

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

Sunday, December 7, 2025 Second Sunday in Advent

8:30am & 10:30am Services
visit www.rumcoh.org



“Love”

ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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SCRIPTURE READING
Matthew 22:34-40 NLT

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Countdown
8:30am Prelude
Welcome
Breakthrough Prayer
Advent Candle Lighting
Song/Candle Lighting/Scripture
Song
Scripture Reading
8:30am Song
Message
Prayer/Lord's Prayer
Holy Communion
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	
Kenny Cochran	Divine Bible Study Group
Kelly Schott	Charlene Lutz
Helen Luginbill	

Prayers For Our Community

Nancy Valentine	Thomas Snell
Jolene Burke	Karen Shinn
Kevin Browning	Sandy Courtney
Chad Pommert, brother of Karen Shinn	John & Carol Havill
Jean Baltzell	Bill Walls
Barry Harner, Husband of Sheryl	Alex Tisdale
Mike and Linda Henkle	Phyllis Etsler
Doger Boyd	Dick Wolford
Terry Hellworth	Jenn & Tim Hollinger
John Pond	Betty Bollenbacher
Darla Hammitt	Jayme Marbaugh
Gwen Patterson	Corey Hutson
Nicole Poppe's friend's 5 year old son	Beth Beam
James Fox	Sharon Halter
Kathy Shrider	Ann Hileman
Our Sister Church, Willshire Union	Dan Henkle
Paula & Randy Linn	Amy Jackson
Cameron Manz	Tom Ransbottom
Joey Salway	Amanda Crouch
Kids' Club Ministry	Joe Nuttle
Bryan Poppe	Steve Crabtree
Norm VanTilburg	

Military Personnel with RUMC Connection

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

December

Birthdays

7-John Havill
8-Rylee Brehm
9-Dan Henkle
11-Sherry Henkle
12-Claudia Ransbottom
13- Hayden Twigg
13-Mike Shrider
15 –Sam Frey
17-Konner Crouch
17-Abigail Browning-Bretz
19-Kevin Ross
20-Gavin Westgerdes
23-Sharon Halter
26- Jacob Haver
26- Amanda Peel
27- Megan Fisher
27- Morgan Fisher-Riley
27- Alicia Miller
28- Tyler Sheets
29- Miley Crouch
30-Tom Sidenbender
31-Taylor Beahrs-Boyer

Anniversaries

8-Sam & Erica Frey
16- Scott & Angie
Ransbottom
13- Loren & Melanie
Shindeldecker
18- John & Carol Havill



Christmas Eve Service 7pm



Link to volunteer Together On Christmas is on facebook or sign up on the clipboard at church.



Advent Study

Plan to join
“A Candle Lit Journey”
this Advent Season
on Wednesdays.
Choose
10:30am Or 6pm

Praises To God For... the promise we have for eternal life, a thankful heart, the faith to have hope for the things unseen, the peace that passes all understanding, the eyes of compassion given to those in our church family, Santa Shop and Angel Tree...

Our Current Newsletter is posted online

www.rumcoh.org

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

Next Newsletter deadline: Friday, Dec. 19th.



Jingle Jar

For Helping Hands Thrift Store



Starting in January
Jingle Jar will be the
second Sunday of the
month.

Last Sunday, November 30, 2025

Attendance:	8:30am Service	30
	10:30am Service	53
Wednesday Meal:	Served	212
	Donations	\$284

Thank you for your faithful stewardship with your generosity. Please continue to use the brown boxes at each door to safely deposit any prayer/connect cards as well as your generous gifts and offerings.

Money Counters: Karla Butler, Dee VanTilburg, Peg Williams

Activities For The Week

Sun. Dec. 7 – Second Sunday in Advent
-8:30am Traditional Service
-9:30am Sunday School for all ages
-10:30 am Engage Service
-2pm Divine Worship
- 5:00pm Youth Group
Mon. – Dartball Game @ Bethany 7:30pm
Wed. -10:30am A Candle Lit Journey–Advent Study
-4:30-6pm Drive-Thru community meal
-6-7pm Youth Small Group
-6:00pm A Candle Lit Journey- Advent Study
Sat. -Helping Hands Thrift Store open 10-1pm
-Youth Christmas Party 6pm
Next Sun. Dec. 14 – Third Sunday in Advent
-8:30am Traditional Service
-9:30am Sunday School for all ages
-10:30 am Engage Service
- 5:00pm Youth Group

We are in need of an adult to fill a paid position of custodian 5-10 hours a week. Contact the church office.

