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**January 23, 2022**

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**Message:**  
**'Called To Be Disciples'**  
**Part 2**

## ROCKFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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### Scripture Reading

Luke 4:21-30

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

Marcia Winscott  
Vernon Kuhn

Barb Williams

Dick Figley  
Jerry Schaadt

### Prayers For Our Community

Norm Pankop  
Sandy Ulrey  
Charlene Lutz  
Joy Gamble Koch  
Barry Harner  
Kersten Archer  
Tom Stephenson  
Elle Long  
Sam and Lucille Zizelman  
Mike and Linda Henkle  
Leslie Frederick  
Michelle Ransbottom  
Alex Tisdale  
Doug Bolenbaugh  
Marti Lentz  
Grieving family of Ed Long  
Grieving family of Luther "Joe" Fisher  
Ginger Bixler, daughter of Norm Pankop

Bob Ransbottom  
Marcia Thompson  
Linda Hart  
Dick Wolford  
'Tyke' Black  
Ben Welborn  
Susann Gurley  
Don & Linda Hays  
Kathy Shrider  
Dudley Shrider  
Bailey Parris  
John & Carol Havill  
Renee Dull  
Kevin Browning  
Kay Thomas  
Bob Bollenbaugh

When names are taken off the prayer list, we lift them up trusting in God's faithfulness. If someone needs added, we would be glad to add them onto our list.

### Military Personnel with RUMC Connections

Matt Billeter

Sierra Williams

Kyle Zizelman

Casey Louth

Garth Louth

### RUMC College Students

Abi Browning

Bailey Strickler

Tayzia Jo Havill

Austin Habegger

Tessa Thatcher

Treya Conn

**Praises To God For...** the sunshine, the warm heat during cold days, scripture to sustain us, the grace shown with love, those who know just how to be present in the time of need.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Countdown

Welcome/Announcements

8:30am Prelude/Call To Celebration

10:30am Video

Song

Kids' Club with Nathan Rupp

Time of Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Video

Scripture Reading

Message

Song

Blessing

Closing

### Prayer Contact Team Members

Ann Hileman, Misty Bolenbaugh, Diane Sheets,  
Karen Nuttle, Tami Suzuki, Kara Fisher, Lucille Zizelman,  
Jean Henkle, Kristen McDorman, Kathy Fisher, Tenna  
Browning, Kelly Twigg, Barb Pedroza, Kara Ransbottom, Jill  
Yoder, Machell Price.

### CRISIS CARE

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

### BUILDING TEAM UPDATE

Our next meeting: Feb. 1 @ 7pm.

Our new motto:

**Celebrating the Past;**

**Building the Future**

Watch for more details. Things  
are moving right along.



### Building Team

Kathy Bransteter

Matt Suzuki

Machell Price

Dick Sherrick

Matt Fisher

Casey Nuttle

Chad Ransbottom

John Butler

Randy Linn

Kara Ransbottom

Nathan Rupp

Pastor Chip

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## BEING NEIGHBORLY

# January

## Birthdays

- 23-Kathy Bransteter
- 24-Kathy Shrider
- 25-Machell Price
- 26-Brenda Barker
- 26-Kylan MtCastle
- 26-Davis Peel
- 27-Kara Fisher
- 30-Treya Conn
- 31-Caryn Wenning

## Anniversaries

None until February

January Newsletter  
is posted online

[www.rumcoh.org](http://www.rumcoh.org)

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

## House on the Rock WRKD Radio

Each Sunday at 10am a worship service is presented by RUMC or Rockford Belle. We are looking for some information to help us serve our community:



Do you listen to the Sunday 10am Radio Worship Service? Does anyone you know listen? Please let us know by filling out a Connect Card and placing it in the offering box or by calling the church office.

**Kids' Club memory verse:**

Glorify the Lord  
With me,  
Let us exalt  
His name  
together.  
Psalm 34:3

**January Mission**

Backpack Program



The UMW will be sponsoring our "Valentines for Veterans" project. Starting Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, there will be a basket at the front of the church with cards with suggested items needed (new). Donations may be left in the designated box in the conference room. Our last day to bring in donated items will be Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup>.

That will allow time to box up the items and get them to the VA office then on to the Dayton VA Hospital in time for Valentine's Day. Contact Person: Sandy Ulrey.

Drive-thru ONLY

**MENU**

Wednesday  
4:30-6:00pm

Chili  
Toasted Cheese  
Carrots & Celery  
Cookies

Wednesday  
Jan. 26th

## Donations Needed

7 People  
To bring  
2 doz. Cookies

Bible Study

**MINOR PROPHETS**

Major Message  
Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm  
in conference room

## Sunday, January 16, 2022

Attendance for 8:30am Service	44
10:30am Service	39

Online views last week: 205

Sunday Morning and online offering: \$2655.90

Money Counters: Ann Hileman & Dee VanTilburg

## Girls Night Out

GNO  
Let's Have a Bunco Party  
January 30, 2022  
5:00 at the Parsonage

Bring your favorite snack to share.  
There will be prizes, fun, and fellowship.  
Can't wait to see you there.  
R.S.V.P. to Janet — [irsteffy52@gmail.com](mailto:irsteffy52@gmail.com) 419-363-3618

## Offering News:

You may recall that we no longer purchase offering envelopes, however we still have extra boxes available until they run out. The box will include labels with your name and giving number. No label should go on your check. If you want a box, contact the church office.

If you use your own envelopes, we will provide you with offering labels for 2022. We can print church address labels for you to easily put on your own envelope to mail or to slip into the brown offering boxes at the entrances. (No label should go on your check.) Contact the church if you want labels.

## Activities For The Week

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|-----------|---|--------|
| Today     | -Hospitality:                             |        |
| Mon.      | -Dartball Game Home vs. Mt. Tabor         | 7:30pm |
| Tues.     | -No Building Team Meeting                 |        |
| Wed.      | -3:30pm Kids' Club                        |        |
|           | -4:30-6pm 502 Community Drive-thru Dinner |        |
|           | -6pm Youth Small Group                    |        |
|           | -6:30pm Bible Study- Minor Prophets       |        |
| Thurs.    | -Sisters In Grace Bible Study             | 10am   |
| Next Sun. | -Hospitality:                             |        |
|           | -GNO: Bunco Party 5pm                     |        |

## Upcoming Activities Planned

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|---------|-------------------------|
| Jan. 31 | -Dartball Game @ Mendon |
| Feb. 1  | -Trustees Meet          |
|         | -Building Team Meeting  |