

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

Sunday, December 21, 2025 Fourth Sunday in Advent

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



“Joy”

ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 1:18-25 NLT

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Countdown
8:30am Prelude
Welcome
Breakthrough Prayer
Advent Candle Lighting
Song/Candle Lighting/Scripture
Song
Kids' Corner with Nathan Rupp
Scripture Reading
8:30am Song
Message
Prayer/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	Priscilla Helmer
Nancy Leighner, StoryPoint	Divine Bible Study Group
Kenny Cochran	Charlene Lutz
Kelly Schott	
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	Jayne 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
Grieving family of Norm VanTilburg	

Military Personnel with RUMC Connection

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

BEING NEIGHBORLY

December

Birthdays

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



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

Experience Christmas Eve
Here at RUMC. Wed. Dec. 24
at 7pm.



Praises To God For... the peace that passes all understanding, the eyes of compassion given to those in our church family, Santa Shop and Angel Tree, the different kinds of love that comes from above...

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: Friday, Jan. 23rd.



Last Sunday, December 14, 2025

<u>Attendance:</u>	8:30am Service	25
	10:30am Service	66
<u>Wednesday Meal:</u>	Served	242
	Donations	\$430

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 & Tom Clouse

Activities For The Week

Sun. Dec. 21 – Fourth Sunday in Advent	-8:30am Traditional Service
	-9:30am Sunday School for all ages
	-10:30 am Engage Service
	- 5:00pm Youth Group
Mon.	- No Dartball
Wed.	-Christmas Eve Service 7pm
Thurs.	-Together On Christmas Day Dinner 10:30-1pm
	-Church Office Closed
Fri.	-Church Office Closed
Sat.	-No Helping Hands
Next Sun. Dec. 28 –	
	-8:30am Traditional Service
	-9:30am Sunday School for all ages
	-10:30 am Engage Service
	- No Youth Group

