

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.

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

A Faith Like Abraham's Romans 4; Genesis 12:1-4; 15:6; Hebrews 11:1

Tonight: Evening Service at 7:00 PM



The Living Word Transforming Lives

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...

Our first Bible League competition of this season will take place this evening during our regular evening service. Please plan to come, join in the fun, and support our teams.

The First Thursday Senior Fellowship will meet Thursday, March 2, at 9:00 am at Our Lakeside Diner, 5276 Walnut Road, Buckeye Lake. 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!



There will be an Open Gym/Family Night Fun Friday planned by the Teenage Class here at the church Friday, March 3, from 6:30 to 9:00 pm. All are invited to come participate.

Our March Birthday Night Celebration is Sunday, March 5, following the evening service. Anyone wishing to participate is asked to bring something to share.



Millwood Church of Christ offers a Grief Share program for anyone who wants to change their journey from mourning to joy. The Spring Session begins this Thursday, February 23, at 6:30 pm More information can be found on the bulletin board.

The Southeast Ohio Wild Game Feast will take place Saturday, February 25, at the Fifth Street Church of Christ in Beverly, Ohio. Dave Jones from Millwood is the featured speaker, and music will be provided by The Branches. Supper is served from 5:00 to 6:30 pm. Preaching begins at 7:00 pm. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board. If you haven't signed up yet, please sign up **TODAY** as registrations are due tomorrow. Only those pre-registered and present will be considered for prize drawings.

The Men & Boys Bean Dinner is Thursday, March 16, at Heath Church of Christ. Dinner will be served from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. The Bean Boys will provide special music. Jim Book, lead minister at Kissimmee, Florida, Christian Church will bring the message. A special missions offering will be received. We have been asked to furnish 10 pies for the dinner. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the back of the sanctuary.



Mark 10:45

For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.

PRAYER/COMMUNION MEDITATION

This Week: Mike Tucker Next Week: Tom Bodle

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

This Week: R. Ellis, Kameron May, J. Banks

D. Edwards, K. Walton, M. Stevens

Next Week: C. Garee, Keith May, W. Wills

A. Walton, R. Lemmon, S. Walton

CLOSING PRAYER

This Week: Joe Shannon Next Week: Hunter Keller



TODAY: Ron & Jane Lemmon Trevor Tucker & Matthew Cunningham

02/26: Joe & Sue Shannon Baylor Cunningham & Rachel Crego

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

TODAY: Theresa Edwards

02/26: Hannah & Grace Hamilton &

WEDNESDAY TEACHING ROTATION

02/22: Steve Walton Moses Hamilton



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 Wakatomiká Christian Camp

Hospitalizations, Surgeries, Tests

Ron Lemmon (kidney stone procedure 2/2) Stevie Giles (bone tumor removal from head 1/31) Jim Crabtree (ruptured appendix) Leo (appendix & half large intestine removed) Theresa Edwards (hernia)

Judy McNamara (partially collapsed lung) Caitlyn Parker (cyst drained from arm) Connor Garee (4 wheeler accident; stitches in side)
Tammy Mullins (cancer; hospitalized)

Illnesses, Recuperations

Zoey Meadows (severe cough) Chris Moore (Stephanie's sister) (Covid) Michael Gray (ill) Sydney & Jaxson Wills (ill) Nancy Snyder (Covid) Rita & Rachel Crego (ill) Mike (husband of Carmen's staff; ill)

Jazmyn Adkins (embolism & surgery to remove tumor 1/9 & 1/12) Robin Lantz (bladder implant issue: 2 bulging discs) Bill England (bone marrow transplant 1/20; afib: ICU) Zack Eagan (motorcycle accident; amputated arm) Nancy Edmister's neighbor (squad there 1/29) Danny Ray (removed mass in lower intestine 1/31) Rebecca (Cory Dieter's fiancé; high muscle enzymes; gall bladder issue) Jamie O'Drumsky (4 wheeler accident; broken nose & orbital bone) Sara Gardner (tumor removed from head)

Elizabeth Klingaman (broke feet; moved to assisted living) Ashley Loomis' memaw (fell; now in wheelchair) Sam (Carmen's staff; boot on foot) Ryan Holton (pneumonia/low hemoglobin) Ron & Jane Lemmon & Connie King (ill) Dorle Ehmann and Will Mattes (ill & traveling) Joe Rinehart (blurry vision & speech issue)

Grieving Families

Peggy McClure, Jim McCrillis, Tim Davino, Randy Lowe, Carol Lambert, Jay Athey, Andrew Beehler, Daleena Nelson, Ginny Baker, Ky'air Thomas (one of the kidnapped twins)

Continuous Health Concerns & Needs

Mary Young Shirley Ritchie (nursing facility; not well)
Mike Walton (poor health) Steve Scott (MRIs every 6 months)

Ellen Casey (awaiting stem cell transplant; chemo) Carol (hospice care: Grace & Hannah clean for)

Todd Owens (tongue cancer; completed radiation; difficulty eating food) Denise Petty (high risk pregnancy; will have C section at 7 months) Evelyn Vogel (ongoing problems/treatment for seizures) Cassie (multiple myeloma: blood dialysis: chemo) Les Hamilton (dementia) Robbie Nester (diabetic: numbers high)

Military Service Persons

Rylan Ellis (leaves 2/21 for basic training) Matthew Rey (Fort Drum, NY) Jordan Bresciani Xavier Felumlee (Army)

Danny Mears (Dallas/Fort Worth Naval Air Station)

All military service persons & their families

Other

Our Congregation Spiritual Growth of our Children Every Member Ministry Our Country/Our Freedom Jessica Blansit (searching for a home) Zoey Meadows (incident at school) Tom & Beth & Selden & Dot (traveling) Cory Dieter (quit job)
Michigan State University (shooting) Military helicopter crash 2/15 East Palestine train derailment

Our Preachers, Elders, Deacons, & Families Laborers in the Harvest Our Government at Every Level Community Outreach Pickerington School shooting/suicide More than 23,700 killed in Turkey/Syria earthquake

Praises:

Ashley Loomis (baptized 1/29) Jim Crabtree (doing better) Bryce Curtis & wife (adopted baby 12/21) Warm, sunny weather

Robin Lantz (feels great after surgery)

BreAnna Laughlin (not present during Michigan State shooting)

(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 740-334-3659 Selden Walton

DEACONS AT ROCKY FORK

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

FACTS AND FIGURES

Attendance Sunday School: 64 Offering Sunday School: \$54.00 Attendance Sunday AM: 109 Offering Sunday AM: \$1,584.00 February 19, 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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MINISTERS

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