

# Leading Worship

February 4, 2018

## The Messenger

Rochester church of Christ  
120 E 5th Street, Rochester, IN 46975  
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### Sunday, February 4

### Sunday, February 11

Power Point: Matthew Greer  
Greeters: Dan & Cathy Hassenplug  
Nursery: Tracia & Sandy  
Card Pickup: Cayden Caudill  
Song Leader: TC Omondi  
Opening Prayer: Mark Wise  
  
Lord's Table: Steve Utter, Dave Benzing,  
Brant Hedington, Blake Minix  
  
Kids' JOY Hour: Melva & Kathy  
Reading: Dave Benzing  
Romans 16:16  
Message: Jim Dillinger  
"Kissing In Church"  
  
Announcements: Jim Smith  
Closing Prayer: Milam Anderson

Power Point: Ethan Hassenplug  
Greeters: Ray & Laurie Hedington  
Nursery: Rhyann / Kathy  
Card Pickup: Owen Omondi  
Song Leader: Brant Hedington  
Opening Prayer: Roy Vandermark  
Lord's Table: Brad Hassenplug, Paul  
Simmons, TC Omondi, Matthew Greer  
Kids' JOY Hour: Paul / Cheryl  
Reading: Blake Minix  
Message: Jim Dillinger  
Announcements: Rob Greer  
Closing Prayer: Matt Calcutt

*If unable to serve when  
scheduled please contact  
David Benzing or Paul Caudill  
Thank you*

**February Elder in Charge**  
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### JOY Hour Upcoming Nursery

Paul / Cheryl...February 11...Rhyann / Kathy  
Aric / Melody...February 18...Deb Wise  
Mark / Deb...February 25...Hanna / Melanie  
Helene / Sandy...March 4...Becky / Rhyann  
Rhyann / Adam...March 11...Kathy / Nikki  
Laurie / Gentry...March 18...Lori / Amanda  
Amanda / Nikki...March 25...Hanna / Melissa

### Stats

Last Week / Last Month  
Bible Class: 80 / 75  
A.M. Worship: 109 / 105  
P.M. Worship: 41 / 41  
Wed Night: 43 / 43  
Giving: \$2050 / \$2531

### Wednesday

Adults: Ray H  
Teens: Jim D  
Kids: Open  
Toddlers: Ann C

### Worship Times

#### Sundays

Bible Class...9:30  
Worship...10:30  
Bible Study...1:15

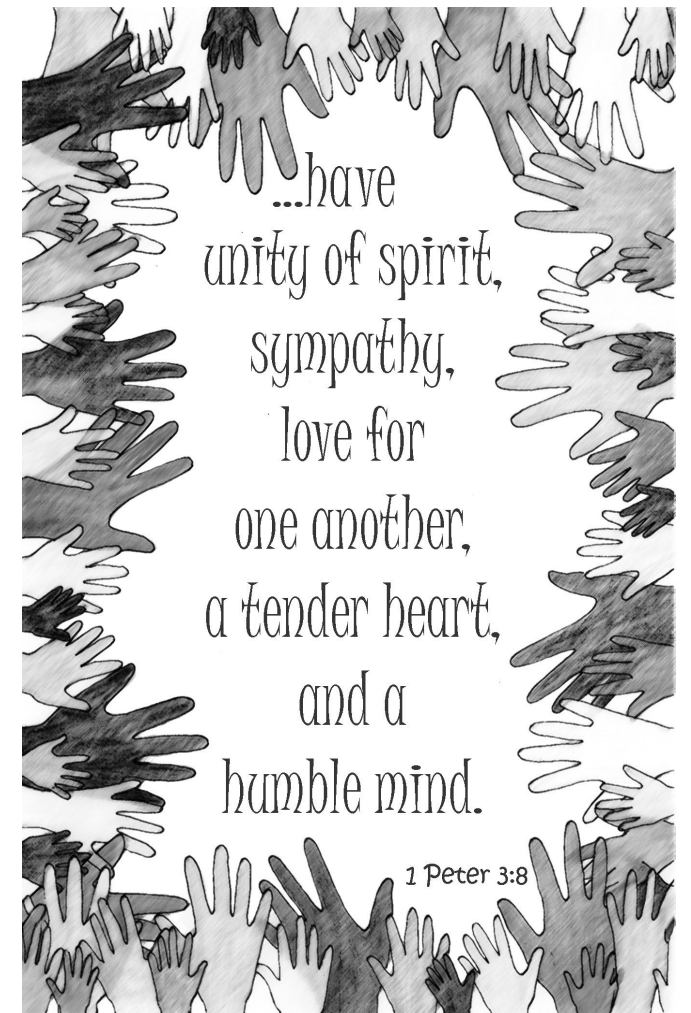
**Wednesdays** 7:00 pm

### Upcoming Events

Feb 11...Elder / Deacon Meeting  
Feb 16-18...WinterFest  
March 1...Preschool Registration Day  
March 4...His Kids! Day  
March 17...Ladies' Progressive Dinner  
March 30-31...LTC  
April 21...Men's Retreat  
May 12...Ladies' Day  
July 14...VBS



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### Our Mission Statement

*This congregation exists to glorify God by sharing the good news of  
Jesus with love and compassion in our community and beyond.*

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Deacons

David Benzing.....Worship / Greeters / Mentors

Matt Calcutt.....Youth / Facilities

Paul Caudill.....Benevolence

Rob Greer.....Retreats/ Local Outreach

Ken Hooley...Children Education /VBS/ Missions

TC Omondi.....Junior Youth / JOY Hour

Steve Utter.....Facilities

Howard Whittlesey.....Small Groups

**If you are a guest**, welcome! Please fill out the white card located in your welcome packet. Guest cards can also be found in the song book rack in front of you. Thank you.

**Urgent Need in Malawi:** Jim is collecting money through February 11 to help buy maize for MIBI. The country is again experiencing drought and an infestation of army worms. We are trying to buy maize now while it is cheap (\$7 a bag) and preserve it to last for the coming year. You can also contribute directly at [www.mibisunset.com](http://www.mibisunset.com)



**Praising God!** Last Sunday was another heart filling day as we witnessed our church family surround a brother who desired to make his life right with God again. Please keep Aric, Melody and the girls in your prayers.

**Thank You:** Thanks to all that helped prepare and serve the funeral meal for the Helen Cramer family. They were very appreciative of the effort and kindness shown by the church.

**A Challenge:** Helen was always faithful to pick up a prayer card and send a note to our guests. Who will fill that gaping hole in a wonderful ministry opportunity?

**Bragging On Our Teens!** Several people saw and commented on our teens practicing on their own Wednesday night before church to get ready for LTC Singing. Our group is small right now, but they are a group of good kids. We are proud of you!

**Mission Committee** will meet very briefly today in the church library directly after worship.

**POTLUCK...YUM!** We hope you will stay and enjoy a delicious dinner with us. There is always plenty for all! Care Group #2 (Mark's group) is in charge of set up and clean up.



**Meetings Today:** There will be a Men's Meeting at the Teen Center and a Ladies' Meeting in the fellowship hall directly after potluck.

**Opportunities to Serve:** A teacher is needed for Wednesday night school-age kids in February. See Inga Omondi for the lesson book. Thanks!

Volunteers are needed to shovel snow. A sign-up sheet is posted in fellowship hall.

**Note:** We are making some changes to protect church members and meet insurance requirements. Please be patient with us as we get used to these changes. Unfortunately, changes may bring some inconveniences. If you have any questions, please talk to one of the elders.

**Elders and Deacons** will meet next Sunday to discuss our ministry areas and change oversight as needed. Will meet for about one hour following the afternoon class.

**LTC News and Notes:** LTC practices are in full swing. Coaches, if you would like your practice times in the bulletin, please let Lisa know details.

**Live Modern Drama:** Practicing at 5:30 on Wednesday nights. See Tracia B

**Group Singing:** Practicing at 5:30 on Wednesday nights. See Berkleee B

**Puppets:** Meeting during afternoon service on Sundays in fellowship hall. See Nikki G

## We Are Praying For...



**Cancer Patients:** Keith Springer, Dana (Deb's friend), Rhonda Booth (Vaughn), Bart See (Dennis' nephew), Tammie Mott, Dave Buzbee, Jim Dillinger (Jim's dad), Lisa Swartz (See's friend), Roses' niece,

**Chronic Health Problems:** Betty Calvert, Connie Walley, Louise Jones, Breianna Slonaker, Melissa Johnson, Doris Woolington, Newton Chung (Helene) Helen Horn, Joan Utter, Sonya Ward (Deb), Wesley Dunn (Hamilton), Betty Anderson's sister, Gary & Laura MacDonald, Diana Garrison

### **Other Prayer Concerns:**

Delores H, treatments to save her eyesight  
Christine (Delores' daughter) brain tumor  
Darla G's granddaughter, Trisha, fever and infection following surgery  
Dan Hassenplug, recovering from surgery  
Deb Winegardner, back issues

\*\*\*Nick Hartz, painful kidney stones

\*\*\*Praise God! Darla's surgery went well