

Ordinary Time (“counted time”) in the church calendar offers a time of spiritual development with green as its representative color. The newest series of banners, designed by Petra Letter, display a verdant array of shapes evoking lush foliage. Layers of fabric, in subtle color modulation that seemingly surge upward in the vertical format, demonstrate the essence of growth and our interconnectedness as a church body. The unfolding of shapes symbolizes our spiritual maturation during the period in the church calendar unaffiliated with any festival day. So, we thrive. We improve. We cultivate, and we scale the resources of spiritual growth in Ordinary Time.



Will They Be Champions?

The RCRC softball team will be playing against Perinton Community Church on **Monday, August 2 at 7:45 PM** on Field C at Webster Recreation Center. If they win, they will play in the championship game at 9 PM. Come cheer them on!

Coffee Servers and Ushers

There are currently no coffee servers or ushers for August. Sign up [here](#) or contact the church office to let us know how you'd like to serve.

Sunday School Teacher Needed

We are still seeking an upper elementary Sunday School teacher. Please contact [Tim Collins](#) or the church office if you are interested.

School #33 School Supply Drive



School supplies are on sale now. Please consider purchasing some school supplies for School #33 now while they are on sale at many places. Items especially appreciated are: composition notebooks, pencils, markers, crayons, folders, one subject notebooks, glue sticks, bottles of glue, etc. Place your donations in the blue bin marked School #33 or drop off at the church office during the week. Thank you!

Summer's Best Two Weeks

What an amazing ministry this summer camp is to the lives of so many kids in our community. Thank you for your prayers and support of Summer's Best Two Weeks. To God be the Glory!

Sunday Worship Service with Communion

Worship with us in person at **10 AM** or watch our livestream. Pastor Anthony's sermon "The Lord of the Cosmos" will be based on Colossians 1:15-20. **This week we will celebrate communion.** If you are worshipping from home, please prepare your elements prior to the service. The order of worship is available at <https://www.rochestererc.org/sermons-worship#bulletin>.

Hymn Sing

Join us for a hymn sing on **Monday, August 2 at 7:00 p.m.** the fellowship hall. If you are interested in attending, please call Millie Washburn at 678-9569.

Virtual Prayer Meeting

Join us for a virtual prayer meeting on **Wednesday, August 4.**

Join by computer: meet.google.com/cxi-bpwg-mst

Join by phone: (US) +1 304-900-3963 PIN: 562 662 919#

Cancer Support Group Virtual Meeting

The Cancer Support Group will be meeting virtually on **Saturday, August 7.** The link will be included in next week's announcements.

STEPS STEPS is a course designed to help you break free from unhelpful patterns of behavior. Whether it's negative thinking, anxiety, judging yourself, or anything else... this is a tool that can help you work through it and find peace. To find out more about the course, come to one of our online or in-person Introduction Sessions. Choose between 8 am or 2:30 pm (online courses with folks from around the world) or 7:00 pm (in-person course at RCRC) on **Thursday, September 9.** Everyone is welcome! <https://stepscourse.org/>



Asking questions is a great way to help people tell their faith stories. Here are a few discussion starters to use with your family this week. Tell about a time when you felt like God was very close to you or your family.

If you could talk to someone in the Old Testament, who would it be and why?

If you could talk with Jesus in person, what one question would you like to ask him?