest, keeping our Parkway students and teachers safe...

**Prayer List Updates:**

**When you hear of an update on those on our prayer list, please contact the church office, so that we can continue to reach out to those for whom we are praying.**

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**Prayer Contact Team Members**

Ann Hileman, Misty Bolenbaugh, Diane Sheets,  
Karen Nuttle, Tami Suzuki, Kara Fisher, Lucille Zizelman,  
Jean Henkle, Kristen McDorman, Kathy Fisher, Treena  
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.

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**NO BUILDING TEAM UPDATE**

**Building Team**

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

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**Card and Call Shower**



**Dick Figley**  
**160 Fox. Rd**  
**Van Wert, OH 45891**  
**567-259-3527**



**Dick welcomes cards and calls while he is at Van Wert Manor.**

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Upper Room Devotionals  
**November- December**  
Available at the church entrance door #2  
And outside mailbox at the ramp

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**BEING NEIGHBORLY**

# October

## Birthdays

- 11-Tom Clouse
- 11-Addison Fisher
- 15-Darrell Sheppard
- 20-Neva Ransbottom
- 22-Fran Sapp
- 26-Rex Piper
- 28-Paula Michael
- 30-Landon Brehm

## Anniversaries

- 14- Davey and Erica Sheets
- 15-Mike and Barb Pedroza
- 16-Alex and Erin Shaffer
- 19-Ryan and Ashleigh Clay
- 22-Tom and Barb Sidenbender
- 23-Ed and Misti Burtch
- 24-Mark and Kathy Zizelman
- 30-Rich and Jennifer Miller

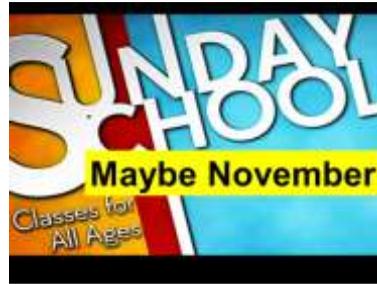


## October Mission Focus Belong Bags



Donate Gallon Ziplock bags

Updated church directory is coming soon.



## Operation Christmas Child

Boxes are available for pick-up  
 Shoebox Consecration: Nov. 15



## Mural Dedication was Postponed to Today, Oct. 11 @ 3:00pm

### Last Week October 4, 2020

Attendance: 8:30 Service: 24  
 10:30 Service: 19

Worship Drop Boxes and Mailed in offerings \$4386.50

Online giving 10/02/20-10/05/20 \$1886.00

Money Counters This Week:  
 Karla Butler & Peggy Williams



The Parkway Local Food Pantry is open the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month. To contribute items place them in the Food Pantry bin under the church mail slots or drop off at Helping Hands any Wednesday 4:00 – 7:00 or Saturday 10:00 – 1:00.

Current Needs: chicken and beef broths and all types of canned tomato products, protein snacks like cans of peanuts granola bars and cans of beef. For specific questions, please contact the church office.

Look for the October Newsletter online [www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org) and in the outside mailbox at door #2  
 Deadline for November newsletter: Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>



## Upcoming Activities Planned

Today	Building Team Meeting	9:30am
Monday	Pastor Parish Relations Meet	7pm
Wednesday	Drive-Thru Meals begin	4:30-6:30pm
	Kids' Club To-Go Packets	4:30-6:30pm
Thursday	UMW meet	7pm
Saturday	Parkway Recycling Day	8am-12pm
Oct. 18	Consecration Sunday	
Oct. 19	November Newsletter Deadline	
Oct. 20	Building Team Meets	6pm
	Administrative Board Meets	7pm
Oct. 24	Parkway Food Pantry Open	9-11am
Oct. 26	Pastor Parish ZOOM meeting	7pm
Oct. 31	Youth Halloween Party	7:30pm
	CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS! FALL BACK!	