

Ministers:
People of Rockford UMC
Pastor: Bill Halter
Youth Leader: Nathan Rupp
Worship Leader:
 Nathan Rupp/Jenilee Bransteter



Sunday, December 24, 2023
One 10am Service
4th Sunday in Advent
 8:30am & 10:30am Services
 visit www.rumcoh.org



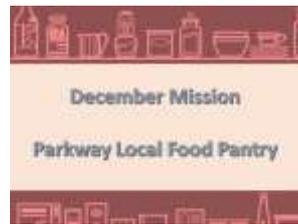
Message
“When God Shows Up”

ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
... building ministry with children, youth and families so that our community may flourish.

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Scripture Reading
Luke 2:8-20

ORDER OF WORSHIP
Countdown
 Welcome/Announcements/Greeting
 8:30am Prelude
 Centering- Break Through Prayer
 Advent Candle Lighting
 Song
 Kids' Corner with Nathan Rupp
 Songs
 Scripture Reading
 Message
 Time of Prayer/Lord's Prayer
 Song
 Benediction



BUILDING TEAM
 Next Meeting: Dec. 17 @ 11:20pm
 In the Conference Room

Our motto:
Celebrating the Past;
Building the Future
 Update coming
 Sunday, Dec. 24 at 10am service.



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 Bill

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

Marcia Winscott
 Lois Powell
 Pauline Steiner

Barb Williams
 Marti Lentz

Prayers For Our Community

Lori Waltz	Dave Sheets
Susann Gurley	Ryan, unspoken
Jennifer Miller	Charlene Lutz
Alex Tisdale	Bob Bollenbacher
John & Carol Havill	Thomas Snell
Sandy Courtney	Linda Hart
Betty Bollenbacher	Jenn & Tim Hollinger
Jolene Burke	Travis Anderson
Kevin Browning	Barb Sidenbender
Chad Pommert, brother of Karen Shinn	Vicki Shell
Doug Bolenbaugh	Marti Lentz
Dan Henkle	Karen Shinn
Pastor Bill & Sharon Halter	Dick Sherrick
Those with cancer: Christy, Larry, Louie	Bea Salway
Nancy Valentine	Kids' Club Ministry
Gloria Mueni, sponsored child	Denise Long
Esther Zizelman	Barry Harner, Husband of Sheryl
Mike and Linda Henkle	Dean & Sandy Ulrey
Dick McCullough	Jean Baltzell
Nancy Clouse	Erica Sheets
Misty Bolenbaugh	Ron Bikacsan
Chip Steffy	Dick Wolford
Nancy Leighner	Paula Linn
John Thomas, his daughter Diane and her husband Keith	
Phyllis Etsler	Terry Hellworth
Grieving family of Lucille Zizelman	Ross Smith and group
Grieving family of Mark Dailey	Denny Salway

Military Personnel with RUMC Connection

Kyle Zizelman	Garth Louth	Casey Louth
Carter Morse	Isaiah Bretz	Mason Baxter
Brandon Ullom		

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Our Current Newsletter is posted online

www.rumcoh.org

Upper Room devotionals for Jan./Feb. are also available at door #2 in the outside mailbox.

Next Newsletter deadline: Monday, Jan. 22

Prayer Contact Team Members

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Misty Bolenbaugh, Diane Sheets,
 Kara Fisher, Jean Henkle, Kelly
 Twigg, and Kara Ransbottom.



Dishes, cake pans, cookie containers...Oh My!

Thank you for your donations for our Wednesday meals and funeral dinners. We have so many unclaimed dishes in the kitchen area. Please remember to get your dishes. Thanks.

Flowers on the altar: are given to the glory of God in memory of Thorson & Helen Henkle by Linda Hart.



Together On Christmas

Come and join the crews working hard to make Christmas day memorable.

Christmas Card Shower

Nancy Leighner
 c/o Rod & Diana Leighner
 8839 Dog Leg Rd.
 Dayton, OH 45414

Marti Lentz
 Divine Nursing Hm
 10731 State Route 118
 Rockford, OH 45882

Praises To God For... this unlikely advent, our loving church family, the opportunity to feed those in need, the Cheer bag that was such a wonderful surprise, the love of Christ through our RUMC church families, showing us the needs of others and the ability to meet those needs just at the right moment ...

Activities For The Week

- Sun. Dec. 24 -4th Sunday in Advent- ONE service 10am
 -Hospitality: Youth
 -Christmas Eve Service 7pm
- Mon. -Church Office is Closed
 -Together On Christmas 10:30-1pm
 -Jesus' Birthday
- Tues. -Church Office is Closed
- Wed. -No Activities at the church
 -No Helping Hands Thrift Store-Closed
- Sat. -No Helping Hands Thrift Store-Closed
- Sun. Dec. 31-8:30am & 10:30am Services
 -Hospitality: Youth

Church Office Closed:

- Friday, Dec. 22
- Monday, Dec. 25
- Tuesday, Dec. 26
- Monday, Jan. 1
- Tuesday, Jan. 2



Sunday, December 17, 2023

Attendance: 8:30am Service	57
10:30am Service	74
Wednesday Meal Dec. 20	248
Donations collected	\$300

Sunday Morning offering & Online giving \$3989.95

Money Counters: Karen Nuttle & Peg Williams

