

Ministers: The People of Rockford UMC  
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Youth Leader: Nathan Rupp  
Worship Leaders: Nathan Rupp/Jenilee Bransteter

## November 13, 2022 Shoebox Consecration Sunday

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Message:

### “Generations To Come”

## ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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### Scripture Reading

**Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21**

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

Marcia Winscott      Barb Williams      Jerry Schaadt  
Marcia Thompson

### Prayers For Our Community

Bob Bollenbacher	Dudley Shrider
Susann Gurley	Dick Wolford
Joy Gamble Koch	Norm Pankop
Jolene Burke	Renee Dull
Kevin Browning	Jan Schlickman
Barry Harner	'Tyke' Black
Jennifer Miller	Alex Tisdale
Charlene Lutz	Mike and Linda Henkle
John & Carol Havill	Betty Bollenbacher
Dean & Sandy Ulrey	Marcia & Steve Thompson
Linda Hart	Jonas Farmer
Sam and Lucille Zizelman	Vicki Shell
Carol Berry	Carl Swander
Scout Troop 98	Henderson Settlement Finances
Cub Pack 3098	Thomas Snell
Unspoken	
Jenn & Tim Hollinger	
Grieving family of Carl Swander	

### Military Personnel with RUMC Connection

Sierra Williams	Kyle Zizelman	Casey Louth
Christopher Bechtold	Isaiah Bretz	Garth Louth
		Mason Baxter



### RUMC College Students

Abi Bretz	Tayzia Jo Havill
Tessa Thatcher	Bailey Strickler-Craig
Dennis Leighner	Blake Strickler
Emily Jackson	

**Praises To God For...** those who feel the call to give to Bibles For Believers, the wind that blows away our leaves, Youth-led Service, generosity for the Thanksgiving meal items given through the Food Pantry, Girls Night Out fellowship and Janet's generosity...

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Countdown

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude /Call To Celebration 8:30am

Video 10:30am

Songs

Kids' Corner with Nathan Rupp

Shoebox Consecration Prayer

Time of Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

Video

Scripture Reading

Message

Song

Blessing

Closing

### Prayer Contact Team Members

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

### BUILDING TEAM

Our motto:

**Celebrating the Past;**

**Building the Future**

Watch for more details.

Things are moving right along.



### Building Team

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

**BEING NEIGHBORLY**

**NOVEMBER Birthdays**

13-Grace Linn	16-Steve Hays
13-Dave Sheets	16-Nathan Rupp
14-Tina Heidkamp	18-John Butler
14-Jill Paris	19-Mike Pedroza
16-Jennifer Miller	21-Eric Schweiterman

**NOVEMBER Anniversaries**

13-Mike & Kathy Snider  
19-Kevin & Kaye Ross

**Kids Club**  
Grades K-5



Wednesdays  
3:30-5pm

**Every Wednesday!**

**Drive-thru ONLY MENU**

Wednesday  
4:30-6:00pm

- Sloppy Joe
- Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Cole Slaw
- Cookies

Wednesday Nov. 16th

**Donations Needed This Week.**

**7 People Bring 2 doz. Cookies**



**Charge Conference**

Sunday, November 13  
3pm in the conference room

**Harvest Jubilee**

Sunday  
Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>  
6pm  
Sharing God's Talents and Gifts  
Contact Barb Pedroza




**Auction/BBQ**  
Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>  
Here @ RUMC

4:30-6:00pm Meal  
6:30pm Auction

**Advent**

December 24  
CHRISTMAS EVE 7/10 pm

December 25  
One service  
8:30 am  
Christmas Day Dinner  
10:30-1pm

November 27  
December 4  
December 11  
December 18

**Pecans/Halves \$13, Pieces \$12, Walnuts, Mixed Nuts, Cashews \$11**

Assorted nuts are available for You may them pick up at the church.

**CARD SHOWER** 

College Student Outreach:  
Emily Jackson  
7226 St. Rt. 117  
Rockford, OH 45882

Military Address Update:  
Mason Baxter  
332 ESFS Alpha FLT  
Unit 61807  
APO AE 09321-1807

**BIBLE Study**

Minor Prophets

Wednesdays at 6pm in the Conference Room

**Youth Small Group**



Wednesdays @ 6pm

**Kids' Club Memory Verse:**  
*The Lord has done it this very day; let us rejoice today and be glad. Psalm 118:24*



**November Mission**

Interlibrary Loan System



**It's Dartball Season! All Games Nov. 14 @ Celina Luth. @ 7:30pm**



**Together on Christmas**

A Community Meal in Celebration of Christ's Birth

Free Christmas Day Dinner  
Rockford Community Building  
December 25, 2022  
10:30am-1pm



Sunday, November 6, 2022

Attendance 8:30am Service	45
10:30am Service	41
Online Views 10/28/22 to 11/03/2022	103
Nov. 9th Drive-Thru Meals served:	137
Meal Donations:	\$219
Sunday Morning and online offering	\$3841.00
Money Counters: Karla Butler & Dee VanTilburg	

**Our Current Newsletter is posted online**  
[www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org)

Upper Room devotionals for Nov./Dec. are also available at door #2 in the outside mailbox.  
November Newsletter deadline: Monday, Nov.14<sup>th</sup>.

**Food Pantry Thanksgiving Boxes:**  
Thank you for the turkeys provided.

**We Are**



**GROWING IN GENEROSITY  
ROOTED IN FAITH**

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## Activities For The Week

- Today, Nov. 13**  
-Shoebox Consecration Sunday  
-Hospitality: Santa Shop, UMW  
-Charge Conference 3pm  
-Youth Group-4pm  
-Harvest Jubilee 6pm
- Mon.**  
-Newsletter Deadline for December  
-Dartball Game 7:30pm @ Celina Luth.
- Tues.**  
-No Administrative Board Meeting
- Wed.**  
-Kids' Club 3:30pm-5pm  
-Helping Hands Thrift Store Open 4-7pm  
-502 Community Meal 4:30-6pm  
-Bible Study 6pm  
-Youth Small Group 6pm
- Thurs.**  
-Sisters In Grace 10am
- Sat**  
-Helping Hands Thrift Store Open 10am-1pm  
-Auction/BBQ 4:30-6pm, Auction 6:30pm
- Next Sun. Nov. 20**  
-Hospitality: Bibles For Believers  
-Worship At Divine 2:30pm  
-Youth Group-4pm

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## Upcoming Activities Planned

- Nov. 21** -Dartball Game @ Bethany 7:30pm  
**Nov. 23** -Church Office closed  
**Nov. 26** -Food Pantry Open 9-11am  
**Nov. 27** -First Week of Advent



The Santa Shop will be held the morning of Saturday, December 3. Gifts will again be FREE of charge to every child with a limit of 10 gifts per child,

with all gifts over 10 being \$1.00 per gift. All children are invited to come and shop. Forms will be handed out at Kids Club and will be available at church. Volunteer "elves" will help the children shop and wrap their gifts. Time slots for shopping will be assigned to each child, and they will be asked to wait in their vehicle until the time for them to shop. Only the children currently shopping will be allowed in the church at that time.

We will again need donations of new gifts. Please bring your donations to the church and clearly mark them as being for the Santa Shop. If you are unable to shop for items to be used as gifts or do not wish to shop for them, monetary donations will be accepted and the committee will do the gift shopping. You may give monetary donations to Nita Habegger, Machell Price or Nathan Rupp. The proceeds from the cafe on November 13 will benefit the Santa Shop.

If you wish to volunteer to help the day of the Santa Shop or on Friday for setup, please contact Nita at 419-203-5424 or [nkhabegeger61@gmail.com](mailto:nkhabegeger61@gmail.com).

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## Buy Gifts, Give Money, or Be an Elf



**ANGEL TREE:** We are sharing the love of Christ with a family of 10 in our area. You can choose a gold ornament tag to shop for clothes, or a red ornament tag to shop for toys. We are asking that you spend \$50 on each ornament. If you submit your receipts to the United

Methodist Women, they will reimburse you \$25. Please bring your gifts wrapped with the ornament taped to the top of your gift by Dec. 4th.

We are also collect some other family items like light bulbs, paper plates, toilet paper, wash clothes, etc. Please place these items in the designated box in the Café.

Contact Person: Tami Suzuki