

NEWS YOU CAN USE

NOVEMBER 27, 2025

Happy Thanksgiving! This weekend's schedule

Thursday - 10:00 AM -Joint Service at Webster CRC
Thursday and Friday - Office Closed
Saturday - 11:00 AM - Advent Musicians Practice
Sunday - No Sunday School and No_High School Group



All Knitters and Crocheters!

Please bring all items to
Rochester CRC by Sunday
December 7. Items should be
placed in the marked tote in the
coat room. Thank you! Questions?
See Ann Michele Bouwmeester



VOLUNTEERS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Nursery

Katie Singleton and Ivy Porte-Knox

Ushers

Brook Chambery and Jan Huussen

Coffee Service & Cleanup

Heidi Zinkand and David Dill Ed and Ann Michele Bouwmeester



Mitten Tree

Our Mitten Tree in the narthex is in need of handmade / store bought mittens and gloves to fit children ages preschool to 8th grade.

They will be donated to School 33, JLU Childcare and Rochester Family Mission.

RCRC End of Year Financial Status

As of <u>11/21/2025</u>, we anticipate needing <u>about \$46K of additional donations</u> by year end to cover usual costs and expected once-a-year large expenses.

The 2026 budget and current financial status presented at the congregational meeting are <u>here</u>. Contact David Cok if you have any questions.



Pulpit Schedule

November 30-December 21: Advent - Steven Rodriguez Christmas Day - Bethany Miller December 28 - Brad Zinnecker

Download the order of worship HERE or pick up a printed copy on Sunday morning.

Worship with us:

ADVENT SERVICES

Dead Heroes and the Living God: The Songs of Women in the Old Testament

Guest Preacher: Rev. Steven Rodriguez

Nov 30 | Miriam Dec 7 | Deborah Dec 14 | Hannah Dec 21 | Song of Songs

Children - bring your nonperishable food donations to the front during the children's message each week of advent!

CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Preacher: **Bethany Miller**

10 AM | Dec 25



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CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Senior High Youth:

Village of Penfield

12:30 PM | Dec 7

All Ages Welcome:

Maplewood Nursing Home

10 AM Dec 8

All Ages Welcome:

Conesus Nursing Home

2 PM | Dec 11

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT & FAMILY NIGHT

Join us for a night of music, scripture readings, and a nativity play put on by our Rochester CRC children and youth. Stay after the performance to enjoy cocoa and cider, decorate Christmas cookies, and make an ornament for your tree!

6 PM | Dec 14

CANDLELIGHT CAROL SING

Led by our members of Rochester CRC accompanied by Ryan Chan. Learn a bit about the history of your favorite carols as we sing the songs of the season together.

6 PM | Dec 21

COMMUNITY GIVING

RFM Toy Drive

We're collecting NEW toys for kids ages 2-10 for Rochester Family Mission through December 14. \$25 gift cards can be donated for teens.

Food Drive

Non-perishable food and household items will be collected in the Narthex for Rochester Family Mission & Penfield Ecumenical Food Shelf.

Mitten Tree

The RCRC knitting ministry is collecting new (homemade or store bought) gloves & mittens for school 33, JLU Childcare & RFM. (to fit ages pre-k - 8th grade)

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