



TO EXALT GOD ...

Thank you for coming to Rocky Fork Church of Christ to worship with us this Lord's Day. Our hope and prayer is that you will be blessed by your experience here today. As a visitor, we ask that you would please sign the visitor register in the entry way if you would like more information concerning our ministries or becoming part of the Lord's Church. As a guest, please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering.

We strive each Sunday to carry out the New Testament pattern in all ways. May you and He be blessed today in worshipping the King of kings and Lord of lords!

Enjoy as we lift our praises to God, communicate with Him through prayer, come around His table observing communion, bring back to Him what He has blessed us with, and partaking of the Bread of life in the preaching of His Word.

We offer a nursery for children ages 0-2. If you have little ones this age, you may take them to the nursery at the beginning of the worship service.

(Wee Worship (2-5 year olds) and Junior Church will be dismissed after special music before the sermon.)

Sermon Today

Moses Hamilton

Every Christian's Struggle

Romans 7:14-25; 2 Timothy 4:7 & 8

Tonight: Evening Service at 7:00 PM

Moses Hamilton

Blessings or Punishment

Leviticus 26; 1 John 4:17-19; 1

Peter 4:8

HONOR HIM BY REACHING ...

There are Sunday School Classes for all ages. Remember to come, bring your friends, and be here at 9:00 each Sunday morning.

AND EQUIPPING PEOPLE....

Prayer Time and Bible Study are Wednesday night at 7:00. There are programs for all ages.

AND BEING FULLY DEVOTED FOLLOWERS...

LIFT will be enjoying an "All Day Get-Away" this Saturday, April 29, shopping in Lancaster . . . thrift stores, flea market, and vintage craft show. Meet at the church at 8:00 am. The van will go to the Fairfield County Fairgrounds to "Spring at the Round Barn". Entry fee is \$5. More information can be found at: [Spring at the Round Barn - Vintage & Made Market April 28-29 Tickets, Fri, Apr 28, 2023 at 4:00 PM | Eventbrite](#) and vendor list: [Vintage & Made Market \(thevintageandmademarket.com\)](#). They will also go to a flea market and thrift shops. They will return to the church around 4:00 pm. Please sign the signup sheet on the bulletin board.

There will be no Jr. Church, Wee Church, or Nursery next Sunday, April 30, due to it being the 5th Sunday.

Since next Sunday is the 5th Sunday, Moses is requesting that we dress for church as we would dress for work or school. It should be interesting to see all the different occupations on display.

The First Thursday Senior Fellowship will meet Thursday, May 4, at 9:00 am at Early Birds in St. Louisville. If you're a senior, retired, or just available on Thursday, you are welcome to join this group for a great time of food and fellowship!



May Birthday Night will be Sunday, May 7, following the evening service. Anyone wishing to participate is asked to bring something to share.

The 5th Sunday Sing will be next Sunday, April 30, at 6:00 pm at Bladensburg Church of Christ.

Camp season will be here before we know it. Rocky Fork will pay the tuition for one week of camp for all students who attend Rocky on a regular basis. **Tuition for Preaching Camp will be paid by the church in addition to one other week of camp.** If you register by May 13, you will receive a free camp t-shirt when you attend camp. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center, or you can register online or print a registration form at: www.wakatomika.com. Please see a registration form or the camp website for the schedule.

The Wakatomika Camp hog roast is Saturday, May 13, at 5:00 pm. An offering will be taken with a goal of \$20,000 to be used for capital improvements and chapel project. Dr. Jeff Collins will be the speaker, and Dennis Blansit and Gary Rahn will provide music. Drinks, plates, and plasticware will be provided. Bring a covered dish and your lawn chair, and join us for a fun evening of fellowship!



Review Memory Verses:

Matthew 4:4	Luke 6:46
Matthew 4:7	Luke 18:16
Matthew 4:10	John 4:23
Matthew 6:15	John 6:35
Jeremiah 29:11	John 8:12
Mark 2:17	John 14:6
Mark 10:45	John 17:3

PRAYER/COMMUNION MEDITATION

This Week: Tom Bodle
Next Week: Keith May

WORSHIP SERVICE COMMUNION SERVERS – (PLEASE BE SEATED FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENTS)

This Week: M. Stevens, J. Shannon, R. Lemmon
F. Keller, C. Garee, D. Cunningham
Next Week: J. Banks, K. Walton, Kameron May
H. Keller, D. Edwards, M. Tucker

CLOSING PRAYER

This Week: Brad Keller
Next Week: Ron Lemmon



TODAY: Joe & Sue Shannon
Hunter Keller & Luke Crego
04/30: Christa Walton
Sarah Hamilton & Grace Hamilton

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

TODAY: Alli Walton
04/30: 5th Sunday – No Nursery



WEDNESDAY TEACHING ROTATION

04/26: Tom Bodle
05/03: Steve Walton



PRAYER CONCERNS



Widows

Becky Bush
Julie Ellis
Artha Kennedy

Cindy Moore
Shana Newell
Ellen Postle

Caroline Voderberg
Kathy Wright
Mary Young

Missions

Agape Haiti Mission
Christian Restoration Association
GIJAPA Ministry
Hippo Valley Christian Mission

Northeast Ohio Bible College
Person to Person Ministries
South Jersey Evangelism
Wakatomika Christian Camp

Hospitalizations, Surgeries, Tests

Scott Salina (fell & broke his neck)
Ashley Bates (brain aneurism surgery 3/21)
Sallie Seifert (hip replacement 3/28)
Donna Gosnell (spinal stenosis)
Rodney Lothes (shoulder surgery)
Tom Claibourne (heart surgery)
Sonya Blansit (pneumonia)
Serita Wilson (nodules)
Dan Boggs (hoping for good test results)

Willie Windsor (pacemaker surgery 3/27)
Brother-in-law of Rose's friend (accident involving homeless man)
Grandma Bridgette (kidney stones)
Helen Halblaub (knee replacement 5/1)
Cathy Lothes (cancer surgery 4/3)
Justin Campbell (possible bladder cancer; surgery)
Nan Halblaub (fell; bleeding internally)
Angela Ball (nodule in lung)
Julie Ellis (a-fib; observation)

Illnesses, Recuperations

Ethan, Sydney & Jaxson Wills (ill)
Bonita Wills (voice issue)
Caitlyn Parker (ill)
Isabel Dieter (mini stroke)
Fran Bowman (stroke)
Mike Klingaman's sister & niece (ill)
Those suffering from anxiety & depression
Mike Walton (stomach bug)
Sandi Laughlin (Covid)
Scott Parker (health issues)
Carmen's manager (disease that makes her tired)

Luke Crego (broken ribs, bruised lung & liver)
Karen (Rebecca's coworker; pneumonia)
Carmen Simpson (shoulder pain)
Jo Anne Myers (leg problem, health concerns)
Tim Owens (infection in knees; continuing to heal)
Caroline Voderberg (health concerns)
Nancy Schneider (very ill)
Sam (hurt his foot)
Justin Chavez (liver & kidney trouble)
Herb Alexander's grandson (Kawasaki disease)

Grieving Families

Families of Jennifer Welsh, Bob German, Debbie Orr, Marilyn Stradley, Duane Ellinger, Sonya Mitchell, Robert Krueger, Larry Iden

Continuous Health Concerns & Needs

Mary Young
Shirley Ritchie (nursing facility; not well)
Mike Walton (poor health)
Candy Mullins (lung cancer; now at Laurels)
Alan Walker (hospice facility)

Rebecca Patterson (autoimmune disorder; hospitalized 10 times)
Tena Stringer (breast cancer/radiation)
Evelyn Vogel (ongoing problems/treatment for seizures)
Mary Verasso (dementia/macular degeneration)
Amanda Price (Stage 4 cancer)

Military Service Persons

Rylan Ellis (basic training; graduated 4/13)
Jordan Bresciani
Xavier Felumlee (Army)
All military service persons & their families

Matthew Rey (Fort Drum, NY)
Danny Mears (Dallas/Fort Worth Naval Air Station)

Other

Our Congregation
Spiritual Growth of our Children
Every Member Ministry
Our Country/Our Freedom
Agape Christian Mission (gang activity)
Mississippi tornado
Couple kidnapped in Haiti
Sonya Smith Family
Those suffering from storm damage
Nancy Edmister (new roof issue)
Bill & Janet Jones (traveling home)
Gabe & Emilee Hamilton (pregnancy)

Our Preachers, Elders, Deacons, & Families
Laborers in the Harvest
Our Government at Every Level
Community Outreach
Becky Bush (traveling & babysitting grandkids)
North Boulevard Christian Church destroyed in tornado
Spring Break Travelers
Julie Ellis, Shana Newell & Nichole Chaney (traveling)
Joe Campbell (opportunity)
Joe & Violet Tucker (traveling home)
Lincoln, Zach, Diane, Julie & Christa (traveling)
Stephanie Farley's sister & brother-in-law (traveling)

Praises:

Ashley Bates (doing well after surgery)
Dave Bodle (auto accident; not injured)
Women's Bible Study/Phyllis teaching

Willie Windsor (doing well after surgery)
Rose Simpson (found rings after yard work)

Luke Crego (released from hospital & able to travel to Florida)

(The prayer list will be wiped clean at the first of each month.
Resubmit any requests you may still have at that time.)

The New Testament Way

Hear the word: Romans 10:17

Believe in Christ: John 3:16, Hebrews 11:6

Repent of sin: Luke 13:3, Acts 2:38

Confess your Faith: Romans 10:9-10, Matthew 10:32-33

Baptism by Immersion: Acts 2:38, Romans 6:3-7

Live the Christian Life:

By Worship: Hebrews 10:21-25

By the Lord's Supper: Acts 2:42, 20:7

By Prayer: James 5:16, Ephesians 6:18

By Bible Study: II Timothy 2:15, 3:16-17

By Faithful Stewardship: I Corinthians 16:2

By Faithful Living: II Peter 1:5-12, Revelation 2:10

ROCKY FORK ELDERS

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact any of the following:

Tom Bodle 740-345-3645
Bill Crego 740-258-0236 (cell) or 740-763-0011 (home)
Alan Dieter 740-610-7891
Selden Walton 740-334-3659

DEACONS AT ROCKY FORK

Dirk Cunningham Franklin Keller Joe Shannon
Brad Keller Ron Lemmon Steve Walton

FACTS AND FIGURES

Attendance Sunday School: 70
Offering Sunday School: \$76.00
Attendance Sunday AM: 131
Offering Sunday AM: \$3,018.00

April 23, 2023



The Church of Christ at Rocky Fork

We exist to exalt God in our Worship, honor Him by reaching, and equipping people to be fully devoted followers of Christ.

Worship Times

Sunday School: 9:00AM
Worship: 10:00AM
Sunday Evening Worship: 7:00PM
Wednesday Bible Study: 7:00PM

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