

Bulletin for March 28, 2021

Palm/Passion Sunday

Please be advised:
Pastor Rolland's
cell phone number is:
(815) 718-3022.

Also, Rolland's work e-mail
address is now:

Rev.Rhay@gmail.com

In-Service Info

Due to COVID
regulations, our
in-service Worship cannot
exceed 35-38 attendees.
This is why we ask you to
reserve your spot
in church before Sunday.

--Please be aware that
currently, the lift is not
working.

--If you are not
feeling well or have been
exposed to Covid, please
view through Zoom!
Thank you.



Worship Service in-Church Today — The service is also Live via Zoom

The Link, Meeting ID and Passcode are attached with the bulletin.

--We will not be able to sing,
congregate or visit.

--Come in, be seated and when the service is
over, go ahead and exit.

--Some pews are taped off
for social distancing.

Please observe social distancing and
wear a mask. Thank you.



LET US PRAY FOR...

Charlie C.
Darin D.
Derek P.
David D.
Rose L.
Sandy S.
Rachel (friend of Betty H.)
Melanie M.
Donna Chambers



THE FAMILY OF...(DECEASED):

Pauline Lawhorn



*Please e-mail your prayer requests by Thursday if
possible, so that we can keep the prayer list up to date!
Thank you.*

ROCKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Order of Worship — Palm/Passion Sunday
March 28, 2021

GATHERING

GREETINGS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Blessed are those who delight in Worship.

Blessed are those who follow Christ and sing God's praises..

People: Give thanks to God, all who assemble here.
God's steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: This is the day that God has made.

Let every heart rejoice and be glad in it.

People: Let every tongue welcome Christ's reign.
Hosanna! Glory and honor, to the King of Kings.

PASSING THE PEACE

(Pass the Peace of Christ)

Pastor: The light and hope of Christ lives in each of us.

The peace of Christ be with you always.

People: And also with you.

***OPENING HYMN**

"Come Christians, Join to Sing"

TUMH #66

Come, Christians, join to sing, Alleluia! Amen!
loud praise to Christ our King, Alleluia! Amen!
Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;
Praise is his gracious choice, Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia! Amen!
Let praises fill the sky, Alleluia! Amen!
He is our guide and friend, to us he'll condescend;
His love shall never end, Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet the Lord again, Alleluia! Amen!
Life shall not end the strain, Alleluia! Amen!
On heaven's blissful shore, his goodness we'll adore,
Singing forevermore, Alleluia! Amen!

INVOCATION

Great and Everlasting God, Whose love endures forever, hear our call. We have gathered here today to ask for Your Holy Presence and to praise You in different ways we can. We also come in remembrance of Your triumphant entry in Jerusalem but also to reflect on the suffering that You endured on the way to Calvary. As we continue to worship You this morning, renew and revive our minds and hearts in service, for the Glory of Lord Jesus, our Savior, **Amen.**

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor

*SCRIPTURE READING

New Testament

Mark 11:1-11

(Please rise, if you are able)

Matthew 27:11-31

***Response:** **Thy Word Is a Lamp** *(Refrain Only)*

TUMH#601

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and the light unto my path.

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and the light unto my path.

MEDITATION

“Blessed are Those Who Walk with Faith in Their Hearts”

Pastor Rolland Hayag

OFFERTORY INVITATION

Pastor

Hear the words about giving in which generosity is rewarded, from
2 Corinthians 9:11 *“You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in Thanksgiving to God.”*

OFFERING

(Ushers will bring the offering plate into the Sanctuary while the Hymn of Response music is played)

*Hymn Response

“Give Thanks with Grateful Hearts”

TFWS #2036

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

And now let the weak say, "I am strong" Let the poor say, I am rich

Because of what the Lord has done for us, give thanks.

*OFFERATORY PRAYER

Pastor

*CLOSING HYMN

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

TUMH #172

My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine, for thee all the follies of sin I resign.

My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art thou, if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love thee because thou hast first loved me and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree;

I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow, if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright;

I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow, if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

CLOSING PRAYER

Pastor

***BENEDICTION**

Pastor

POSTLUDE

Big Thank You from Nancy Bielema!

I would like to thank my church family for their thoughts, prayers, cards and food given to me. I lost my brother-in-law and wife, along with an aunt, to Covid. My brother died of brain cancer, and my sister-in-law to Alzheimer's. A sister had successful cancer surgery!

It has been a difficult year with the loss of family and friends.

*****Counters Needed!*****

(from Karen Fysh, Financial Secretary)

Counters are needed to do the Sunday offering once a month.

Currently, one counter has indicated she cannot do it any longer. Additionally, one counter is needed to team up with a second counter.

**If you would like to help out along these lines,
please e-mail Karen at pfeffer43@charter.net.**



From Peg Hayelan:

**My birthday was almost a month ago,
but I want to thank everyone for all the
cards, phone calls, and messages!**
