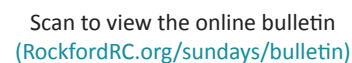


1. What do we deserve from God and yet what do we receive from God instead? And why?
2. How does God work through the struggles and hard times of our lives and how can those struggles actually be the best thing for us?
3. How do you see today's sermon applying to your family?



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Meets following the service until noon

- **Preschool to 1st grade** meet in the Fireside Room
- **2nd to 5th grade** meet in Room 250 for a Family Sermon Discussion
- **Middle School** may join the Family Sermon Discussion or Catechism Class
- **High School:** Catechism Class, Room 246
- **Adults:** Informational Meeting in the Sanctuary



EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 19  
9:30am

All kids through 5th grade are invited to participate! We'll start with breakfast and an Easter lesson, followed by the egg hunt!

EASTER EGG HUNT DONATIONS

Donations of candy and non-food items can be placed in bins at doors A and B starting this Sunday and through Sunday, April 6. ALL DONATIONS BY APRIL 6!! Filling eggs will take place in the Youth Room room at church on Saturday, April 12 from 10am-12pm, and we will order pizza for lunch.



VBS

Mon-Thurs, June 16-19  
6-8pm

Save the date! VBS will be back this summer for kids 3 years old through those just leaving 6th grade. Join us for Camp Chaos, where kids learn that Jesus is our path to peace. Registration is open! [RockfordRC.org/vbs](http://RockfordRC.org/vbs)

ASSURE WOMEN'S CENTER FUNDRAISER



Assure Women's Center is holding a Fundraiser Banquet on Friday, April 25 at 6:30pm (doors open at 6) to raise money to build a new center that can meet the needs of their clients. Reservations are \$25 per person. If you are interested, you can scan this qr code for more information or use the link from our online bulletin (see this morning's email).

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 30	March 31	April 1	April 2	April 3	April 4	April 5
worship service sunday school  youth group 6-7:30pm, youth room	prayer partners 7pm via zoom	men's prayer bkf 7-8am, fireside room women's bible study 9:30-11:15am, fireside YA Bible Study 7pm				
April 6	April 7	April 8	April 9	April 10	April 11	April 12
worship service	prayer partners 7pm via zoom	men's prayer bkf 7-8am, fireside room			REAL men 7-8am, fellowship lobby	
April 13	April 14	April 15	April 16	April 17	April 18	April 19
Palm Sunday worship service	prayer partners 7pm via zoom	men's prayer bkf 7-8am, fireside room  YA Bible Study 7pm			REAL men 7-8am, fellowship lobby  Good Friday Service 7pm	easter egg hunt 9:30am

More information on these activities can be found in our weekly eBeacon (sent out Sunday mornings). If you haven't singed up to receive this weekly email, contact the front office at [connect@rockfordrc.org](mailto:connect@rockfordrc.org) and ask to be put on the list.

The Women's Tuesday Bible Study invites all RRC women and friends to a Spring Brunch and Prayer Mosaic this Tuesday, April 1, 9:30-11:15am in the Fireside Room. Please contact Pam Jacobs or Joan Moore with questions or to RSVP.

All RRC Women & Friends Invited!

Spring Brunch and Prayer Mosaic

Tuesday Morning | April 1, 2025  
9:30am - 11:15am | Fireside Room

This special prayer event is designed to be active and engaging, moving beyond traditional forms of prayer to deepen spiritual connection during this Lenten season.

Hearty brunch & fellowship following!