



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 worshiping 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.

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

Sermon Today

Moses Hamilton

Listen To Him

Mark 9:2-13; Malachi 4:5 & 6; Matthew 11:14

**Tonight: O'Holy Night 5K Fun Run/Walk
at the TJ Evans Athletic Complex
from 5-7pm**

No Evening Services Here at the Church

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.

BEING FULLY DEVOTED FOLLOWERS...

The Look Up Center is holding their 1st major fundraiser to support the expansion of their building and programs this evening. The *O' Holy Night Fun Run/Walk* will take place from 5:00-7:00 pm at the TJ Evans Athletic Complex on Sharon Valley Road in Newark. **We will not have services this evening, so we may support this event.**

Family Night -- Pinewood Derby Build It Night is this Friday, December 10, from 6:30 to 9:00 pm **in the Old Building**. The snack is pizza. Come and enjoy the fun!

Our December Birthday Celebration is next Sunday, December 12, following the evening service. Anyone wishing to participate is asked to bring something to share.



The teens will be going caroling the evening of December 18.

Our annual congregational meeting will follow the morning service on Sunday, December 19.



The Jr. Choir will present the musical *Glory to God in the Lowest* Sunday, December 19, at 7:00 pm. Come and find out how Glory to God in the Highest became Glory to God in the Lowest as the very Son of God came to the world as a tiny baby in a lowly manger! Please invite your family & friends and come be blessed by the kids' performance.

We will have a Christmas Eve service Friday, December 24. Come enjoy a quiet time of worship as we celebrate the birth of our Savior.



The teens will have a lock-in on Wednesday, December 29.

Hippo Valley Christian Mission's Living Proof kids Christmas gift: You can send a check to HVCN, P.O. Box 686, Grayson, KY 41143, and write "Christmas Gift" on the memo line or give online at www.hippovalley.org/christmasgifts.html. **Christmas gift donations must be received by December 10 for the child to receive this year's uniform in time.**

Heath Church of Christ will have their interactive event for all ages -- "Journey to Bethlehem" December 7 & 8, 6-8 pm. For more details see: [Journey to Bethlehem, 2019 \(heath.church\)](http://Journey to Bethlehem, 2019 (heath.church))

The Pines Christian Church is displaying their nativities this year. The open house will be Saturday, December 11, from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm. They will have refreshments, children's activities, entertainment, and hundreds of nativities. You are invited to celebrate the season with them.

Utica Church of Christ will present "Down to Earth, God Becomes Man", a two-part lesson series on the incarnation of Christ presented by Chad McIntosh, PHD, December 15 & 22 at 7 pm.

Matthew 11:28



28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest."

PRAYER/COMMUNION MEDITATION

This Week: Bill Crego
Next Week: Adam Walton

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

This Week: S. Walton, J. Banks, D. Cunningham
R. Ellis, F. Keller, B. Keller
Next Week: E. Wills, K. May, N. Newsom
J. Shannon, R. Lemmon, W. Wills

CLOSING PRAYER

This Week: Steve Walton
Next Week: Brad Keller

TODAY: Dorothea Prouty
Connor Garee & Kameron May
12/12: Jamie & Brenda Banks
Hunter Keller & Kendall Tucker



WEE CHURCH ROTATION

TODAY: Tiffany Newsom
12/12: Brenda Banks

WEDNESDAY TEACHING ROTATION

12/08: Moses Hamilton
12/15: Keith May

SUNDAY/WEDNESDAY TEACHING ROTATION

12/05: **NO EVENING SERVICE**
12/08: Rose Simpson
12/12: Theresa Edwards
12/15: Ethan Wills

PRAYER CONCERNS

Widows

Dorothy Bodle	Cindy Moore	Mitzie Sabo
Becky Bush	Shana Newell	Caroline Voderberg
Julie Ellis	Ellen Postle	Kathy Wright
Artha Kennedy	Irma Romine	Mary Young

Missions

Agape Haiti Mission	Northeast Ohio Bible College
Christian Restoration Association	Person to Person Ministries
GIAPA Ministry	South Jersey Evangelism
Hippo Valley Christian Mission	Wakatomika Christian Camp

Hospitalizations, Surgeries, Tests

Dean Jackson (spinal surgery 11/24)	Cory Dieter (surgeries to remove dead tissue on leg; in nursing home)
Lacy Wright (kidney stones)	Goody Goodin (results 11/19 to see if has cancer)
Tom Bodle (blockage in bypass graft)	Scott Parker (CT scan of chest area 11/22)
Beth Bodle (ablation on back 11/30)	Ruth Ann Gallwitz (CT scan 12/2)
Connie King (foot surgery 1/5)	Sandy Williams (fell; in hospital; not well)

Illnesses, Recuperations

Dorothea Prouty (fell)	Mildred Banks (recovering at home)
Jim Simpson (arthritis in leg)	

COVID Cases

Grieving Families

Everett Smith, Larry Cline, Dale Banks, Harrison Underwood, William Dougherty, Anna Marie Moss, Lena Rose Morgan, Larry Reddig

Continuous Health Concerns & Needs

Mary Young	Dorothy Bodle
Shirley Ritchie (nursing facility)	All Those in Nursing Homes
Mike Walton (poor health & bad cold)	Roger Edmister (cirrhosis of liver)
Judy Carnal (pancreatic cancer)	Steve Scott (reconstructive surgery 11/30)
Evelyn Vogel (ongoing problems/treatment for seizures)	Kimberly Wright (cancer; fell; broke hip; 3 pins)
Roger & Linda Martin (multiple health issues)	Josh Morey (moved to longterm care facility; dialysis)
Mike Simpson (2 nd & 3 rd degree burns; cancer)	Dick Walton (a second stroke; hospice care)
Virginia Crego (not expected to live much longer)	

Military Service Persons

Aaron Banks (Dyess AFB, Abilene, TX)	McKenzie Banks (Dyess AFB, Abilene, TX)
Jordan Bresciani (deployed to Romania)	Danny Mears (Dallas/Fort Worth Naval Air Station)
Xavier Felumlee (left 10/5 for Army)	Matthew Rey (Fort Benning, GA)

All military service persons & their families

Other

Our Congregation	Our Preachers, Elders, Deacons, & Families
Spiritual Growth of our Children	Laborers in the Harvest
Every Member Ministry	Our Government at Every Level
Our Country	Schools, Teachers, Students (Covid)
Community Outreach	Missionaries kidnapped in Haiti
Court Decisions (Roe v. Wade; vaccine mandate)	Agape Christian Mission (shut down well due to gas prices)
Shooting in Michigan	Teens committing crimes (murders; armed robberies, etc.)
Suicides & attempted suicides this time of year	

Praises:

Steve Scott (surgery went well)	Tom Bodle (here 11/28 & feeling better)
Linda Hamilton (out of hospital)	Archer Neil (born 11/26 to Kevin & Melissa Walton)
Keegan Gowdy (1 yr old; surgery not necessary)	Photographs went well and praise from photographer

(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:	71
Offering Sunday School:	\$58.00
Attendance Sunday AM:	127
Offering Sunday AM:	\$2,879.00

December 5, 2021



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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