

Welcome to



RIVER ROCK C H U R C H

Sunday May 24, 2026

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

Praise

Welcome & Announcements

Great Things
Goodness Of God
Way Maker

Congregational Prayer

Message
Bill Flavin, Lead Pastor
"Shield of Faith"
Ephesians 6:16
Hebrews 11:1-12

Response

Yes I Will

Doxology/Blessing

Through the Week

Sunday
Kids on the Rock for kids birth - Preschool
Worship - 10am

Tuesday
Prayer Team - 9:00-10:30am

Saturday
Men's Breakfast - 7:30am

Would you like to receive info on new events delivered to your email?
Contact us at connect@riverrockcommunity.com to sign up.

Next Week's Message

Brian Ellis
"Who We Are" Various Scripture

Announcements

The Young Adults group will be gathering again May 31, see Allyssa for location. They will be meeting 2 Sundays a month through August 9, hosted by different people in our congregation. If you are interested in joining this group, talk to Allyssa to get on the group chat to get the information you need! There will be monthly events also starting with a whitecaps game on June 18. allyssat@riverrockcommunity.com

VBS June 22-24: Community dinner on the last night. Sign up with this link. vbspro.events/p/59cd8a or at the Info Table. VBS is supporting NKC with Birthday Bags! Items needed: aluminum foil cake pan with lid, boxed cake mix, frosting tub, candles, small pack of paper plates, pack of napkins. Please drop off donations at the Info Table.

Families, join us June 10 from 6-7:30 by the playground in front of church. You are invited to come connect with others from church while kids play. There will be toys, games, and popsicles.

Global 6K June 28, 2pm, downtown Rockford with World Vision. Katy Spengler (kt.praygnorth@gmail.com) can answer questions. Sign up at <https://global6k.worldvision.org/teams/RiverRock>

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PRAYER

Do you have a prayer request? Or do you want to pray for our community more deeply? Email 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

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 or connect with whoever is offering prayer after service.

2026 Tithe/Offering/Gifts:

	May 17	YTD	Budget
General Ministry	\$2,735	\$146,885	\$489,500
Benevolence Ministry	\$55	\$3,259	

***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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