

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

**Sunday, March 9, 2025**  
**8:30am Service & 10:30am Service**  
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**“God Alone”**

**ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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

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**Scripture Reading**  
**Luke 4:1-13**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Countdown**  
**Welcome/Announcements/Greeting**  
**8:30am Prelude**  
**Breakthrough Prayer**  
**Songs**  
**Kids' Corner**  
**8:30am Song**  
**Scripture Reading**  
**Message**  
**Prayers of the People/Lord's Prayer**  
**Song**  
**Benediction**



**BUILDING TEAM**

Next Meeting:  
**TBD**

**In the Conference Room**

Our motto:

**Celebrating the Past;  
 Building the Future**



**Building Team**

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

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

Marcia Winscott	Lois Powell
Marti Lentz	Pricilla Helmer
Nancy Leighner, Randall Residence of Tipp City	
Dan Henkle	

**Prayers For Our Community**

Nancy Valentine	Jenn & Tim Hollinger
Jolene Burke	Thomas Snell
Kevin Browning	Karen Shinn
Chad Pommert, brother of Karen Shinn	Vicki Shell
Dick McCullough	Zeke Kuhn
Gloria Mueni, sponsored child	Jean Baltzell
Barry Harner, Husband of Sheryl	Bill Walls
Mike and Linda Henkle	Alex Tisdale
Ron Bikacsan	Phyllis Etsler
Terry Hellworth	Dick Wolford
Ross Smith and group	Denny Salway
Ann Hileman	Jim Fox
Norm VanTilburg	Paula Linn
Terry Shroyer	Jack Warthman
Gwen Patterson	Jayme Marbaugh
Kelly Schott	Kathy Rutledge
Betty Bollenbacher	Charlene Lutz
Nicole Poppe's friend's 5 year old son	Corey Hutson
Alice Houston, Ginny Hague's niece	Jennifer Miller
Vicky Armstrong	Sandy Courtney
Amanda White & Mark Highley	Donna Riley
Bennett Hellworth	Sheryl Frahm
Beth Beam	Linda Hart
grieving family of Norma Nichols	Dave Sheets
grieving family of Bart Williams, Peg's son	Sandy Ryan
Amy Jackson	

**Military Personnel with RUMC Connection**

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

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# BEING NEIGHBORLY

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## MARCH

### BIRTHDAYS

### ANNIVERSARIES

- 9-Alivia Osborne
- 13-Randy Linn
- 13-Sam Zizelman
- 14 -Jim McDonough
- 14-Elaine Geyer
- 14-Abigail McDorman
- 15-Angie Ransbottom
- 16 -Angela Lovell
- 17 -Marti Lentz
- 18 -Rowen Yoder
- 22-Linda Huffman
- 22-Jim Geyer
- 22-Kevin Lutz
- 23-Bennett Poppe
- 24-Dick Edgell
- 24-Stephanie Miller
- 25-Tyson Twigg
- 25-Brooks Lyons
- 27-Nita Habegger
- 28-Pam Behars
- 28- Meadow Hays
- 29- Toni Fisher
- 30-Carson Kirby

- 19 -Casey & Karen Nuttle
- 27-Eric & Machell Price



Our Current Newsletter is posted online

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Upper Room devotionals for March/April are also available at door #2 in the outside mailbox. Next Newsletter deadline: Monday, March 24<sup>th</sup>.

The Center For Neurological Development invites our congregation to their Annual Appreciation Dinner on Mon. April 7<sup>th</sup>, Social hour @ 5:30pm and Dinner served @ 6:30pm. RSVP on clipboard Sun. Mar. 9<sup>th</sup>-TODAY!

**Praises To God For...** our food pantry to meet the needs of our neighbors, time in the sanctuary for self-reflection on Ash Wednesday, delicious Wednesday meals for our neighbors, Scout Troop 98 for collecting food for our community...



### Prayer Contact Team Members

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- Karen Nuttle 419.305.3794
- Tami Suzuki 419.305.2276
- Kathy Fisher 419.305.2632
- Machell Price 419.233.1144

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



### Sunday, March 2, 2025

<b>Attendance:</b>	9am One Service	119
	Ash Wednesday	38
	Wednesday meal served this week.	149
	Donations for meals	\$391

An offering report will be shared in each newsletter. Money Counters: Karen Sapp & Peg Williams

### Activities For The Week

- Sun. March 9- First Sunday in Lent
  - 8:30am Traditional Service
  - 9:30am Sunday School for all
  - 10:30am Engage Service
  - 5pm Youth group
- Wed.
  - Kids Club 3:30-5pm
  - Helping Hands Thrift Store 4pm
  - FIVE02 Drive Thru Meal 4:30-6:00pm
  - Youth Small Group 6:30pm
  - Pastor's Lent Study 6:30pm
- Thurs.
  - Sisters In Grace 10am
- Fri.
  - Committee Reports Due to office
  - Bible Study at Divine 2pm
- Sat.
  - Helping Hands Thrift Store open 10-1pm
- Next Sun. March 16- Second Sunday in Lent
  - 8:30am Traditional Service
  - 9:30am Sunday School for all
  - 10:30am Engage Service
  - 1pm United Women in Faith
  - 2pm Faith, Fun, & Friends
  - 5pm Pastor's Lent Study
  - 5pm Youth group

