## Rockford United Methodist Church

Order of Worship

September 15, 2019

**Welcome and Announcements** 

**Opening Praise and Worship** 

8:30a "When Morning Gilds The Skies" 10:30a "To God Be The Glory"

**Greet One Another** 

Kids' Corner

Time of Prayer Breakthrough Prayer Lord's Prayer

Giving Back to God Offering Prayer

Scripture

Philippians 4:4-7 and 2 Timothy 3:14-17

## **Special Musical Guests**

Matt Lehman, Dr. Ed Fisher, Dr. Paul Fisher, Joe Fisher Pastor Kent Fahl

Closing Praise and Worship "Bless Be The Tie That Binds"

GO out into the world to serve the Lord and share His love.

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

Marcia Winscott
Joe Fisher
Dick Figley
Jerry Schaadt

Bea Roebuck
Joanne Bash
Barb Williams
Jon Vickery

## **Prayers of Concern**

**RUMC Youth Ministry Barry Harner** Henderson Settlement Dean and Sandy Ulrev 'Tvke' Black Mike and Linda Henkle Our church Anne Esselstein Our country **Denise Long** Missionary Bryan Schwartz Billie Tullis Sally Jo Bolenbaugh Don and Linda Hays Pam May Pat Frysinger Karen Sapp Randy McDorman Tammy Hileman Chuck Eberle Tom Ransbottom Anyone fighting addiction Patricia Wisener Paula Michael **Ginny Turner** Terrie Northcutt Rich Miller Kersten Archer Randy Habegger Safety of grandchildren Debbie and Mike unspoken Todd Henkle Eleesha Long Madison Joseph Angie Ransbottom Charles Stephenson new job and co-workers Jon Wennings Family Marvin & Darlene Shindeldecker

## **Military Personnel with RUMC Connections**

Michael Black, Jr. Shaun Hunter
Casey Louth Sierra Williams
Kent Ransbottom, National Guard. Kyle Zizelman

## **RUMC College Students**

Reghan Waltmire Tessa Thatcher Griffen Waltmire Elizabeth Leighner Bailey Strickler Austin Habegger

#### **Praises To God**

Successful kidney transplant, son found a job, relief of pain symptoms, welcome home to Mathew David Rupp, complete tumor removed, no chemo or radiation, good heart report at Cleveland Clinic, lap blanket received, healing and back to assisted living...

#### **BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER**

God of our hearts,
May your Holy Spirit continue
to awaken us to new possibilities,
new opportunities,
new courage and new hope.

May all who gather here be empowered to proclaim the good news of Jesus' life-changing love.
May your Spirit transform and use us boldly, without limits, to reach and make new disciples for Jesus Christ and bless people everywhere.

Amen.

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#### **BUILDING TEAM UPDATE**

The next regular meeting of the Building Team will be September 17, 2019, at 6:30 pm. Updates on Building Team progress are also included in the Administrative Board minutes in the church monthly newsletter.

## **Building Team**

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

## **Prayer Contact Team Members**

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

#### September 2019 Newsletter and Calendar

The September 2019 newsletter is available as a hard copy in Café 1031 as well as online access via the church website: www.rumcoh.org <click> calendar of events. Our newsletter can be accessed on the same webpage. <click> menu (top right), <click> newsletter. Deadline for October newsletter is Monday, September 23rd.

#### CHARGE CONFERENCE

Sunday, Nov. 10th at 6pm—Grand Lake (St. Paul's)

## **Welcoming our Guests**

If you are a guest in our church, please pick up a guest's sack in Café 1031. These sacks contain lots of goodies and information about our church.

Hearing assistance is available. Please speak with an usher.

#### **ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK**

Youth Hospitality

Tuesday:	Building Team Meeting	6:30p
•	Administrative Team Meeting	7:30p
Wednesday:	Kids Club	3:30p
	FIVE02 Free Community Dinner	5:02p
	Bible Study-Letters of Paul	6:15p
Thursday:	United Methodist Women Meet	7:00p
Next Sunday:	United Methodist Women Hospitality	

#### **Ushers serving today:**

Today:

8:30a—Peg Williams, Sam Zizelman, Roger Sapp, and Dean Ulrey 10:30a—Neil Field

Nursery volunteers: Michelle Field, Kara Fisher

**Flowers** are given to the glory of God in memory of Steve Henkle from Linda Hart.

September Mission Focus: Operation Christmas Child

## \*\*\*\*\*\*FALL CLEANING DAY IS COMING SOON\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Upcoming Activities			
Sept. 25	Choir begins	7:30p	
Sept. 28	Free Movie Night– BFB	6:30p	
Oct. 6	New Members Class	9:30a	
Oct. 10	Sisters in Grace	10:00a	
Oct. 10	Red Cross Blood Drive Here	12-5:00p	
Nov. 2	Women's Retreat 'Seaside Esca	pe' 9a-4p	
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#### Last Week September 8, 2019

General Offering received: \$1904.25 Attendance: 8:30 Service = 62

10:30 Service = 52

(Santa Shop)

#### **BEING NEIGHBORLY**

#### **FIVE02 Free Community Dinners**

The kitchen crew will be serving community dinners at 5:02p on Wednesdays.

**Sept. 18th Menu:** Sloppy Joe Sandwich, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw and cookie.

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#### **RECYCLING**

Anyone wishing to have recyclable materials collected by the Parkway FFA, please call the church office to have a volunteer serve you. Next pickup is Saturday, September 21, 2019. Church number: 419.363.3230

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The Mercer Health Volunteer Association & The Cedar Table Café invite you to join us on Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> from 3-7 p.m. for a spaghetti dinner fundraiser including meatless spaghetti, meatballs, salad and garlic toast. Dine in the Atrium Dining Room, Carry Out, or Drive Thru pick-up at Entrance 4 (Pavilion) at the Mercer County Community Hospital. Tickets are \$8.00 each and can be purchased in advance at the Hospitality Gift Shop. All proceeds benefit the Mercer Health Volunteer Association.

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## SISTERS IN GRACE

6 Week Bible Study

## "The Heart of Christmas On This Holy Night"

Max Lucado helps us to reflect upon the life of Jesus' adoptive father, and he invites us to walk along side Joseph through the fields near Bethlehem. Come and join us as we dig deep into this Holy Night, starting Oct. 10th at 10am in the café.



Ministers: The People of Rockford UMC Pastor: Thurlow 'Chip' Steffy September 15, 2019



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

#### Welcome!

We are glad to have you here today as we praise God together and celebrate the way He blesses us.

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