

Our Church Family

Pastor Cheol—shoulder Injury
Janice Klingman—hand surgery
Ann Chisenhall



Other Concerns:

Lois Wood—healing for complications from foot surgery
Karen Thoms—stroke—co-worker of Dave Joy
Jane Lange—11yr-old daughter of Nat Woodruff's niece—leukemia
Medical Workers preparing and distributing the Covid Vaccine
Teachers and students struggling with a complex learning environment
All of us who are coping with long-term separation from family and friends
Cassity Kerstetter (niece of Dave Saunders—Boot Camp)
Peter McCarthy (Wayne Badstuebner's nephew)
Bob Hornbecker—Medical Issues (spouse of Debby Walters' boss)
Paula Herlihy, caregiver, and her parents, Ed and Rosemary Ostafi
Steve Chisenhall's father, Rev. Herbert Chisenhall—Recovery from stroke
Emily Rushton, Don Corne, Chelsea Whitney, Glen Stambo, Alyssa Walters, Craig Stearns,
Scott Gay, Al Laflamme Nancy Beimler, Margaret Wilkie and all medical
professionals and healthcare workers on the front lines.
Lorna (Emily's aunt) cancer

To add a name to our prayer list, please
contact the church office at 860-875-6562
or RockvilleUMC@outlook.com.

In Nursing Homes, Assisted Living and Limited Mobility

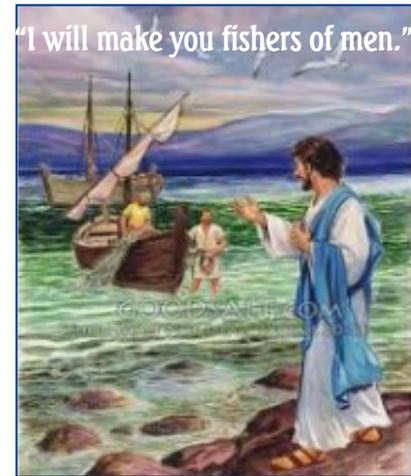
Jane Thomas—Char-Laine Manor
Barbara Hoskins—Vanderman Place
Amy Baron—Char-Laine Manor
Shirley Edwards—Brookdale SW
Ruth Garrott—Concord, NH
Janet McKercher—White Oaks
Norine Veal—Woodlake
Phyllis King—Vernon Manor
Marie Pierce—E. Otis, MA
Ray Clark
June Latkofsky
Esther Harris
Irene Surette

Dr. Belinda Forbes

Missionary
Accion Medica Christiana Managua, Nicaragua

Pastor Kristin White

Green Street UMC
Augusta, ME



Rockville United Methodist
Order of Worship
Third Sunday After Epiphany
January 24, 2021

GATHERING MEDITATION

“Follow me and I will make you fish for people” (Mark 1:17). Just as Jesus Christ called the fishermen by the Galilean Sea, he calls us today to be willing to come and follow him, bringing the good news of his healing love and hope. Let us open our hearts to receive our call and make us ready for the journey.

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: For God alone my soul waits in silence,

P: For my hope is from God who alone is my rock and my salvation.

L: On God rests my deliverance and my honor;

P: My mighty rock, my refuge is God.

L: Trust in God at all times, O people;

P: Pour out your heart before God who is a refuge for us.

OPENING PRAYER

O God, you are our light and our salvation. Living in your presence, we have nothing to fear. Open our hearts to your word this day. As we hear the story of the call of the first disciples, make us ready to follow Jesus on whatever path he leads us. Cast aside our fears and doubts, and teach us to trust wholly in you. For we ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Jonah 3:1-5, 10

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 1:14-20

SERMON

Growing in Daily Life—"Caught in Jesus' Net"

Pastor Cheol

OFFERING

(Please send tithes and Offerings to the church office or use the online giving option.)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Generous God, we ask you to receive and bless the gifts we bring to you this morning. We ask that that you help grow trust in us to grow, that we might follow without looking back and that we might leave behind our old lives to experience more deeply new life in you. In the name of Christ who goes before us and beside us, we pray. Amen.

JOYS, CONCERNS, AND CELEBRATIONS OF OUR PEOPLE (please see back page)

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

Precious Lord, we are grateful that you have touched us and called us to be your servants. Lord, we pray that you would strengthen us in our calling to follow you. Help us to be disciplined in the practice of devotion, prayer, and meditation. Lord, you call us not only to follow you and to receive from you your wisdom and your love; you also call us to go out into the world and to feed your sheep, to be fishers of people, ministers of reconciliation, your righteousness in the world. Strengthen us in our calling. When we see the world in darkness, help us to know what to say and what to do with compassion for the sake of your righteousness. We pray, O God, not only for ourselves but also for those whose joys and concerns you have placed upon our hearts. These things we ask in the name of our Lord Jesus. Amen.

WE LEAVE WITH GOD'S BLESSING

SONG OF HOPE

"Lord of the Dance"

BENEDICTION

"Come, follow me." Christ's call has been given. We have been called to ministries of service. God goes with us in all that we do, enabling and encouraging us as we serve others. Go in peace. Amen.



Adrienne Brock	January 24
Craig Thompson	January 25
Karen Perras	January 29

Mike and Eileen Gay January 30

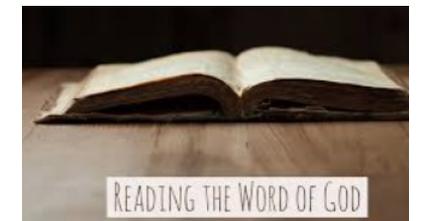
Navigating the **COVID** vaccine process is pretty complicated; let me help! Call me at 860-916-5832 and we can go through it together over the phone.

We can also help you find a ride to the vaccination center.
Karen (Stearns)



Would you like to participate in our online worship service? We can (safely) record you reading the scriptures and insert it into the service. (You would not be on camera.)

Let us know if you would like to participate by emailing our Worship Chairman, Nat Woodruff at woodruff983@gmail.com or Pastor Cheol at starcheol@gmail.com.



This Week at RUMC:

Sunday	1/24/21	Online Worship (always available)
	1/24/21	11am All Church Council (Zoom Mtg)
Thursday	1/28/21	7pm Worship Committee (Zoom Mtg)
Sunday	1/24/21	Online Worship (always available)