

# Welcome to



# RIVER ROCK C H U R C H

Sunday January 26, 2025

## Our Vision Statement

We envision River Rock Church as a community that practices Radical Love to welcome and introduce people to Jesus, that embodies Real Life together as we support each other into deeper relationships with Him, and that flourishes with our Roots in Christ to grow into impacting God's world.

## Order of Worship

House Of The Lord

### Welcome & Announcements

My King Forever

His Name Is Jesus

### Congregational Prayer

#### Message

Bill Flavin, Lead Pastor

"Practice: Solitude  
(Encounter The Enemy)"

Matthew 4:1-11

#### Response

Yes And Amen

#### Blessing

## Through the Week

### Sunday

Kids on the Rock for kids birth - grade 5

Worship - 10am

Middle School Youth Group - 11:30-12:45pm

High School Youth Group - 6:00-8:00pm

### Tuesday

Prayer Team - 9:00-10:30am

Would you like to receive info on new events delivered to your email? Contact us at [connect@riverrockcommunity.com](mailto:connect@riverrockcommunity.com) to sign up.

## Next Week's Message

Bill Flavin-Lead Pastor - "Practice: Solitude  
(Encounter God)" 1 Kings 19:9-13

## Announcements

RRC has partnered with **Hand2Hand** for many years helping deliver food to students at NRMS & MR. They now need food supplies for their pantry. RRC has committed to donating Kraft Easy Mac Microwave Dinners, 2.05 oz. cups each, and we need 195! These are available at Costco and Amazon, along with your regular grocery stores. We will be bringing these to the pantry on February 16. We will have bins in the lobby to drop off your donations.

**February 16 Soup & Chili Potluck!** Please use link to let us know you are coming and to sign up to bring your favorite soup or chili. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040945ACAF2BA4FF2-54514612-soup>

**Congregational Budget Meeting** - Please plan to stay after church on February 2 for a 20-30 minute meeting. We will share the 2025 budget (and call for an advisory vote on it). Also 2025 is our church's 25th anniversary, and we will share a brief update on some anniversary plans for the year.

You can give your gifts online through our website [riverrockcommunity.com/give/](http://riverrockcommunity.com/give/) or mail to River Rock Church, 6060 Belding Road, Rockford, MI 49341

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## PRAYER

**Do you have a prayer request? Or do you want to pray for our community more deeply? Contact Jana Kim, or sign up to receive the Care and Prayer Email by sending an email to [prayer@riverrockcommunity.com](mailto:prayer@riverrockcommunity.com)**

Do you know someone who could benefit from the blessing of a **prayer shawl** or blanket? Contact Katy Spengler at [kt.praygrnorth@gmail.com](mailto:kt.praygrnorth@gmail.com)

Whether you are **praying out loud** or want to be present as others pray, all are invited to pray for the desires of our hearts, families, friends, and our River Rock community. For further information or questions please email [prayer@riverrockcommunity.com](mailto:prayer@riverrockcommunity.com) or connect with whoever is offering prayer after service.

### 2025 Tithe/Offering/Gifts:

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year-To-Date</u>	<u>2025 Budget</u>
	Jan. 19	Jan. 19	
<b>General Ministry</b>	\$3,930	\$10,634	
<b>Benevolence Ministry</b>	\$107	\$312	

***Benevolence/Caring:** If you or someone you know is in need of support, please notify the Deacons. We are able to assist in many ways.*

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