

NEWSLETTER
CHRIST THE ROCK
Recap/Look Forward - February Edition

New members



Thailei Smith



Nolan Swenson



Nicholas Karns



Bill Gauger



Justin Bodey



Nikki Buckley,
Kristi Buckley,
Alex Buckley



We joyfully welcomed 15 new members in January! Be sure to greet them and help make them feel at home at Christ the Rock.

Not pictured: Janice Gauger, Erich Haanpaa, and David "Doc" Ketner



Sandy Johnson



Darlene Karvelius



Jayne Fritsche,
Bill Fritsche

LOOKING AHEAD

LENT WORSHIP OPTIONS

February 25th - March 26th

Immanuel - Belvidere

Wednesdays at 11:00AM & 7:00PM
No Dinner

Resurrection - Rockford

Wednesdays at 7:00PM
No Dinner

St. Andrew - Rockton

Thursdays at 7:00PM
Dinner before at 6:00PM

Immanuel - Lindenwood

Wednesday at 7:00PM
Dinner before at 6:00PM

Christ our Savior - Roscoe

Wednesdays at 7:00PM
Dinner before at 6:00PM

Mt. Olive - Rockford

Wednesdays at 6:00PM
Dinner before at 5:00PM



LENT CHURCH OPTION LOCATIONS



The QR code on the left links to a Google Map showing the six area churches hosting services in the graphic above. If you're unable to scan the code, click [here](#) to view the locations.

Ash Wednesday Service

February 18, 2026
7:00PM

Join us for an
abbreviated service!



DIRECTORY

As we celebrate and welcome new members in this issue, we're also working toward updating our church directory! Our goal is to have new directories ready by Easter. If you have any updates to your address, phone number, or photo, please let the office know. You can call us at 815-332-7191, email updates or photos to office@ctrckford.org, or stop by after worship to have your photo taken.



CARPENTER'S PLACE

On the next page, you'll find a thank-you from Carpenter's Place and from families whose lives were touched by Christ the Rock's generosity during the Christmas season. They have also shared thank-you cards, which will be on display in the narthex over the weekends.



*Carpenter's Place says
Thank You
for making Christmas special
for our families!*



Last year some of the families you kindness brought joy to!! ❤

February 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8am Worship/Communion 9:15am Adult Bible Study 9:15am Children's Sunday School 10:30am Worship/Communion	2	3 9:30am Womens Bible Study 11:30am ART CLASS 6pm Elder's Meeting 6pm Preschool Open House	4 Announcement Deadline 9:30am Homeschool Group 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal	5 6:30pm Ladi's Lifelight 6:30pm Men's Life Light	6	7 4:15pm Adult Bible Study 5:35pm Worship
8 8am Worship 9:15am Adult Bible Study 9:15am Children's Sunday School 10:30am Worship	9 6pm MomCO Meeting	10 8am Cord Update Meeting 9:30am Women's Bible Study	11 Announcement Deadline 9:30am Homeschool Group 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm Young Adult Bible Study	12 11am Staff Meeting 6:30pm Ladi's Lifelight 6:30pm Men's Life Light	13 9am MomCO Meeting	14 4:15pm Adult Bible Study 5:35pm Worship/Communion
15 8am Worship/Communion 9:15am Adult Bible Study 9:15am Children's Sunday School 10:30am Worship/Communion	16 8:45am PerMar Security	17 9:30am Women's Bible Study 11:30am ART CLASS 6:30pm Church Council Meeting	18 Announcement Deadline 9:30am Homeschool Group 2pm Fun4Seniors 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm ASH WEDNESDAY/ NO COMMUNION	19 6:30pm Ladi's Lifelight 6:30pm Men's Life Light	20	21 4:15pm Adult Bible Study 5:35pm Worship
22 8am Worship 9:15am Adult Bible Study 9:15am Children's Sunday School 10:30am Worship	23 6pm MomCo	24 8am Cord Update Meeting 9:30am Women's Bible Study 2pm SENIOR BIBLE STUDY	25 Announcement Deadline 9:30am Homeschool Group 10:30am Card Ministry 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm Young Adult Bible Study	26 6:30pm Ladi's Lifelight 6:30pm Men's Life Light	27 9am MomCo Meeting	28 4:15pm Adult Bible Study 5:35pm Worship/Communion

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1 Carah Debruyne's birthday Jimmy Pedersen's birthday Kayla Akre's birthday	2	3	4 Mandy Reisinger's birthday	5 Logan Grove's birthday	6	7 Abigail Grove's birthday Madelyn Potocki's birthday
8 Ann Gronlund's birthday Isabella Richardson's birthday	9 Jim Vaccarello's birthday	10 Jodi Roe's birthday Veronica Roberts's birthday	11	12	13	14 Betty Clendening's birthday Mary Beth Johnson Novotny's birthday
Katrina Blackmer's birthday Marti Stroberg's birthday Walter Shanks's birthday	15 Branko Nikolic's birthday	16 Dave Clendening's birthday	17 Rebecca Hansen's birthday Ryan Pierson's birthday	18 Paul Andrews's birthday Thad Withers's birthday	19	20 Ron and Luann Esser's anniversary
Austyn Alfrey's birthday Jenn Reader's birthday	22	23 Garrett Roberts's birthday Tessa Elmer's birthday	24	25 Rob Warren's birthday	26	27 Karley Davidson's birthday