

**Ministers: The People of Rockford UMC**  
**Pastor: Thurlow 'Chip' Steffy**  
**Worship Leader: Nathan Rupp**

**WORSHIP November 29, 2020**  
**8:30am and 10:30am in person**  
 online: visit [www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org)



**Series:**  
**CHANGE**  
**Message:**

**'...is coming, be vigilant.'**

**ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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

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**Scripture Readings**  
**Mark 13:24-37**  
**Isaiah 64: 4-5, 8-9**

**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
Kersten Archer	Mike and Linda Henkle
Dudley Shrider	Susann Gurley
Paula Michael	Sam and Lucille Zizelman
Tracey Walters	Norm Pankop
Don & Linda Hays	Dick Wolford
unspoken prayers	Tom Stephenson
Susanne Pajor, friend of Nuttles	Jackie Fisher
Dean French, Kathy Bransteter's uncle	Dowell Family
those directly impacted by Covid 19	Marcia Thompson
Grieving family of Tom Schumm	Alex Tisdale
Grieving family of John Leistner	Marti Lentz

**Military Personnel with RUMC Connections**

Michael Black, Jr.	Matt Billeter
Casey Louth	Garth Louth
Sierra Williams	Kyle Zizelman

**Honorably Discharged**

Shaun Hunter	Kent Ransbottom
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**RUMC College Students**

Abi Browning	Tessa Thatcher	Griffen Waltmire
Bailey Strickler	Austin Habegger	

**Praises To God For...** all who have shared food and supplies for the Henderson Settlement Project, the blessings given through others, all the shoeboxes that were filled, grace shown during tough times, families reaching out to families in need, those serving God and loving their neighbors...

**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.**

**Prayer Contact Team Members**

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

**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.

**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	



**November Mission Focus House of Refuge**

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**BEING NEIGHBORLY**

**November  
December**

**Birthdays**

29- Terri Piper

- 1- Steve Fisher
- 2 – Misti Burtch
- 4-Cody Barlage
- 4- Kristin McDorman
- 5-Braedn Conn

**Anniversaries**

29-Neil and Michelle Field  
 30-Nathan and Kara Rupp

2-Jim and Elaine Geyer

Donations Needed <b>This Week</b> 8 Jello Desserts 9X13 Pan 1. 5. 2. 6. 3. 7. 4. 8.	Drive-thru ONLY <b>MENU</b> Wednesday 4:30-6:30pm Chili Hot Dogs Chips and cheese Jello Dessert Wednesday Dec. 2	<b>Kids' Club</b> <b>Memory Verse This Week</b> I am the way the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. John 14:6
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Look for the December Newsletter online  
[www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org)  
 and in the outside mailbox at door #2



**ANGEL TREE**

Praise God!  
 All kids have been chosen.  
 Label and bring to the church  
 by Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>  
 UMW will reimburse \$25

if you turn in your receipts



**Santa Shop**

Plans are being made for the Santa Shop to be held on **Saturday, December 5 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon** with concessions for COVID-19. 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 in the take-home Kids Club packets, will be available at church and on the church website. Volunteer "elves" will help the children shop and wrap their gifts. There will be no pictures with Santa this year and no cookies and punch. 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.

If you wish to volunteer to help the day of the Santa Shop or on Friday evening for setup, please contact Nita at 419-203-5424 or [nkhabegger61@gmail.com](mailto:nkhabegger61@gmail.com). All volunteers will be asked to wear face coverings. We also need the following sizes of gift bags: small, wine size (these work great for tools), and really large. We also need tissue paper. Monetary donations can be mailed to: Nita Habegger, PO Box 40, Willshire, OH 45898

**Last Week November 22, 2020**

**Attendance: 8:30 Service: 24**  
**10:30 Service: 26**

**Worship Drop Boxes and Mailed in offerings \$1997.00**

**Online giving 11/20/20-11/26/20 \$2**

**Money Counters This Week:**

**Ann Hileman & Dee VanTilburg**

**SHARING WITH OTHERS**

- Nov. 29-pudding mix
- Nov. 30-scalloped potatoes
- Dec. 1-diced tomatoes
- Dec. 2-jello mixes
- Dec. 3-turkey gravy packet
- Dec. 4 -canned sweet potatoes
- Dec. 5-cranberry sauce
- Dec. 6-French fried onions
- Dec. 7-noodles
- Dec. 8-can of chicken
- Dec. 9-instant potatoes
- Dec. 10-\$10 toward turkey
- Dec. 11-5lb. potatoes
- Dec. 12-\$2 toward cool whip
- Dec. 13-\$10 toward ham
- Dec. 14-brownie mix
- Dec. 15-\$ for Gift Certificate
- Dec. 16-\$6 toward pie
- Dec. 17-jar of nuts
- Dec. 18-box of rice mix



**Christmas  
Dinner Box**



**UPDATED CHURCH  
DIRECTORY IS HERE!**

**Upcoming Activities Planned**

Monday	No Dartball	
Tuesday	Trustees Meet	7pm
Wednesday	Drive-Thru Community Dinner	4:30-6:30pm
	To-Go Kids' Club Packets	4:30-6:30pm
Friday	Set-up Santa Shop	
Saturday	Santa Shop Open	9am
Dec. 6	Communion Sunday	
	Angel Tree Consecration Sunday	
Dec. 9	Drive-Thru Community Dinner	4:30-6:30pm
	To-Go Kids' Club Packets	4:30-6:30pm
Dec. 10	Pastor Parish Relations Meet	7pm

Dec. 11-12

Christmas Prayer Walk

7-9pm