



2015 Holiday Bazaar
Saturday November 21, 2015
9am to 2 pm



Get here early for the very best selection of Fancy Cookies and other Food Items. We have crafts, jewelry, holiday decorations, books, Grandma's attic and our always impressive silent auction! Come for lunch and bring a few friends with you!

New This Year! Personalized Magnets and Bookmarks Photos can be taken at the holiday bazaar or emailed ahead of time for our 2 ¼ by 3 ¼ magnetic framed photos; choose from our selection of templates for your personalized bookmark. Send your photos or questions to Janice Klingman jjklmn@aol.com or Janet O'Neil joneil2@comcast.net.

Look for updates on our website <http://www.rockumchurch.com/events-2/#bazaar>



Harvest Supper and Leap of Faith Concert
Saturday, November 7th

Dinner 5:00-6:30 pm
Concert 7:00pm.



Dinner prices: adults \$13; Children 12 & under \$5

A free-will offering will be accepted at the concert.

Please plan to join us and invite your friends! A turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 5-6:30 pm. The evening continues with our 6th Annual Leap of Faith concert at 7pm.

Our choir is being directed once again by Jereme Martineau, Director of Choral Studies at South Windsor High School. The concert features contemporary, faith-filled music. There is no charge for the concert; a free-will offering will be taken.

TWO GREAT ACTIVITIES IN ONE EVENING!



Dear Church Family,

The Pew Research Center says that 55% of Americans pray every day. I have learned that the best way to pray is to actually do it. I try to find inspiration anywhere I can find it. What motivates me are the inspirational messages that are found on refrigerator magnets and the like. Let me share some of my favorites.

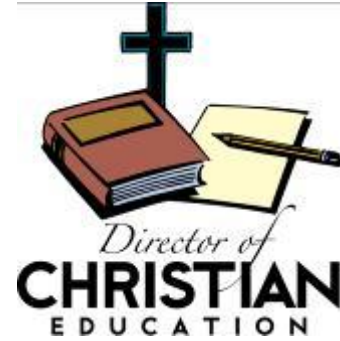
- **“He who runs from God in the morning will scarcely find Him the rest of the day.” John Bunyan.**
- **“All I know is that when I pray, coincidences happen; and when I don’t pray, they don’t happen.” Don Hayes.**
- **“Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger people. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle, but you shall be the miracle.” Philip Brooks.**
- **“It is possible to move men through god by prayer alone.” Hudson Taylor.**
- **“The more you pray, the less you’ll panic. The more you worship, the less you worry. You’ll feel more patient and less pressured.” Rick Warren.**
- **“Pray and let God worry.” Martin Luther King.**
- **“There is a mighty lot of difference between saying prayers and praying.” John Lake.**
- **Prayer and sinning never live together in the same heart. Prayer will consume sin or sin will choke prayer.**
- **Faith and prayer are both invisible, but they make impossible things possible.**
- **Prayer is the key to heaven, but faith unlocks the door.**
- **Prayer is the greatest wireless network in the world.**
- **Today I will pray more, worry less, laugh more, stress less, hug more and hurry less.**
- **Don’t tell God how big the storm is. Tell the storm how big your God is.**
- **God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can and wisdom to know the difference.**

If it were possible for any of you to spend an entire day in the throne room of God where you could actually listen to prayer, I think you would see that the majority of the prayers would be requests, just as a child who addresses Santa. However, the prayers which are conversational and show a relationship are the ones that bring God much pleasure. So the next time we speak to God, do it in a way of friendship.

I would like to invite any of you to join me on Friday mornings to study the passage of scripture that I will be preaching on and group prayer for the members of our church.

Pastor Paul





We all had a great time Trunk or Treating even though the weather was a little misty. I would like to thank everyone who brought candy to hand out to our treaters. And the costumes were wonderful, with a wide variety of subjects.

Our annual **Sunday school pageant** is Dec 13, and we will soon be preparing for it. The pageant will be during the church service. We need angels, shepherds, wise men, Holy Family and animals. If interested in participating, contact Linda Shivers.

Sunday School Schedule:

Nov 1: Children start in Worship then are excused to attend class after children's message. Each class will be **collecting mission offering** from the children, hopefully, from money they have earned during the week. The money will be collected the first of every month and all the children will decide at the end of the year what organization they would like to support. Children will be excused from class, when it is time for Communion, so they can participate in Communion with their families.



Nov 8: Children start in Worship then are excused to attend class after children's message.

Nov 15: Children start in Worship then are excused to attend class after children's message.

Nov 22: Children start in Worship then are excused to class after children's message.

Nov 29: Children start in Worship then are excused to class after children's message.

Linda Shivers

Home: 860-871-9164

Cell: 860-558-7632

Email: necsvga@aol.com

If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering to help Sunday school or Children's choir, please contact Linda Shivers.

Children's Choir

We are learning 3 songs (Away in the Manger, Happy Birthday to the Lord, and There's a New Star in the Sky). We hope to sing during a couple of worship services in Dec.

Nov 1: No children's choir practice

Nov 15: Children's Choir practice at 9:00 am in Fellowship Hall.

Nov 22: Children's Choir practice at 9:00 am in Fellowship Hall.

Nov 29: Children's Choir practice at 9:00 am in Fellowship Hall.



OUR ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAZAAR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2015 – 9 am to 2 pm

Our HOLIDAY BAZAAR is on Saturday, November 21, 2015, just in time to pick up items for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We invite you to support us by coming out: invite your friends to come with you for lunch and stay to shop. For you who would like to volunteer to help out either the day of the bazaar or prior to, please see Judie Culy, 872-3122--The more the merrier!! A project of Rockville United Methodist Women--***Supported by everyone!!***

WHAT TO EXPECT THIS YEAR AND OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP:

The BAKED GOODS AND CANDY Booth would like the following items to sell at this booth at the Bazaar: Cakes, pies, breads, rolls, muffins, cupcakes, brownies, pastries, cream puffs, etc. Please no cookies so as not to compete with the Fancy Cookie Booth. We could also use any kind of fudge, peanut brittle, chocolate bark, or any kind of homemade candy, jams, jellies, relish, and pickles. If you are not a baker or candy maker we could use ingredients such as sugar, brown sugar, chocolate chips, pecans, walnuts, and coconut. We could also use Christmas bags, wraps or containers to put baked items in. Be in touch with Judie Wilkie, at 872-9830 or Sue Bird, 872-3362.

BOOKS, ETC. -- Books, DVDs, CDS, puzzles, etc. Should you have any questions, please contact Barbara Kent, 871-2075

The CHRISTMAS BOOTH needs handmade Christmas items to sell such as: Wreaths, swags, centerpieces, ornaments, candles and related items. If crafts are not your thing, we could use the following to make the items above such as: Christmas picks, artificial greens, containers, basic artificial green wreaths, grapevine wreaths, red, white, or green candles, Christmas Ribbon, pinecones, birds, etc. Monetary donations are always welcome. If you have any questions or suggestions, please call Judy Wilkie, 872-9830.

The FANCY COOKIE BOOTH – We are asking you to help us by donating popular ingredients-needed as soon as possible. Please put yours in the box found in the kitchen. All purpose flour, granulated sugar, light brown sugar, confectioner's (10X) sugar, coconut, shelled pecans, semi-sweet chocolate chips, white chocolate chips, vanilla, powdered cocoa, boxes of round Thin Mints, candied cherries, maraschino cherries, creamy peanut butter, and red hots. We can only accept unopened items. Should you have any questions or wish to help make cookies, please be in touch with Carol Ross, 875-0616 or Lorraine White, 872-2787.

GRANDMA'S ATTIC – A new name for a very popular booth!! Please save your new or used items for us. Solicit memorabilia from your family and friends—those things that have been sitting in the dark for many years. Let's make this a very interesting room this year. Eileen Gay, 214-7801 and Brenda Mlodzinski, 643-5025 will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

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HANDCRAFTED ITEMS -- We need knitted items, crocheted items, blankets, scarves, mittens and things of that nature. In addition, seasonal arrangements and other hand-crafted items will be on display at this booth. Please be in contact with Carol Robbins, 212-9757.

JEWELRY BOOTH -- Please get your jewelry to me or leave it in the office for me ASAP. Cleaned if possible and usable. That will save me oodles of time. Any questions, call me at 742-1626. Many thanks, Joy

The KID'S CORNER (Of all ages) – Linda Shivers, 871-9164 and helpers will have something for everyone to share in!! Be sure to stop in to share in the fun.

PERSONALIZED BOOKMARKS - A new venture by Janet O. and Janice Klingman offering 2 1/4 by 3 1/4 magnetic framed photos or personalized bookmarks with your own picture or a picture of your grandchildren or pets! We can scan your photos on the spot to create the bookmarks, but advanced pictures will also be accepted. Send your photos or questions to Janice Klingman jjklmn@aol.com or Janet O'Neil joneil2@comcast.net.

LUNCHEON – A Sumptuous feast put together by Gretchen Ross Hutton and her crew with our dining room hosted by Sylvia Yoder and helpers. It's always a special time to visit with friends and make new ones. Plan to dine and shop—all in one place!!

SILENT AUCTION – Lots of things to bid on this year including Steve Yoder's finely crafted wood pieces, many gift cards, two VIP tickets to any show donated by Little Theater of Manchester, and a Yamaha Digital Piano (used but in great condition). We are always looking for items to bid on—from you or your friends. Questions, call Judie Culy, 872-3122.

We are accepting early bids for the Yamaha Digital Piano, so far we have an opening bid of \$300. Submit your bids to Judie Culy (860-872-3122).



The Family Learning Program is having a wonderful start! We are at full capacity now serving 17 families. As a result we needed to hire a fourth childcare person and are now meeting in Fellowship Hall for whole group gatherings. We also have a new ESL Teacher, Karen Adrian, who has been a pleasure to work with. This is the first year thus far that we have had full retention within our program. I believe that is a reflection of the welcoming space, caring childcare staff, devoted teachers and willingness of our families to learn.

We are planning our Thanksgiving Celebration on Tuesday, November 24th at noon.

We invite you all to join in our potluck.

Thank you again for opening your doors and allowing us to use this amazing space!

Svetlana



Vernon Regional Adult Based Education (VRABE) is offering ½ hour appointments for one-to-one career coaching and job search assistance including resume and cover letter critique, interview coaching, and labor market information. The ½ hour sessions are available on Thursdays from 9am to 1pm on 11/19/2015; 12/17; 1/21/2016; 2/18; 3/17; 4/20; & 5/19. Call Christine Vincent (860) 870-3703 to schedule an appointment.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TIME IS NOW!



Give the PERFECT gift – a gift card to your loved ones for a Christmas present. They not only get what they want, but they can take advantage of after-Christmas sales. It will be a double blessing! A blessing to the receiver and a blessing to the church. How? The company will give RUMC a percentage for your purchase. You always receive 100% value of the card. What could be better? For over 600 participating retailers go to <http://www.rockumchurch.com/gift-card-program/>. For more information see Janet O. at joneil2@comcast.net or 860-875-3935.

December 13 is the deadline to order to ensure that the gift cards arrive in time for Christmas!

After you have received your Amazon gift cards, don't forget to use **Amazon Smile** to purchase that special gift or treat for yourself. Through the Amazon Smile program, Amazon donates .5% of the price of eligible purchases to RUMC.

Log into Amazon through our RUMC Amazon smile page <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/06-1283681> and then make your purchases as you normally do. There is an Amazon Smile link at the bottom of the RUMC home page.



Minutes from Church Council Meeting October 18, 2015

RUMC Church Council meeting 10-18-2015

Minutes

Chair: Karen Stearns

Recording secretary: Terri J. Goldich

Attending members: Linda Shivers, Judie Culy, Mel Bacha, George Klingman, Stan Culy, Janice Klingman

Attending: Jack Wilkie, Joy Pikor, Sandy Gallup

1. Christian Education report (Linda Shivers):

October 25- will be Trunk or Treating. Children will bring their costumes and get dressed after church. Children will need to bring a bag or pillow case to carry their goodies in.

Youth and Children's Choir – we have had 2 meetings. The kids are enthused with learning some songs. Emily Matthews and Carol Robbins have offered to help me work with this choir. Janet O'Neil came up with the suggestion to start this youth and children's choir and I thank her very much. She is going to take a break on the choir and look at joining us after the Christmas season. I am looking to teach the kids a few Christmas songs they can sing at the Children's Pageant. A Choir schedule will be handed out next week, but there will not be rehearsal on Nov 1.

Children's Christmas Pageant – Being held on Dec 13 during our regular worship time, 10:00 am. I have met with Nat Woodruff and he gave me his idea for a Christmas Play. I had a more traditional idea in mind and will be looking over how I can combine the two into a nice play/service. I will be meeting with Karen Stearns on how to work music into the pageant.

Christian Education Committee- is offering a Parents Time Out/Kids Fun Day on Dec 12 from 11:00 am-3:00 pm. Kids will be able to make crafts, watch a movie, play games and of course eat. We will have pizza, snacks and drinks. Anyone in 6th grade and above is welcome to help us out. This will be offered to all ages, a sign- up sheet will be posted first of Nov so we know how many kids to expect.

Sunday school- Janet O'Neil will be teaching 1st-3rd grade until Jan. We still need another teacher to team up with her. Starting in Jan we will need 2 teachers again. We had our first Sunday School offering in Oct. Donations were minimal but I hope as we have more throughout the year the kids will remember to bring in a percentage money they earned.

Other Info: Nov 21, at the Holiday Bazaar, we will offer a Children's booth where they can decorate a cookie or make an ornament for minimal cost.

2. Interim Coordinator of Coffee and conversation (Stan Culy):

Mel Bacha makes the coffee and gets something sweet to eat.

We have met in the Fellowship Hall by the beautiful picture window on sofa and chairs but when it gets cold we will probably meet in the library. In the hall, we have used dividers to prevent sound from coming into our discussion.

Everyone is encouraged to talk but not too much at one time.

We have talked about creation, the 12 steps of Alcoholic Anonymous, UMCOR work in Turkey with Syrian children, and heard a Johnny Cash song. Future topics are: *How to survive a Holocaust prison camp* by Viktor Frankl, and *The Jesus I never Knew* by Philip Yancy.

My personal situation: After the Nov. 7 concert, choir practice will resume at 9:15 and one option is for our group to meet at 8:15.

There are times with I cannot be present, in which case I will notify the regular members who will carry on the conversation without me.

3. Lay leaders (Mel Bacha):

Nominations committee is working to fill membership on various committees. The two lay Leaders are working on various committees as members as well.

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4. Trustees (George Klingman):

Trustees met on Oct. 2. The Mediation garden committee is seeking sponsorship of several rhododendron bushes for planting by the GOMs this fall. Coordinate through Norine Veal so that all plantings are of like value. Also several bricks will be engraved and installed, completing activity 'til next spring.

Nutmeg Plumbing has repaired two heating system leaks that were in a kitchen cabinet.

A Lifeline screening will be conducted in Fellowship Hall on Saturday, Dec. 5, 2015. They are paying us \$50 to clean up behind them. Perhaps the Christmas decorating people can do it before they begin decorating.

The Trustees has decided to move their monthly meeting time to after church the first Sunday of the month in order to hopefully attract non-retirees to the membership.

The next Trustees meeting will be on Sunday, Nov. 1, 2015.

5. Finance (Geoff Gerow, George Klingman):

KanJam has 10 or 11 teams signed up for Oct. 25, so please sign up soon. Please bring in pictures for the Picture Your Faith table. The point is to demonstrate some meaningful representation of an important faith message in members' lives. TextGiving cards have been left in the pews and will be out for the harvest dinner and concert.

Pledges are down and George will spend more time looking at the numbers. Funding for fellowship hall floor is \$3500; \$10,000 is necessary. Money is due to the church from the Vernon Regional Adult Education program using the building. The computer in the sanctuary is on its last legs and needs replacement. Karen will do some shopping and will get numbers. There are still issues with the organ which have not yet been resolved.

6. SPRC (Terri J. Goldich):

The transition between Pastor Ricki Aiello and Pastor O'Neil was completed as smoothly as possible. The O'Neils are planning small group sessions at the parsonage in the spring (Transition Goals #2, 3)

Linda Shivers has accepted the permanent position as Director of Christian Education following a very successful summer program for children. (Position Goal #4, #5)

Job descriptions have been updated and a new evaluation form has been designed by the committee. Evaluations for paid staff will be completed by liaisons with other church members asked for input by November 4. The evaluation for the Pastor will be completed by December 10.

The date for the church conference has not been yet been set by the district superintendent.

7. Visitation and Nurture (Judie Culy):

Pastor O'Neil has been doing very well visiting shut-ins. If anyone has a suggestion for someone who needs a visit let Judie or the Pastor know. If anyone is interested in serving on the committee or visiting members, let them know that as well.

8. Worship committee (Karen Stearns):

The committee met recently and will meet again in November. The Pastor has brought up that he wants to move the Christmas Eve service to one service at 4pm rather than one at 6pm and 10pm. If anyone has strong feelings one way or another let anyone on the committee know.

9. Music (Karen Stearns):

The Senior choir is working hard to get ready for Leap of Faith concert on November 7.

Karen will be doing some research/shopping for a new computer system for the sanctuary. The current laptop is "dying", and we need something that better suits our needs for during worship.

10. UMW (Judie Culy):

RE the Harvest Dinner – hardly anyone has signed up to help. Eileen Gay is in charge of the dining room. Please sign up.

The Holiday Bazaar is Nov. 21. The UMW needs help with setting up and tearing down.

Stan's son and wife have donated a piano for the silent auction.

Tea and Text will meet on their last book on October 29 and will start their next book in January.

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11. Men's Club (Jack Wilkie):

With the change in the timing of the church service there are problems with the timing of the roast beef dinner if food is served at noon but the service is over around 11am. The same problem will happen with the Valentine's Day breakfast with the men having to be here earlier than usual. Some members of the council offered to contact people who can help with the dinner and Geoff offered some help from the Stewardship budget. Joy will ask Don and Carol Robbins how many people they need for the Harvest Dinner and the roast beef dinner and will make calls.

12. Vernon Community Network:

Cornerstone could use bedding and clothing for the homeless population they serve.

13. Publicity (Janice Klingman):

The poster for Trunk or Treat was done along with the sign-up sheet for Church School.

The "Picture Your Faith" graphics were given to Geoff for the Leap of Faith concert.

All publicity for the Harvest Supper and Leap of Faith Concert has been done, including the banner in the front of the church, flyers to local churches and senior centers, posters at church and tickets for Harvest supper. Flyers are available in the church office. People are encouraged to pick them up to distribute to local businesses or social contacts.

Publicity for the Holiday Bazaar nearing completion with flyers ready to be mailed.

A new church brochure to hand out to newcomers is being done.

Pastor Paul is looking for suggestions for welcome gifts to be given to new people attending church.

14. Old business (Karen Stearns):

Timing of fund drive for new flooring for Fellowship – tabled until after Stewardship Campaign.

15. No new business.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Terri J. Goldich

THE CORNERSTONE
The Cornerstone Foundation celebrates its **35**th birthday!

SOUPFEST

Thursday
November 5, 2015
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Support The Cornerstone Foundation
Annual Raffle
\$20 per ticket

1st Prize: \$500 Visa Gift Card
2nd Prize: \$400 Visa Gift Card
3rd Prize: \$300 Visa Gift Card
4th Prize: \$200 Visa Gift Card

Tickets sold at
Advanced...

The annual **Soupfest** benefiting The Cornerstone Foundation is on

Thursday

November 5, 2015

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

at St. Bernard Church hall

25 St. Bernard's Terrace

Rockville, CT 06066

Tickets are sold at Advanced Kitchens, 89 West Road, Ellington or Bolles Motors, 84 West Road, Ellington.

For information contact Tom:

Phone: 860-682-0762

Email: TPStauffer@aol.com

Volunteer Opportunities

Through the Church:

Harvest Supper: We need help with the food prep, dining room set up, wait staff, and cleanup. The sign up sheets are on the bulletin board. Carol Robbins (860-212-9757) is in charge of the dinner and Eileen Gay (860-214-7801) is in charge of the dining room.

Holiday Bazaar: We need help for set up, selling, working in kitchen, and cleanup. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board or contact Judie Culy. Check the Holiday Bazaar information on pages four and five for many opportunities to help with our Holiday Bazaar; there is something for everyone to do. Carol and Lorraine still welcome contributions of ingredients; the collection box is in the kitchen.

The **Gift Card Ministry** is looking for a **co-coordinator**. This is approximately a two-hour a week commitment.

Music program leaders are needed on Sunday's from 9-9:45 am. Please see Linda Shivers to coordinate when you are available to help.

Soup Kitchen Team 1 needs a new volunteer. The two-person teams meet at the soup kitchen at 10:30 am once every five weeks. Please see Don Ross if you want to be part of the team.

Sunday School substitute Teachers needed! Training and Curriculum are provided. Contact Linda Shivers if you are interested: necsvga@aol.com (860) 871-9164

We have an opening on the **Altar Flower committee**. We need someone to cover the duties for the third week of the month: set up the proper colored bookmark for the bible and covering for the altar; coordinate with the office manager to order the flowers; arrange the flowers and candles on the altar for service. Deliver the flowers to a shut-in if requested. Water the church plants during your week. This is a thirteen-week commitment. Additionally: help with special altar arrangements on Easter, Thanksgiving, and Christmas and help with narthex decorating for Easter and Christmas. Please email the office if you are interested.

If anyone is interested in joining the **prayer chain** and would prefer contact via telephone, please call Phyllis King at (860) 454-5127

In the Community:

The Vernon Regional Adult Based Education Family Learning Center here at RUMC is looking for tutors for our ESL students. These students need practice with conversation, writing and grammar in English. The hours are below:

Tuesday 12:30-1:30

Wednesday 1:00-2:45

Thursday 1:00-2:45

Do you have a free hour a week? The Visiting Nurse and Health Services of Connecticut, Inc. is looking for volunteers who will spend some time **providing companionship and/or respite for their terminally ill patients**. Please see the Community bulletin board for more information. The volunteer coordinator can be reached by phone at 860-872-9163 x2423.

Habitat for Humanity is recruiting people to act as **Ambassadors** at community and corporate events. Register to attend a workshop for training for the assignment: Rachel@hartfordhabitat.org. The remaining workshop is on 11/12 (5-7pm).



Our Church Family

Phyllis King
Ernest Pearson

Prayer Requests

Those in nursing homes, Assisted Living and with limited mobility

Merrilee Thomas-home
June Latkofsky-home
Esther Harris-home
Natalie Robertson-home
Eleanor Schreiber-Crestfield
Shirley Edwards-Brookdale SW
Vita Aiello-Fox Hill
June Guillow-home
Jean Benner—Residence at SW Farms
Pat Brandt—Paradigm
Steve & Kay Lyke—home
Annette Welton—home
Dorothy Willis—home
Irene Surrent—home
Esther Harris—home

Special Needs

Basset family—health issues
Jack Kentfield—rehab
The Hoag family — loss of parents.
Tom LaMountain—back surgery recovery
The Stenger’s friend Kendra—to carry her baby to at least 35 weeks

Bereavements

Those in Service

Pastor Lorena & El Jabillo, our sister church in Nicaragua

If you would like a candle lit for a prayer concern or to make a change to this prayer list, please contact the church office at 860-875-6562 or rumcoffice@sbcglobal.net. Thank you.



Shirley Edwards	November 2	Raymond Clark	November 25
Noah Rodriguez	November 2	Janice Klingman	November 26
Shawn Harward	November 3	Amanda Hall	November 26
Leonard Aronson	November 6	Ardis Habbott	November 28
Carole Stambo	November 10		

Quote of the Month

"The Pilgrims made seven times more graves than huts. No Americans have been more impoverished than these who, nevertheless, set aside a day of thanksgiving."

- H. U. Westermayer



November 1

Isaiah 25: 6-9
Psalm 24 (UMH)
Revelation 21:1-6a
John 11: 32-44

November 8

Ruth 3: 1-5; 4: 13-17
Psalm 127 or 42 (UMH)
Hebrews 9: 24-28
Mark 12: 38-44

November 15

1 Samuel 1: 4-20
1 Samuel 2: 1-10
Psalm 113 (UMH)
Hebrews 10:11-14 (15-18) 19-25
Mark 13: 1-8

November 22

2 Samuel 23: 1-7
Psalm 132: 1-12 (UMH)
Revelation 1: 4b-8
John 18: 33-37

November 29

Jeremiah 33: 14-16
Psalm 25: 1-10 (UMH)
1 Thessalonians 3: 9-13
Luke 21: 25-36

Food Donations



We delivered a total of **84** items to the Hockanum Valley Community Council Food Pantry in September. Thank you for donating to help those in need.

Now is a good time to think about the items that make the holidays special: a can pumpkin pie filling, a box of stuffing, sugar, pie crusts, pudding, etc. This is the time of year when an extra treat is appreciated.

Peanut butter, jelly, canned pasta, fruit cups, tuna, soup and juice boxes are always needed.

Thank you for your continued help feeding the people in our neighborhood.

-Suzanne Bird

November Worship Attendants

Greeters

Please see Phyllis King if you would like to be a greeter.

Liturgists

November 1 Joy Pikor
November 8 available
November 15 available
November 22 available
November 29 available

Acolytes

Please see Sherry Pearson for dates available.

November 1 Jack Longo and Mariah Shivers
November 8 available
November 15 Amy Conyers & Arielle Shivers
November 22 available
November 29 available

Fellowship Time/Coffee Hour

November 1 Gary Tyler
November 8 Lisa Williams
November 15 Sandy Spivey
November 22 Janet McKercher
November 29 available

Altar Flowers

November 1 All Saints Day
November 8 available
November 15 Eileen Gay
November 22 Candy Sunderland
November 29 available

District Announcements

Resource Day on District

Saturday 11-7-2015 (9am - 4pm)
Trinity UMC 361 Sumner Ave.,
Springfield, MA

Bishops Day

Thursday 11-12-2015 (2pm - 8pm)
Stafford UMC, 8 Church Street,
Stafford Springs, CT

MARK YOUR

CALENDARS

**Giving Tuesday
December 1st**

**Parents Day Out
Saturday, Dec. 12th
11 am to 3 pm**

Return Service
Requested

Rockville United Methodist Church



Adult Study — 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Service 10:00 am

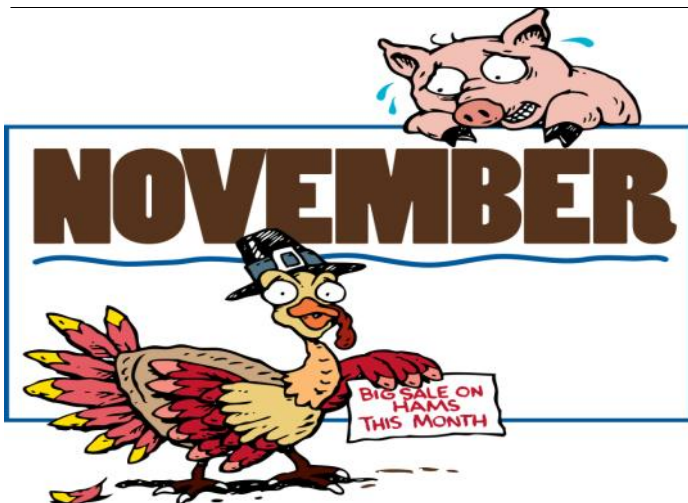
Office Hours 9am-2pm Tuesday-Friday



Coffee & Fellowship follow the worship service
Nursery Care is available for children 4 and under.

Our Mission Statement

Rockville United Methodist Church is a people seeking to be faithful to God; by reaching out to all, inviting each to a relationship with God, nurturing each in the love of Jesus Christ and sending everyone back into the world to minister in God's name.



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Roger LaChance, Church Custodian
Rev. Stan Culy (Retired)
Dr. Belinda Forbes, Missionary to Nicaragua