

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

**August 29, 2021**  
**Worship 8:30am & 10:30am**  
**LIVE streaming 8:30am**  
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**Message: 'A Plea for Unity'**

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

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**Scripture Readings**  
**Ephesians 4:1-16**

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

Marcia Winscott  
Joe Fisher

Barb Williams  
Dick Figley

**Prayers For Our Community**

Pat Frysinger  
Charlene Lutz  
Dudley Shrider  
Don & Linda Hays  
Barry Harner  
'Tyke' Black  
Norm Pankop  
Elle Long  
John & Carol Havill  
Sam and Lucille Zizelman  
Bob Berry  
Marcia Thompson  
Family of Jeff Luginbill  
Jimmie Pollard, Carol Havill's brother  
Family of Betty Secaur  
Family of Madge Hoersten  
Family of Marge Stutz  
For recent Loss in Marti Lentz's extended family  
Marti Lentz

Connie Sapp  
Mike and Linda Henkle  
Susann Gurley  
Dick Wolford  
Don Campbell  
Alex Tisdale  
Bob Ransbottom  
Vernon Kuhn  
Nila Swander  
Kathy Shrider  
Sandy Ulrey  
Todd Moser  
Tyler Sheets  
Kersten Archer  
Family of Jon Sidenbender  
Family of Paula Michael  
Wuebker Family  
Janet Riley

**Military Personnel with RUMC Connections**

Matt Billeter  
Sierra Williams  
Kyle Zizelman  
Casey Louth  
Garth Louth

**RUMC College Students**

Abi Browning  
Bailey Strickler  
Tessa Thatcher  
Austin Habegger

***Praises To God For...*** all those who were blessed to receive the love and kindness shared by our HSP team, the generosity of neighbors in sharing garden vegetables, the gentle rain to bring a cooler breeze, safe travels to and from the doctor.

**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.**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Countdown**  
**Welcome/Announcements**  
**8:30 Prelude/Call To Celebration**  
**10:30 Video**  
**Songs**  
**8:30 Special Music: Elaine Geyer**  
**Kids' Corner**  
**Time of Prayer/Lord's Prayer**  
**Video**  
**Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:1-16**  
**Message: A Plea for Unity**  
**Song**  
**Blessing**  
**Closing**

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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, Trena  
Browning, Kelly Twigg, Barb Pedroza, Kara Ransbottom, Jill  
Yoder, Machell Price.

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**CRISIS CARE**

If you know of anyone in need, please contact Ann Hileman, Karen Sapp, Pastor Chip, Casey Nuttle, or Dan Henkle.





# BEING NEIGHORLY

## August

### Birthdays

29-Karen Nuttle  
29-Paige Habegger

## September

### Birthdays

2- Misty Bolenbaugh  
2- Tom Myers  
3- Kaye Ross  
3- Marcia Thompson  
7- Ann Hileman  
7- Karen Sapp

### Anniversaries


7- Steve & Marcia Thompson

Kingdom Harvest Ministries  
Bible Education At Parkway



Volunteers Needed: Nathan Rupp  
Tuesdays: 10:45am-12pm, 1:45-3:15pm  
Thursdays: 11:15am-12:20pm

August Mission



Begins Wed. September 8th  
6:30pm

**BIBLE STUDY**  
(12 wks)

Ezra/Nehemiah:  
following a study by Max Lucado

**NURSERY**

Available Sunday Mornings

Ages: Birth -K

8:30 & 10:30am Services



### Henderson Settlement Project Team 2021

Tazmin Archer	Mike & Barb Pedroza
Colby Bentz	Pastor Adam Poe
Karla Butler	Nathan Rupp
Keith & Cindy Canary	Loren Shindeldecker
Jordan Feldes	Pam Siebert
Denny & Deb Hecht	Chip & Janet Steffy
Warren Menchhofer	Blake Strickler
Casey Nuttle	

**Kids Club**  
Grades K-5



Begins  
Sept. 8th  
Wednesdays  
at 3:30pm

**Volunteers Needed**  
Contact Nathan, the church office,  
or attend the Volunteer Meeting:  
Wed. Sept. 1 at 3:30pm in the social room.

### Sunday, August 22, 2021

Sanctuary Attendance: 8:30am Service	50
10:30am Service	41

Sunday Morning and online offering: \$2842.90

Money Counters: Peggy Williams & Dee VanTilburg

9:30am

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

For All Ages

Junior Church Grades 1-6



During 10:30am Services

**FACE MASK**



To anyone who wishes to wear one

ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**Five02**  
on Wednesdays

Sept. 8th, 2021  
Begin  
Community Dinners  
Drive-Thru Only  
4:30-6:30pm

### Activities This Week

Today:	-Hospitality: Youth	
	- Youth Group	4pm
Next Sunday:	-Holy Communion Sunday	
	-Hospitality: Youth	
	-Youth Group	4pm

### Upcoming Activities Planned

Sept. 7	-Trustees Meeting
Sept. 8	-Kids' Club begins
	-FIVE02 Community Dinner Drive-thru
	-Bible Study begins
Sept. 10	-Red Cross Blood Drive-New Horizons
Sept. 14	-Worship Team Meets
Sept. 21	-Admin. Board Meets

September Newsletter is posted online  
[www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org)

Upper Room devotionals for Sept./Oct. are also available at door #2 in the mailbox.