

# The Pulse

November  
2018



of Rocky River Presbyterian Church

"For all the saints,  
who from their  
labors rest..."



On Nov. 4 - "All Saints Sunday" -  
you are encouraged to

**bring a candle**

—any size, shape or color in a sturdy  
holder—that you can place by the  
communion table to honor a loved  
one's memory.

—Worship Committee

Children learning about respect & service

## Our weekday preschool invites veterans to visit Mon., Nov. 12

Veterans in our congregation: our children want to meet you! On Mon., Nov. 12 (Veterans' Day observed), our weekday preschool is holding a reception for veterans in our congregation. There will be two opportunities to choose from that day: 10:30-11:00 a.m. or 2:30-3:00 p.m. The brief visit will include a snack and brief patriotic display. The preschool asks veterans to register in advance:

- Email Preschool Director Diana Wolfe at [djwolfe@riverpres.org](mailto:djwolfe@riverpres.org), or
- Call her at (440) 895-KIDS.

Space is limited so please call/email soon to reserve your spot.

—Ellen Schickel, Preschool Committee Co-Chair

## "Extra" Food Sunday: Harvest Sunday Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>

Imagine the "harvest" if every person brought even 1 bag of groceries to put in front of the communion table on "Harvest Sunday" Nov. 18th. Your small part will make a big difference for



The Sunday before Thanksgiving is celebrated as Harvest Sunday here. One way we express our gratitude to God is with a special collection of non-perishable food on that day.

—Matt Pedone, Mission Chair

Sun., Nov. 18 1:30 p.m., Walker Chapel

## "Healing Hearts for the Holidays"

*an oasis of peace for those grieving losses*

The holiday season isn't always a welcome time for those grieving the loss of a relative or friend, loss of a job, relocation of family far away, loss of health or ability, the death of a beloved pet. Thoughts of social gatherings, family traditions and obligations leave you anxious and overwhelmed. Your sadness can seem unbearable. You may wish you could skip these next two months and go straight to the routine of the next year—but you can't. What can you do to lessen your stress and loneliness?

At 1:30 p.m. on Sunday afternoon, November 18<sup>th</sup>, come to a brief time of acknowledgment, worship, comfort and strength offered for all who are facing this holiday season without cherished friends or family members, or bearing other significant losses:

### *Healing Hearts for the Holidays*

What to expect? A peaceful time of prayer and reflection; 30 minutes of music, readings of scripture, times of silent reflection, and an occasion to remember and give thanks for our departed loved ones whose memories we hold dear. At "Healing Hearts for the Holidays" you never have to say or do anything. Attendees may simply sit in the silence of their memories, thoughts and prayers. The service will be in Walker Chapel; light refreshments will follow.

Even if **you** are not grieving a loss, a special gift you could give a grieving friend would be to **invite him or her to join you at this service**. Or you could attend just to lend your support by "being there for others" who are hurting.

*Blessed are the ones who mourn,  
because they will be comforted. (Matt. 5:4)*

—Worship Committee

Saturday, December 1 at 7:30 p.m.

## Artist Concert Series presents... Cleveland Orchestra Youth Chorus

What a privilege to hear some of the finest high school voices from across northeast Ohio! Come to a free concert by the Cleveland Orchestra's famed Youth Chorus on Sat., Dec. 1 at 7:30 p.m. in our sanctuary. The concert will be under their newly-appointed Director Daniel Singer.

## From Your Pastor

### Intervention

When I was a child the church I attended was a Church of the Brethren congregation. With roots in common with the Mennonites and Amish, the Church of the Brethren has a long history of pacifism. During wartime many men raised in that tradition opt to come to the aid of their country through “alternative service” rather than serving in the armed forces.

Steeped in the pacifist tradition, then, it should not be a surprise that the Highland Avenue Church of the Brethren was vocal in its opposition to the Vietnam War. They had many letter-writing campaigns, probably to Illinois Senators Dirksen and Percy and probably to President Johnson. I remember the church lobby included a “tote board” of sorts with numbers that changed each week: a sad tally of the number of U.S. service members who had been killed in Vietnam that week.

From an information table in that same church lobby I also remember picking up a copy of an anti-war poster that my brother and I hung on our bedroom wall, interspersed among our posters of Snoopy, the Chicago Cubs, and The Monkees. That anti-war poster depicted a photo that became iconic. The disturbing photo shows a path through rice fields... a path strewn with the bodies of victims of what became known as the My Lai Massacre. (You can find that photograph on the internet.)

In March 1968 a group of soldiers led by Lieutenant William Calley believed they were ordered to round up enemy combatants lurking in a group of South Vietnamese villages. Instead of seeking out the enemy, American soldiers rounded up all the men, women, and children of the village of My Lai (“mee-lye”). Then they machine-gunned them. More than 500 villagers were killed that day. That barbaric act added fuel to the fiery opposition to the war that was growing back here in the U.S.

But here’s something I just learned. A U.S. Army helicopter pilot named Hugh Thompson happened to be flying over My Lai when he looked down to see what appeared to be a massacre in progress. “Hundreds of unarmed women and children were lying in a ditch, freshly slaughtered by [a] platoon. Thompson put down his chopper between the advancing U.S. ground forces

and the fleeing villagers. That’s where he jumped out to angrily confront Calley about his war crimes.” [*Christian Century*, April 11, 2018, p. 3].

As horrific as the My Lai Massacre was, the civilian death toll could have been even greater... had it not been for the initiative of one person who put himself in the midst of the turmoil.

The English word “intervene” has roots in the Latin words meaning “to come between.” Using today’s terminology we could say that Jesus was an “intervention specialist.” One of his skills frequently on display was his willingness to intervene in difficult situations.

- Jesus put himself between the woman accused of adultery and the religious leaders seeking to carry out the punishment of stoning. [John 8:1-11]
- Jesus didn’t hesitate to place his healing hands upon a man whose dreaded disease had caused the townspeople to shun the man. [Luke 5:12-14]
- Jesus stood between his disciples and members of the religious establishment who accused them of not respecting Sabbath customs. [Luke 6:1-5]
- Jesus stepped out of a boat to comfort and heal a local man whose emotional torment was frightening to the townspeople. [Matthew 8:28-34]
- Jesus intervened with a blessing so his hesitant disciples could feed a hungry crowd [Mark 6:33-40]
- Ultimately, Jesus placed himself between us and the eternal consequence of our sinful nature, taking upon himself the penalty of the Cross [Matthew 27:32-28:20]

*For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you.* [John 13:15] That’s what Jesus said to his disciples after he (their esteemed teacher and leader!) humbled himself by stooping to wash their feet—a task ordinarily performed by a menial servant.

As we review the biblical record of his earthly ministry we realize that Jesus was constantly setting examples of showing care by intervening. Jesus would intervene to offer protection to those who were weak or vulnerable. He would intervene to offer strength

and healing to people who suffering from physical and emotional illness. He would intervene to encourage acts of compassion. In all he did, Jesus sought to set an example for us.

How can we follow his example and “intervene” to bring comfort and hope and protection and healing in our broken world?

Maybe we’re called to intervene by “speaking the truth in love” [Eph. 4:15] and holding people accountable for words and actions that are intentionally hurtful, meant to cause division rather than encourage community.

Or perhaps our “intervention” can be something as simple as sitting at a table with a stranger who has come into our church for our Community Meal.

Maybe we can intervene when we notice a non-English-speaker at an airport struggling to find her way.

Or perhaps our intervention is as simple as choosing to sit in a pew next to a person we’re not acquainted with.

Maybe we can intervene in the troubled life of a child through financial support of a charity providing crisis housing, or maybe by finding a tutoring program we can volunteer with.

Like that helicopter pilot flying a routine mission in South Vietnam, we can’t predict what we may encounter that demands our intervention. We may have mobility issues that limit us in getting where we’d like to go. Maybe the press of family responsibilities leaves us little time to make ourselves available for volunteer activities. But whatever limitations our current lives may place on us, we can still seek to follow the example of Jesus: looking to put ourselves in a place where we can have a positive effect in our sphere of activity.

See you in church this Sunday....





November Birthdays

November 1	Bonnie Erickson Marion Good Mike Shaver Kevin Watts Henry Ward Grace Ward
November 3	Olivia Miller
November 5	Lee Sabolich
November 6	Lynn Stohr Lisa Mach
November 8	Heidi Shaver Carly Rayle
November 9	Jim Myers Chase Prudhoe
November 10	Megan Smith
November 13	Joe Clark Mark Cashmere
November 14	Karen Jones
November 16	Marion McBride
November 18	Art Steinmetz
November 20	Jennifer Miller Hannah Heierding
November 22	Sue Hustek Nolan Rayle
November 23	Jaimie Yezbak
November 24	Chuck Hoffner Janice Brochhagen Jonathan Sakai
November 25	Jana Rayle
November 26	Phil Schickel
November 27	Dick Frier Megan (Kirchner) Thellman
November 28	Ruth Thurber
November 29	Audra Costello Michael Esdon Matthew Esdon
November 30	Mary Schulz Kamryn Wilson

**\*\*If your birthday is missing from our birthday list, please contact Office Administrator Crystal Duffield at: [in-fo@riverpres.org](mailto:info@riverpres.org) or (440) 333-4888.**

**Come for a meal and fellowship  
Next "Community Meal" set for  
Thur., Nov. 29, 5-6 p.m.**

Our quarterly Community Meal marks its 1-year anniversary on Thur., Nov. 29. Dinner will feature homemade soup, salad, cornbread and dessert (no turkey!).

Simply come to eat... and bring some friends!

*"Who needs another ugly sweater?"*

**The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual  
"Alternative Christmas"  
Charity Bazaar**

**Sunday, Nov. 18 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.**

Why squander precious money on meaningless merchandise for gifts given out of obligation? Here's an ALTERNATIVE to typical Christmas gift-giving:

- ◇ At the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual "Alternative Christmas" Charity Bazaar your "gifts" are donations to any of more than a dozen different charities who will be present at the event.
- ◇ Your monetary gifts in any amount support the work of the charities you choose.
- ◇ With each donation you receive a free custom-designed notecard to give to your friend, colleague, neighbor or relative announcing your gift.

**And you write just one check!**

- ◆ You add up your gifts to various charities and write one check for the total to Rocky River Presbyterian Church.
- ◆ **100% of your gift will go to the charities you choose**; none stays with the Church.
- ◆ And... you don't automatically land on more mailing lists!

The dozen+ charities represented address issues like: disaster response, physical health, emotional well-being, housing and shelter, animal welfare, education, services to military personnel, plus the free-trade merchandise of Rocky River's One World Shoppe.

*You can be "God's hands and heart" as you honor loved ones in meaningful ways.*

(You can **help as a volunteer that day**—contact elder Anne Busher at [busher21@cox.net](mailto:busher21@cox.net) or (440) 333-4901)



**Theme: "Checking Out & Checking In"****High School retreat this month**

Our High School fellowship group will be going on retreat November 9-11 at Camp Aldersgate. We will be taking time to check *out* from our busy schedules to check *in* with God and each other in the beauty of God's creation. We'll look at how important it is to set aside that time through study, games and a variety of activities. There will also be some time to enjoy the camp facilities. Transportation will be provided by our advisors. Cost is \$50 per person. Scholarships are available based on need. For more information and registration forms, see Lisa Watts. Forms are also available on the church website.

**Addresses needed for college students!**

Please be sure to notify the church office if your college student has had a change of address since last year. We are also in need of addresses for those headed away to school for the first time. It's helpful for us to stay in touch and it makes it possible for your college student to receive that all important box of cookies from the high school youth group next month!

**Program to be part of 5:00 p.m. service****Children's Christmas Program is moving to Christmas Eve**

It has been a longstanding tradition at RRPC to have our children present their interpretation of the Christmas story during a Sunday morning during Advent. This year, we have decided to try something new, in an effort to be inclusive of all ages and those who have family and friends visiting from out of town. This year, at the 5:00 pm service on Christmas Eve, we will be presenting an intergenerational and interactive program. There is no practice for this program- just come to worship at 5:00 and help us tell the story! This is a family friendly service and all ages are welcome. If you have any questions, see Lisa Watts or any member of the Christian Education committee. More information to come in the December Pulse!

**Mitten Tree returns**

Our combined youth fellowship groups will once again put up their popular mitten tree for Advent. We will be collecting hats, scarves, mittens and gloves for folks of all ages. We are thrilled to accept new store-bought or handmade items,



This year, we will be donating our items to Ohio Guidestone.

The tree will go up on December 2 and will stay up through December 24. Thanks so much for your continued support of this mission project!

**RRP Preschool news****Support our weekday preschool****"Butter Braids" for Christmas?**

Our Preschool augments its budget income with a handful of fundraisers each year: in the fall, you can order delicious Butter Braids pastries for delivery before Christmas. You can place an order after worship on **Sun., Nov. 18** or by stopping in the church office Nov. 12-30.

**Preferred registration opens Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> for 2019-2020 school year**

Beginning November 1<sup>st</sup>, Rocky River Presbyterian Preschool priority registration is open for all members of the church along with any returning families. Any child, ages 2½ through Kindergarten, may be enrolled in one of the half-day programs at RRP Preschool.

**Preschool Open House Wed., Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> 5:30—7:00 p.m.**

Open House invites any family considering attending RRP Preschool. No reservation is needed. RRPC member priority registration period continues until January 1<sup>st</sup> when open enrollment will begin. If you have any question or would like to register your child, please call Diana Wolfe, the preschool director, at 440-895-KIDS(5437).





## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

### Semi-Circle

Semi-Circle will meet on **Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>** at **12:00 p.m.** in the West Room. If you have questions you may contact Carolyn Watilo 440-799-4779 or Nancy McGillicuddy 440-724-1738. Newcomers are always welcome!

### Priscilla Circle

Priscilla Circle will meet on **Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>** in the West Room. All are welcome! If you have any questions you may contact Gretchen Koch or Sara Gresh .

### Expressions of Faith

Our group will meet **Tuesdays, November 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>** at 9:30 a.m. in Room D-3,4. We welcome anyone who knits or just enjoys a cup of coffee with friends. For more information contact Mary Murphy (440-785-8614).

### Koinonia

Koinonia Prayer and Study Group meets on **Wednesday mornings** 10:00 a.m. to noon. We spend the first hour in study and the second hour in prayer (all kept in confidence).

Each week we will be listening to, then discussing, the sermons of The Rev. Skye Jethani, who was the Chaplain-of-the-Week at Chautauqua when Jo Naretto was there this summer. It will be an interesting series. Please feel free to join us.

### Women of Grace

Are you looking for a chance to get together with other women for Bible study, fellowship, and mission? Then please join us, we will meet on **November 27<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. in D-3,4. Our Bible study this year is titled "Unafraid" by Adam Hamilton. If you have any questions you may contact Lisa Watts.



Thank you so much for the many prayers, cards and visits I received during my stay in the hospital and here at home during my recuperation. I love looking at the cards both beautiful and funny. I look forward to your visits too. ~ Jane Doughman

### Share yours on the Sunday AFTER Christmas!

### What personal Christmas story can you share at "Family Room Worship"?

That's what we'd love to hear at Family Room Worship—our "breakfast-worship service" in Fellowship Hall on the Sunday after Christmas (Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> this year). It can be a memory from childhood, a work of fiction, a description about a beloved family tradition—you can go many ways with it! If this possibility intrigues you, speak with the pastor to learn more.



—Worship Committee

### Pick one program, or all of them!

### Usher at an Artist Concert Series program this year

Now that you've seen the spectacular series that ACS has in store for the 2018-2019 season, plan now to volunteer as an usher at one of this season's programs. You don't need a "red coat" like at Playhouse Square! All you need to do is arrive 30 minutes beforehand. Your duties include welcoming guests, handing them programs, directing them to restrooms or drinking fountains, and passing an offering plate at intermission.

To volunteer, contact ACS Artistic Director, Nancy McGillicuddy at [nmack@hotmail.com](mailto:nmack@hotmail.com), or the Church Office.

### Offer a helping hand at Coffee Hour

The Deacons' Coffee Hour Committee is currently seeking volunteers to help out the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. We are also in need of substitutes who would be able to fill in occasionally. Contact Deb Furry [debffurry@northerntitle.com](mailto:debffurry@northerntitle.com) or 440-336-5114 for further information and/or questions.





# LIBRARY LINGO

**NOVEMBER 2018**

Mary Schulz, Librarian

DISPLAYS: Thanksgiving books  
New books



## NEW ITEMS FOR CHILDREN:

### Picture Book Fiction:

#### The World Is Awake: A Celebration of Everyday Blessings

E DAV

This lyrical book inspires young readers to be thankful for all of God's blessings that surround them in their daily lives, from nature in the backyard to the animals at the zoo.

#### Every Which Way to Pray

E MEY

Hayley and Harley Hippo want to pray, but don't know how to do it right. Then a comical collection of animal friends, (an almost angelic pelican, a sheep librarian, a bear policeman, and more), helps them see that prayer can be done anywhere, any-time, and in many ways.

#### I Wish You More

E ROS

Some books are about a single wish, some are about 3 wishes. This book is about endless good wishes- a compendium of wishes for curiosity and wonder, for friendship and strength, for joyous days and quiet moments.

#### SERENDIPITY series by John Cosgrove:

E COS

With whimsical characters, each beloved tale teaches youngsters how to deal with the challenges of their worlds, providing them with positive solutions to difficult problems.

#### Bangalee

#### Buttermilk-Bear

An open mind is the key to conquering all kinds of prejudice.

#### Creole

Never judge someone by the way he looks.

#### Feather Fin

#### Gabby

Talking is fun, but listening is just as important.

#### The Gnome from Nome

Love and friendship will come to you.

#### Jingle Bear

Christmas will only come after you fall asleep.

#### Kiyomi

Conceit can make you blind to what is really beautiful.

#### Lady Rose

Those who are gone are never forgotten.

#### Maui-Maui

Love and respect the sea and its creatures.

#### Memily

Whether you're short, tall, or medium, you're perfect just as you are.

#### Minikin

#### Misty Morgan

Remember that there is a time for work and a time for play.

#### Morgan and Me

#### Morgan and Yew

#### The Muffin Muncher

#### Raz-Ma-Taz

#### Sassafrass

Kindness is always appreciated more than sarcasm.

#### Shimmerree

#### Sniffles

When we exaggerate everything, we often forget what the truth is.

#### Squabbles

Have the courage to get involved, reach out to help friends.

#### Squeakers

In life, remember the times when you must say "no."

#### Tee-Tee

#### Wheedle on the Needle

#### Zippity Zoom

It is important to take the time to enjoy life.

HAPPY READING AND VIEWING!!

(All descriptions have been taken from book jacket, title page verso, or review article)

## Healthy Happenings

## ... Notes from the Parish Nurse

Dear Friends and Family,

You have all heard the traditional Thanksgiving story! The original gathering took place in the fall of 1621, between the Pilgrims and the Indians to celebrate making it through the first year at Plymouth Rock. A harvest festival was proclaimed, which lasted three days. The feast did not become recognized nationally until 1863, when President Lincoln proclaimed the last Thursday in November a "Day of Thanksgiving." Throughout the years, the date was changed a couple of times, but in 1941, Thanksgiving became a legal Holiday, occurring on the Fourth Thursday in November, more than 300 years after the original feast.

Thanksgiving today has come to be associated with family reunions, fun, laughter and eating way too much turkey and stuffing. It's a day that families watch the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade and football while planning their Black Friday shopping route because as we all know, after the last slice of pumpkin pie has been eaten, the start of the Christmas holiday shopping season begins. Most importantly, the tradition of Thanksgivings still remains a day of gratitude, and food, like the original celebration!

What is gratitude? Gratitude is defined as the quality or feeling of being grateful or thankful. It is an important quality to develop in your life for many reasons. Many studies have shown that grateful people are happier, less stressed out and depressed and experience greater satisfaction in life. Thanksgiving is a perfect day to start a gratefulness journal. Write down three things you are grateful for each day and you may find that this self-reflection can actually increase your happiness.

Don't forget to share your gratitude with others on Thanksgiving. If you are planning a big family meal at home, try to incorporate others in your group this year; those that don't have family nearby to visit, military families that have loved ones serving, single parents with kids, or those who live alone and might not have a place to go! Remember to take the time to be grateful at your Thanksgiving table through prayer.

### *A Thanksgiving Prayer, by Rabbi Naomi Levy*

*For my own life breath,  
For the abundance of food on this table,  
For the ones who prepared this sumptuous feast,  
For the roof over our heads,  
The clothes on our backs,  
For our health,  
And our wealth of blessings,  
For this opportunity to celebrate with family and friends,  
For the freedom to pray these words  
Without fear,  
In any language,  
In any faith,  
In this great country,  
Whose landscape is as vast and beautiful as her inhabitants.  
Thank You, God, for giving us all these. Amen.*




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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p><b>4 All Saints' Sunday</b> <b>Communion / Food Sunday</b> 9:00 a.m. Adult Education 10:30 a.m. Worship / KISS / Nursery 11:35 a.m. Time of Fellowship 11:40 a.m. Children's &amp; Youth Choirs 7:00 p.m. Middle/High School Mtg.</p>	<p><b>5</b> 5:45 p.m. Board of Elections Set-up 7:00 p.m. CE Committee Mtg 7:00 p.m. Women's AA</p>	<p><b>6 Election Day</b> 5:00 a.m. Open for Board of Elections 8:30 a.m. Three Arts of Lakewood 10:30 a.m. Lectionary Study Group 6:15 p.m. Worship Committee Mtg. 7:30 p.m. Alanon/Alateen Mtg.</p>	<p><b>7</b> 10:00 a.m. Koinonia Group Mtg. 11:30 a.m. HR Committee Mtg. 6:15 p.m. Chancel Bell Choir 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir 7:30 p.m. River Men's AA Mtg.</p>	<p><b>1</b> 6:30 p.m. Seeker's Class #1 of 2</p>	<p><b>2</b> 7:00 a.m. Friday morning Men's Group (RR Starbuck's)</p>	<p><b>3</b> 7:00 p.m. AA Altered Attitudes</p>
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<p><b>18</b> 8:00 a.m. ACCB Set-up 9:00 a.m. Adult Education 10:30 a.m. Worship / Nursery/ Childrens Church School 11:30 a.m. Alternative Christmas Charity Bazaar 11:35 a.m. Time of Fellowship / <b>Butter Braids Sample &amp; Sales</b> 11:40 a.m. Children's &amp; Youth Choirs 1:30 p.m. Healing Hearts for the Holidays Service 7:00 p.m. Middle/High School Mtg.</p>	<p><b>19</b> 7:00 p.m. Women's AA 7:30 p.m. Session Meeting</p>	<p><b>20</b> 10:30 a.m. Lectionary Study Group 7:30 p.m. Alanon/Alateen Mtg.</p>	<p><b>21 Preschool closed (Church office closed)</b> 7:30 p.m. River Men's AA Mtg.</p>	<p><b>22 Thanksgiving (Church office closed)</b></p>	<p><b>23 (Church office closed)</b></p>	<p><b>24</b> 7:00 p.m. AA Altered Attitudes</p>
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